



Closing date for registration of entries : september 1st, 2005

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SOUND IS ART

"The Loud-speaker is probably the greatest common denominator in all our lives to-day. Video, multimedia, car radios, mobile phones are all crafting a new life for sound. In all domains sound is an objet of research, of reflexion. It is essential to open up creative, imaginative spaces for sound. And to encourage people to listen." Christian Leblé

01•Background

- Among the prizes awarded for acoustic creation, the Phonurgia Nova competition has, since 1986, occupied a special place by virtue of its recognition of artists whose work exploits sound as a medium for expressing the real and the imaginary.
- The contest is **open to all** radio station formats and to all authors, independant radio producers, musicians, composers, sound artists. An international jury panel made up of representatives from the radio industry, the press and the sound art world judge the entries. In 2003, 150 productions from 19 different countries were entered in the prize.

02•Call for Works

- This year's competition will distinguish authors whose work manifests a keen sense of **sound and listening as means of expression.**
- The jury will deliberate on two areas :
- **A) Radio** Arts will privilige all forms of inventive radiophonic creation: documentary, feature,
- fiction, essays, interviews, radio mix, Hörspiel, experimental forms etc. **B) New Media** awards will go to sound installations or works which have been specially created for "new media" to bring new experiences in sound art to listeners mobile phone, audioblog, website.
- In each category the jury will deliberate on two types of work :
 1) completed productions
 2) projects

03•How to apply

- The competition is open to all artists without exception and for any work produced later than 2001, regardless of language, format, duration or genre.
- Each work or project submitted must be accompanied by a separate registration form, filled out in English or in French, and must be sent on a separate CD or other digital medium.

Each submission must include :

- for finished products: a digital copy or transfer of the work (audio CD or DVD) , accompanied by a well documented presentation of the work
- for projects: a description and/or maquette and/or a scenario of the project, accompanied by any documentation which could inform the jury as to the intention of and the technical facilities required for completion of the piece.
- a biography of the author(s) and general information concerning his (their) habitual manner of working (this will not be given to the jury).

- an authorization to participate from the production or the co-authors of the works submitted
- 30 euros registration fee for each work submitted to the competition (there is a limit of two works per author).
- One application form per project or production (and not one per author/producer)

04•Prizes

• The jury will award: one Radio Arts prize and one New Media prize each of 1 500 euros and three artist's residencies at GRM/INA, IMEB and GMVL, (three famous french sound art centers located in Paris, Bourges and Lyon). Ten works will be selected in each area for presentation at the third Festival de l'Ecoute, Arles, july 2006. Additional prizes could be given at this time.

05•Deadlines

- The closing date for registration of entries: September 1, 2005.
- Results will be announced on Saturday, October 1, 2005, in Paris at la Maison du Geste et de l'Image. The terms of artist-in residence will be organized during the year 2005-2006, in accordance with dates chosen by the prize winners. Prize winning works, or works produced during residencies, will be auditioned or exhibited at the Festival de l'écoute, Arles, 2006 and also by the associated production partners.

06•A listening room

• From September 30th, an online "listening room" on **www.transradio.org** will enable visitors to have access to the selected works

07•Sound archives

 All the materials received at the PHonurgia Nova contest will constitue a permanent archive of audio works. This archive will be opened to the public.

08•Further information

• For further information about this competition, please feel free to contact the Phonurgia Nova office in Arles:

Phonurgia Nova 39, rue Genive, 13200 Arles - France tél. + 33 (0) 4 90 93 79 79 fax. + 33 (0) 4 90 93 86 23 email : concours@phonurgia.org







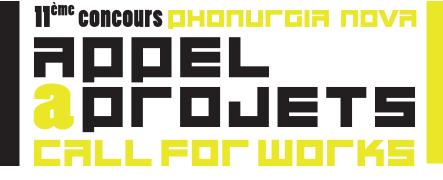












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Entry Form
To be returnbefore September 1st, 2005 to :

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tél. + 33 (0)4 90 93 79 79

email: concours@phonurgia.org

Entry	a title to the	Phonurgia Nova	Awards implies	the full and entire	acceptance of the	he rules and regulations
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Full name		
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Signature	Date	
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Category entered (spare)		
Radio Arts	New Media	
Project	Completed Prod	luctions
Timing		
For completed productio	ns,	
date and place of first br		on
Name of the co-authors a	and producer (if differe	ent from the author)
Technical informations a	bout the material you	send

All payment from outside France must be made by Internatinal Moneyr order, by a cheque written on a bank located in France or by direct bank to bank to bank to bank transfer to Association PHONURGIA NOVA, Bank: BNP Arles, 10 place de la République, 13200 Arles, IBAN FR76 3000 4000 0201 4673195 BIC BNPAFR PPNIM. All bank charges must be prepaid. Not refunds will be made.