

Co-Production Market | Waves Doc Bazaar at MIFF 2026

Rules and Regulations

1. The application form must be submitted in the English language only, regardless of the final language of the film.
2. This application form is only for submitting the film to the Co-Production Market. This form should not be confused with registration to Waves Doc Bazaar as a delegate.
3. Multiple projects can be submitted by any producer or director. However, only one project of either the Director or the Producer will be selected.
4. Only films with South Asian themes are eligible. Else, the filmmaker or at least one of the Co-Producers of the film should be from India / South Asia. In case of an anomaly, please write to miffdoccpm@nfdcindia.com for clarification.
5. The Co-Production Market is only eligible to projects having a producer attached and at least 15% of the financing in place.
6. **The Co-Production Market is open to ONLY Documentary and Animation projects that are of mid-length and feature length. Projects under 30 minutes are currently not accepted for this edition.**
7. The project is only eligible if the principal photography has NOT begun.
8. Applications will be processed only after receipt of application fee.
9. The Deadline for the applications is May 15, 2026 (11:59 pm IST) **Submission Fee | INR 5000**
10. Only the Director(s) and Producer(s) specified on the application form will be considered as project representatives and are eligible to attend the Co-Production Market and be included in the catalogue.
11. Once the project is selected, you cannot remove or replace a project representative (director/producer) as that will lead to the disqualification of the project. However, if any project has a new addition in their team post selection, please write to the Co-Production Market team for clarifications and the way forward.
12. Once the project is selected it is mandatory to submit a Video Pitch for presentation at Open Pitch at the Waves Doc Bazaar (for more information please refer to FAQ)

13. All communication will be directed only to the primary contact person as reflected on the application form. Once the application procedure is complete, Waves Doc Bazaar may ask for additional project information, if needed. Kindly ensure that the primary contact person is available to respond to emails promptly.
14. Once the project is selected, either the Producer or the Director of the project must be present for all three days (June 16th – 18th 2026) of the market.
15. The selected participants will be familiarized with the Co-Production Market's operations prior to the bazaar dates.
- 16. Waves Doc Bazaar will take care of the accommodation and accreditation of ONLY 1 participant per project to the Co-Production Market. The other participant may also attend the meetings provided they do their own delegate registration.**
17. The maximum number of representatives per project who can attend one-on-one meetings is limited to 2.
- 18. Travel/Airfare of participants will be at their own expense.**
19. In case of international applicants, the participant is required to procure the necessary conference/ business visa on his/her own. Waves Doc Bazaar will provide all the necessary documents for the same. (This process can be time consuming. Please anticipate and allow enough time for Visa Processing.)
20. Once submitted the information on the application form cannot be edited.
21. Rights of admission reserved.
22. The decision of Waves Doc Bazaar on selection of an application will be final and binding.
23. Waves Doc Bazaar reserves the right to invite a project.
24. Waves Doc Bazaar reserves the right to change Terms & Conditions of the programs without prior intimation.

For any queries please write to miffdoccpm@nfdcindia.com
