



TFL Photo Competition

RULES

1. **Who may participate?**

The competition is open to all current TFL staff including trainees, technicians, and supporting team members, to capture and illustrate their work in photographic images.

Each photographer may submit no more than **one (1)** picture strip per competition. *For an example of the picture strip, check out the front page of the TFL website.*

2. **Themes:**

Entrants should showcase their ongoing work at TFL. Photos submitted may include, but are not limited to the following:

- People in action
- Images that tell a story
- Images illustrating a particular scientific project or area, microscope shots, computer screen images etc.
- Scenes of events or particular sites (i.e. flow core)

3. **Photo details:**

All photo entries must comply with the following specifications:

- The picture strip can be composed of one (1) to four (4) pictures.
- Size: 1.85 inches by 0.55 inches. The picture strip must be in this size in order to be posted on the TFL website front page (check out the TFL website for an example).
- Pictures should be in color, unless aesthetically necessary.
- Pictures must be in the format of JPEG, PSD or BMP, with a minimum resolution of 300 dpi.

All entries should be individual original work by the contestant, i.e., no other party has any right, title, claim, or interest in the entry (see 7. -“Rights” below).

Photographers must obtain the consent of all subjects in their works. In submitting the photographs, the contestant certifies that he/she has obtained this consent and can produce written evidence if necessary.

4. **Submission procedure & deadline:**

Entries must emailed to: Amy Yu (ayu@bccancer.bc.ca), with '**PHOTO COMPETITION**' in the Subject field.

The following information must accompany each photo strip submitted. Make sure that you include these information in the body of your submission emails:

- Name of photographer
- Date photograph was taken



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- Short description about the photo (up to 50 words)
 - An one-line caption for the photo strip.
 - Title of relevant TFL project (if applicable)

The deadline for receiving all email entries is 5:00PM on the 25th of each month.
The winners will be announced at the following WIP.

The digital images submitted will not be returned.

5. Who are the judges?

- Dr. Ryan Brinkman, Senior Scientist
- Dr. Andrew Weng, Senior Scientist

6. Criteria for judging:

The picture strip will be judged based on the following criteria:

- Visual Impact and Creativity – 50%
- Direct relevance to TFL themes– 25%
- Technical excellence – 25%

The decision of the judges is final.

7. Prizes for Winning Entries:

2 x CAD\$50 cash each month

Winning entries will be specifically showcased on the front page of the TFL website.

To be eligible for the prizes, all contestants must be presented at the WIP session in which the winners are announced.

8. Rights:

By entering the contest, the contestant agrees to these rules and accepts that the decisions of the judges are final and binding.

The contestant grants TFL the unrestricted and exclusive rights to use the submitted photograph(s) for any purpose. This includes, but is not limited to, publishing the photograph(s) in print or electronic form for promotional purposes without further compensation, and the right to use the photographers name as a credit along with the photograph. The photographer must own all rights to any photographs entered in this contest. It is the responsibility of the contestant to ensure that publication of the photographs raises no legal claims. Photograph(s) previously published in full or in part in other publications, contests etc, may be disqualified.

TFL may crop, edit, electronically manipulate or otherwise alter any photographs



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received in this competition, and decide whether or how the photograph is used.