## GZDOC 2019 is now open for entries!

The 17th edition of Guangzhou International Documentary Film Festival will take place in Guangzhou, China, from **December** 9th to December 12th, 2019.

> The following four sessions are now open for submissions from March 18th: Golden Kapok Award Competition "Premiere in Guangzhou" Screening Session "China Story" International Pitching Session Doc Shop

In 2018, GZDOC hosted a number of official delegations from Poland, Australia, UK, France, South Korea, Italy, the Asia-Pacific Broadcasting Union and the Asia Content Business Summit to foster the intercultural dialogue.

Attended by hundreds of Award-winning producers, filmmakers and industry professionals from Broadcast media, digital streaming platforms, Production facilities and Distribution agencies from China and abroad, GZDOC is China's biggest documentary festival and the most important meeting place for China's documentary industry.

In the GZDOC 2018 "China Story" International Pitching Session, 28 international projects were presented to some 50 domestic and overseas decision makers including commissioning editors, film fund representatives, content buyers, and executives from broadcast media and digital streaming platforms. The 4-day GZDOC 2018 recorded an intended sale worth **862 million RMB**.

Submit your work or project on our official website www.gzdoc.cn to participate in the Asia's largest documentary film festival!

## **GOLDEN KAPOK AWARD COMPETITION**

The Golden Kapok award Competition is now open for feature documentaries, short documentaries, documentary series and new media documentaries from all over the world!

Submit your works to attend the "Golden Kapok Award Competition" with the most competitive productions!

Submissions Deadline: August 31, 2019(GMT+8).

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# SCREENING SESSION: PREMIERE IN GUANGZHOU

Be the first Stop to Raise the International Profile for Your Documentary!

We are calling entries for **World Premiere**/ **International Premiere**/ **Asia Premiere**/ **China Premiere**!

Official screening events include: Red Carpet, Official Premiere Screening, Press Conference, Interviews and More. Submission Deadline: **September 10, 2019 (GMT+8).** 

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#### DOCSHOP

GZDOC Doc Shop is a year-round factual content marketplace for **producers**, **distributors**, **content buyers and commissioners**. It is dedicated to discovering and promoting premium China and International documentaries.

GZDOC Doc Shop has successfully distributed **46000 minutes** of documentary programs.

DOCSHOP is open for submissions all year round.

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## "CHINA STORY" INTERNATIONAL PITCHING SESSION

"China Story" International Pitching Session recruits Chinese stories for and from global market. It is dedicated to cultivating the documentary projects which best reflect China and its people, developing the pre-sale, coproduction and commission of China stories, with an international storytelling and of premium production standard.

Applications are now open for the projects at the stage of either pre-production, shooting or post-production before 2020, with distinctive Chinese elements.

Submission deadline: September 20, 2019 (GMT+8).

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## EXPO

As a major part of GZDOC, the International Film and TV Programs Trade Expo is an effective and professional platform for production houses, broadcast media, equipment manufacturers and distribution agencies to display their programs, projects, facilities and services. Participants can choose either a standard booth or a specialsized booth to showcase their strength to global buyers, industry executives, broadcast media and distribution agencies during the festival.

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## BUSINESS AND MAKETING COOPERATION

GZDOC is trying to build a marketplace for all content providers, brands and production facilities by gathering the top-tier business resource from China's factual content industry. In GZDOC 2018, more than 40 platforms and production houses held events to promote the brands and contents during the festival. A publicity stunt at the GZDOC is proving to be cost-effective. Most important of all, it can make a splash within the industry and among audiences.

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#### PROMOTION

Public Screening, Theme Screening, Pitching, Catalogue, Badge Ad, etc, oppotunity to maximize brand exposure on Official and Social Media.

## SPONSOR EVENT

Approach industry stakeholders through cocktail reception, exhibition, theme screening, launching event.

## TAKE A DELEGATION

Get informed on how to get full assistance on festival attendance from the organizing team.

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#### December 9-12, 2019

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