

APPALACHIAN FILM FESTIVAL 2010 DOCUMENTARY JUDGING FORM

Name of Documentary: _____

The following questions are judged on a scale of 1 to 10. The values should fall into a range of: 1 = Worst, 3 = Needs A Lot of Work, 5 = Average, 7 = Very Good, 9 = Excellent, & 10 = Five Star Documentary.

1. STORY / central theme and overall integrity.

- a. Does the documentary effectively chronicle an event(s), person(s) or effectively present a viewpoint? _____
- b. How well does the structure support the theme? _____
- c. How effectively does the documentary utilize the archival photographs and footage? _____
- d. How well does the documentary utilize the story-telling abilities of the interviewee? _____
- e. Does the documentary opening draw the viewer's attention to the body of the story? _____
- f. How well does the documentary present the issues and questions of its subject? _____
- g. Does the documentary leave the viewer with a better understanding of the subject matter? _____

2. CINEMATOGRAPHY and EDITING:

- a. Does the camera work enhance the documentary? _____
- b. Does the editing enhance the documentary? _____
- c. Does the soundtrack enhance and compliment the visual component? _____

3. DIRECTING:

- a. Does the director make appropriate use of narration? _____
- b. How well does the director visually communicate the message of the work? _____
- c. Does the music enhance the documentary? _____

TOTAL SCORE:

(highest possible score is 130) _____

JUDGE'S SIGNATURE: _____

Spell Name: _____

Phone Number: _____

E:mail: _____

Completed Forms: MUST BE SIGNED and have name and phone number and email.

Form may be scanned and emailed in PDF format to: cdlusher@gmail.com or appyfilmfest@gmail.com

Form and Documentary Film may be dropped off at either Huntington Realty Corp. 630 1/2 Seventh Avenue, Huntington WV or the Cabell-Huntington Convention & Visitors Bureau Inc. at Heritage Station, 210 Eleventh Street, Huntington, WV - (304) 525-7333

Any questions: Call Chris Lusher, 2010 Appalachian Film Festival Chair (304)-690-2500