

Press release: Filmit nominees announced

The Filmit competition is in the final and exciting phase where nominees in each of the competition's categories have been announced. Filmit is a short film competition for high school learners from Southern Africa. Bradley Joshua (Gambit Films), Louis Pretorius and Albert Snyman (Infinity Films), Zandré Coetzer and Charl van der Merwe (Nagvlug Films), composer Braam du Toit and the owners of Annie's Wardrobe served as Filmit's panel of judges. Nineteen of the twenty initial finalists completed their films and submitted them in October 2021. Below are the nominees for the first annual Filmit competition as hosted by Paul Roos Gymnasium, Atterbury and WeBuyCars.

Filmit is proud to announce the FILMIT 2021 NOMINEES

Three nominees in each category have been identified. The winner will be announced at our gala event at Atlantic Studios in Cape Town on 10 December 2021. Congratulations to the following schools:

BEST FILM

Duwweltjie, Paul Roos Gymnasium

Status Bewus, Kalahari High School

Theatre Kid, Hoër Meisieskool Bloemhof

BEST DIRECTOR

Bernard Robbins, **Cascade**, Rondebosch Boys' High

Jaeden Beukes, **Conflict: A Journey to Passion**, Worcester High School

Riyago Maartens, **A magician never reveals his secrets**, Curro Durbanville

BEST SCREENPLAY

Mia Erasmus, **The Gingerbread House**, Afrikaanse Hoër Meisieskool

Myasah Al-absi, **What drove her to madness**, Groote Schuur High School

Zia Geldenhuys, **Theatre Kid**, Hoër Meisieskool Bloemhof

BEST CINEMATOGRAPHY

Michael Lighton, **Cascade**, Rondebosch Boys' High

Pieter Wessels, Philip Ham & Joubert Vivier, **Duwweltjie**, Paul Roos Gymnasium

Zia Geldenhuys, **Theatre Kid**, Hoër Meisieskool Bloemhof

BEST EDITING

Michael Lighton & Bernard Robbins, **Cascade**, Rondebosch Boys' High

Robin Pheiffer, **Search**, Fairmont High

Zia Geldenhuys, **Theatre Kid**, Hoër Meisieskool Bloemhof

BEST SPECIAL EFFECTS & CREATIVITY ON SET

Duwweltjie, Paul Roos Gymnasium

Search, Fairmont High

Theatre Kid, Hoër Meisieskool Bloemhof

BEST SOUNDTRACK

Conflict: A journey to passion, Worcester Gymnasium

Duwweltjie, Paul Roos Gymnasium

Theatre Kid, Hoër Meisieskool Bloemhof

BEST WARDROBE

A magician never reveals his secrets, Curro Durbanville

Status Bewus, Kalahari High School

The Art of Colour, St George's Diocesan College

BEST POSTER DESIGN

Duwweltjie, Paul Roos Gymnasium

The Art of colour, St George's Diocesan College

Theatre Kid, Hoër Meisieskool Bloemhof

BEST ACTRESS

Logan Davids, **Too bright to shine**, Mitchell's Plain High School

Luchuané Hechter, **Theatre Kid**, Hoër Meisieskool Bloemhof

Myasah Al-absi, **What drove her to madness**, Groote Schuur High School

BEST ACTOR

Kgothatso Kgopa, **The Gingerbread House**, Afrikaanse Hoër Meisieskool

Roché Meyer, **Duwweltjie**, Paul Roos Gymnasium

Xavier Griqua, **Status Bewus**, Kalahari High School

BEST SUPPORTING ACTRESS

Isabella Cupido, **A magician never reveals his secrets**, Curro Durbanville

Kalia Jordaan, **Status Bewus**, Kalahari High School

Mia Erasmus, **The Gingerbread House**, Afrikaanse Hoër Meisieskool

BEST SUPPORTING ACTOR

Gihaan Steenkamp, **Toue en Kloue**, Parkdene High School

Mark Claassen, **Toue en Kloue**, Parkdene High School

Tristan Badenhorst, **The Gingerbread House**, Afrikaanse Hoër Meisieskool

BEST ENSEMBLE

Status Bewus, Kalahari High School

The Gingerbread House, Afrikaanse Hoër Meisieskool

Too bright to shine, Mitchell's Plain High School

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Media invites to the award ceremony will be provided by Monday 22 November 2021.

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