

# Photographer's Forum Magazine and SIGMA present 38<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL SPRING PHOTOGRAPHY **CONTEST**



**24-35mm F2 DG HSM | Art**  
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**GIFT**  
**2 FREE ISSUES OF Photographer's FORUM**  
to all entrants in the U.S. and Canada

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**WINNING PHOTOS** will be published in the November 2018 issue of *Photographer's Forum* magazine. All contest finalists will be published in the hardcover book *Best of Photography 2018*.

### FEES AND DEADLINES

- Early entry fees as low as \$1.95 per photo. Must be postmarked or uploaded no later than April 13, 2018.
- Final entry fees as low as \$2.95 per photo. Must be postmarked or uploaded no later than May 18, 2018.
- Rights remain with photographer. Subject matter is open.
- Finalists notified by July 27, 2018. Winners notified by August 10, 2018.

**ENTER ONLINE: [contests.pfmagazine.com](http://contests.pfmagazine.com)**

### OR TO ENTER BY MAIL:

- Send black & white or color prints or slides. **Do not send disks.**
- Prints must be unmounted 9x12 or smaller.
- Label every photo with your name and address, and indicate which edge is the top.
- All entries **MUST** include payment, entry form, and photographs.
- Make checks payable to Photographer's Forum.
- If you want your prints or slides returned, enclose a self-addressed, stamped envelope (SASE) large enough to hold them. Photos will be returned after 9/4/2018. Work with no SASE will be discarded.

### FIRST PLACE GRAND PRIZE: \$2,000

cash award from *Photographer's Forum* PLUS  
Sigma 24-35mm F2 DG HSM | Art lens (\$999)\*

### SECOND PLACE: \$1,500

cash award from *Photographer's Forum* PLUS  
Sigma 24mm 1.4 DG HSM | ART lens (\$849)\*

### THIRD PLACE: \$1,000

cash award from *Photographer's Forum*

### FOURTH PLACE: Five \$125 awards

### 100 HONORABLE MENTIONS

All Honorable Mentions will be listed in the November 2018 issue of *Photographer's Forum* magazine and will receive a gold embossed certificate of outstanding merit.

**ELIGIBILITY** This contest is open to all amateur photographers in the United States, Canada, and around the world.

### VISIT

Sigma at [www.sigmaphoto.com](http://www.sigmaphoto.com)  
Photographer's Forum at [www.pfmagazine.com](http://www.pfmagazine.com)

\* Lens award for US residents only. First and Second Place winners in all other countries will receive additional award of \$500 in lieu of lens.

## Winners and Finalists Will Be Published in 2018!

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YES! I want to enter the 38th Annual Spring Contest. Please consider my work for publication in future issues of *Photographer's Forum* magazine. Please send me the next two issues of *Photographer's Forum* (US & Canada only).

**Early Entry:**  1 photo for \$5.95 //  2-5 photos for \$24.75 //  6-10 photos for \$39.50 //  11-40 photos for \$78.00

**Final Entry:**  1 photo for \$6.95 //  2-5 photos for \$29.75 //  6-10 photos for \$49.50 //  11-40 photos for \$118.00

PHOTOGRAPHER'S NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

CITY: \_\_\_\_\_ STATE: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_ COUNTRY: \_\_\_\_\_

E-MAIL: \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE: (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Check or money order enclosed (U.S. funds only), made payable to *Photographer's Forum*.

MasterCard  Visa ACCOUNT NO: \_\_\_\_\_ EXP. DATE (MO/YR): \_\_\_\_\_

Cardholder's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ SECURITY CODE: \_\_\_\_\_

To enter prints or slides by mail, send them to **Photographer's Forum, 813 Reddick Street, Dept. W, Santa Barbara, CA 93103**. **Photographer's Forum** reserves the right to publish all contest winners and finalists. Although caution will be exercised with all work, **Photographer's Forum** is not responsible for damage.