

Illustrating Freedom of Expression

Competition rules:

The (original) artwork can be any size, any style, and in any visual medium: ink drawings, cartoon strips, collages, painting, even sculpture. However all entries must be submitted – and will be judged – as images in JPEG, PNG, TIFF or PDF formats.

All entries must be submitted by midnight 16 September 2018 using the application portal:

<https://www.grantrequest.co.uk/Application.aspx?sid=12&aid=26567>

Please clearly label each piece to indicate which of the ten issues the submission is for:

1. Administrative harassment and barriers
2. Anonymity online
3. Criminalisation of speech e.g. criminal defamation
4. Cybercrimes and internet regulation
5. Fabricated charges
6. Forced disclosure of sources
7. Internet shutdowns and website blocking
8. National security
9. Physical harassment, violence and torture
10. Physical restrictions

The judges' decision is final and no correspondence will be entered into.

Only one piece of art is allowed per entry, however there is no limit to the number of times a person can enter.

Each issue category will be judged individually, so even if a person submits one piece for each issue, the art will be judged as ten individual pieces.

Entries can be anonymous or under a pen name if preferred.

Please let us know what country you are sending your entry in from and (if you are comfortable doing so) please let us know your chosen name, and how to contact you to let you know if you have won.

By submitting to the competition you agree to allow registered charity Media Legal Defence Initiative to use your images in perpetuity, for the purposes of supporting its work and communicating the importance of freedom of expression.

If your work includes writing (for example a cartoon strip) please either use English, or include a translation of the text into English along with your entry.