IOLUG Logo Contest Official Rules

This document describes the official rules of the IOLUG Logo Contest. The object of this contest is to design a logo for IOLUG. Read more about IOLUG at - http://www.iolug.org/about/

Definitions

"Entry" means a logo design created by the Entrant for this Contest. "Entrant" means the individual that offers the Entry under the terms of this Contest.

Eligibility

- 1. The Contest is open to everyone, although board members are not eligible for a prize.
- 2. Entrants must be 18 years of age to enter into a contract with IOLUG as required below, or have a parent or guardian sign the contract.

How to Enter

Initial Entries must be submitted in one of the following ways:

- Emailed to iolug-bd@iolug.org. Please use the subject line: IOLUG Logo Contest.
- Read more about IOLUG at http://www.iolug.org/about/
- Entries must be submitted in PNG format. See Submission Guidelines for further information. Entries must include at least the name and email address of the Entrant. File names for Entries should include the Entrant's Last Name.
- There are no limits on submissions by any one Entrant.
- Entries must conform to the Submission Guidelines. Entries which fail to do so will not be considered.
- The IOLUG Logo Contest will open on June 21, 2016. All Entries must be submitted by midnight on September 16, 2016.
- We will attempt to acknowledge all Entries by email, however we cannot be held responsible for Entries lost in the mail or world-wide-web.
- There is no fee to enter the contest.

Submission Guidelines

The purpose of the contest is to design a logo for IOLUG. The logo will be used on stationery, online, in print, on the website, on displays, and more. IOLUG is an organization that provides opportunities for individuals to share and learn about current trends in libraries and technology to inspire innovation. We encourage Entrants of all ages.

- The logo will need to resize easily, and will look good in black and white as well as in color.
- The logo needs to look good at relatively small sizes as well as larger sizes.
- Entrants should take care to ensure that their Entries are not in any way similar to existing logos or other copyrighted images.
- The logo should incorporate the organization's name "IOLUG."
- Entries must be submitted in PNG format. Due to the requirements of high quality printing, an additional copy in SVG format may be required.
- Up to 3 colors may be used, but the final logo must also look good in black and white. Colors should be CMYK or RGB if possible. Please identify CMYK or RGP numbers if known.
- Because the final version of the logo will need to be suitable for high quality printing, IOLUG reserves the right to make necessary adjustments in color, size, file format, etc.

Prizes

Artist(s) whose logo is ultimately selected will receive a certificate of appreciation, recognition by the IOLUG Board, and a cash prize of \$100 dollars.

Judging and Selection of the winner(s)

- The winning design will be selected by the IOLUG Board. Their decision will be final. No further correspondence shall be entered into.
- The IOLUG Board reserves the right not to select a winner if, in its sole discretion, no suitable Entries are received.
- IOLUG reserves the right to disqualify any Entrant or Entry at its sole discretion. No correspondence shall be entered into.

- The winner(s) will be required to sign a contract assigning all ownership of the logo to IOLUG. In the event that a minor should be selected as a winner, the contract shall be signed by both the minor and a custodial parent or guardian.
- Accepting recognition of the winning design(s) constitutes permission for IOLUG to make public and otherwise use the name(s) of the winner(s) for publicity purposes. Further personal data may be requested, but is not required.

Intellectual Property

- All submitted work must be original and not based on any pre-existing design.
- All Entries will become the sole property of IOLUG and may be displayed publicly on the web site or Facebook page.
- The Entrant agrees to transfer all rights and title to the Entry to IOLUG in accordance with the Official Rules of this Contest.
- In the event that a winning Entry may be found to infringe on existing logos or other copyrighted images, the Entrant may be held responsible for expenses accrued by IOLUG from the use of the Entry.

Acceptance

Participation in this Contest constitutes the Entrant's full and unconditional agreement to and acceptance of these Official Rules. By participating in the Contest, the Entrant is representing and warranting that he/she has read and understood, and agrees to be bound by, these rules. Including the guide and rules referred to herein, these Official Rules constitute the entire agreement between the Entrant and IOLUG in relation to the Contest. The Official Rules govern the Entrant's participation and supersede any prior or other agreements between the Entrant and IOLUG and relating to the Contest.