

## World Press Photo Exhibition 2022 in Berlin

- Exhibition at Willy-Brandt-Haus
- 20 May - 12 June 2022 | 12:00 - 08:00 pm
- Exhibition opening: Thursday, 19 May | 07:00 pm

The World Press Photo Contest annually honors the best photojournalists and documentary photographers. This year, 64,823 entries were submitted by 4,066 photographers from 130 countries. Freundeskreis Willy-Brandt-Haus presents the World Press Photo exhibition for the 19th time. The photographs of the nominees and winners can be seen from 20 May to 12 June at Willy-Brandt-Haus. Further information [www.fkwbh.de/world-press-photo-2022](http://www.fkwbh.de/world-press-photo-2022)

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- Press dates with winners and curator: 19 Mai | 09:00 am - 04:00 pm. Registration: [presse@freundeskreis-wbh.de](mailto:presse@freundeskreis-wbh.de)
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  - Press pictures: <https://www.worldpressphoto.org/media-center>
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The annual World Press Photo Contest has been awarding the images of professional photographers since 1955. The World Press Photo Foundation is supported by its strategic partners, the Dutch Postcode Lottery and PwC. In 2022, a new regional strategy was introduced to create a geographical balance among the award-winning images. Since this year, applications have been divided into six regions: Africa, Asia, Europe, North and Central America, South America as well as Southeast Asia and Oceania. There are four format-based categories in each region: Singles, Stories, Long-Term Project, and Open Format.

In addition to the global jury, six regional juries are now also involved and so this year 31 highly qualified jury members from all over the world helped to select the winning images. In each region, a selection of the entries was first made by the regional jury. Subsequently, the global jury – consisting of the six regional jury chairmen and the global jury chairman – decided on the 24 regional winners and selected the four global winners.

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This year's winner of the "World Press Photo of the Year" is Amber Bracken from Canada. The red dresses in her picture, hung on crosses along a roadside, commemorate deceased children. They died at Kamloops Indian Residential School in British Columbia – an institution created to "assimilate" Indigenous children. On June 19, 2021, 215 unmarked graves were discovered there.

The regional winners come from 23 different countries and present courageous stories from all parts of the world. Further information [www.worldpressphoto.org](http://www.worldpressphoto.org)

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## About Freundeskreis Willy-Brandt-Haus (FkWBH)

Freundeskreis Willy-Brandt-Haus was founded in 1996 as a non-profit association. Since the opening of the Willy Brandt Haus, FkWBH has provided a varied free programme of events at the interface of culture and politics. In addition to the regular exhibitions, readings, discussions and film evenings are also offered to a wide audience. [www.fkwbh.de](http://www.fkwbh.de)

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## About World Press Photo Foundation

The World Press Photo Foundation is a global platform connecting photojournalists, documentary photographers and worldwide audiences through trustworthy storytelling. World Press Photo was founded in 1955 when a group of Dutch photographers organized a contest ("World Press Photo") to expose their work to an international audience. Since then, the World Press Photo Contest has grown into one of the world's most prestigious competitions, rewarding the best in photojournalism and documentary photography from around the world. Through a successful worldwide exhibition program, the World Press Photo Foundation presents to millions of people the stories that matter.

The World Press Photo Foundation is a creative, independent, nonprofit organization, based in Amsterdam, The Netherlands. World Press Photo receives support from strategic partners, the Dutch Postcode Lottery and PwC.

For more information, visit [www.worldpressphoto.org](http://www.worldpressphoto.org) or follow on [Facebook](#), [Instagram](#), [Twitter](#) und [YouTube](#).