



KERALA STATE TELEVISION AWARDS - 2008

Kerala State Chalachitra Academy

(Department of Culture, Government of Kerala)

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Entries for Kerala State Television Awards-2008 are invited from television channels/producers/directors/individual performers, in the prescribed form in original format with the telecast certificate issued by the television channel and other relevant materials and books, columns/serial/writing on TV programme. Only those programmes telecasted between 1st January 2008 & 31st December 2008 except Tele Serial and TV Shows, which should have completed the telecast on or before 31st December 2008 shall be considered for the Television Award 2008. Entries are also invited from producers registered at the Central Board of Film Certification between 1st January 2008 & 31st December 2008. Entries for best book/article/regular column/serial on Malayalam television should have been published between 1st January 2008 & 31st December 2008. The entry forms are available at the Academy office. Those who require the entry forms by post should send a request addressed to the Secretary, along with a self-addressed envelope affixing stamps worth Rs.10/- and should be furnished to the Secretary, Kerala State Chalachitra Academy, Sasthamangalam, Thiruvananthapuram 695 010. Application in the prescribed form along with cassettes / article and other relevant materials should reach the Secretary, Kerala State Chalachitra Academy, Sasthamangalam, Thiruvananthapuram on or before **October 20, 2009, 5 PM.**

REGULATIONS

I. AIM

1. The objective of these awards is to encourage the production of television programmes of high aesthetic and technical standards and social, educational and cultural values.
2. The following categories of awards shall be given under these rules.

Tele Serial

Serials, which have more than 6 episodes and not exceeding 52 episodes, may be considered under this category. The telecast of it should have been completed on or before 31st December 2008.

Tele Film (Long)

Tele Films with duration of 20 minutes, but not exceeding 120 minutes shall be considered under this category. (Telecast/ Censored between 1st January 2008 & 31st December 2008)

Tele Film (Short)

Tele Films with duration up to 20 minutes comes under this category. (Telecast/ Censored between 1st January 2008 & 31st December 2008)

Children's Tele Film

Tele Film for children with duration of 20 minutes, but not exceeding 120 minutes shall be considered under this category. (Telecast/Censored between 1st January 2008 & 31st December 2008)

Best TV Show (Entertainment)

TV Shows telecasted for entertainment under the designed set, which have more than 6 episodes. The telecast of it should have been completed on or before 31st December 2008.

Best TV Show (Current Affairs)

TV Shows telecasted on serious topics under the designed set which have more than 6 episodes. The telecast of it should have been completed on or before 31st December 2008.

Documentary

Documentaries either in Malayalam on all general subjects or in English on subjects relating to Kerala come under this category. (Telecast/ Censored between 1st January 2008 & 31st December 2008)

Documentary on Science / Environment

Documentaries either in Malayalam or in English on Science & Environment relating to Kerala come under this category. (Telecast/ Censored between 1st January 2008 & 31st December 2008)

Documentary on Biography

Documentaries either in Malayalam or in English on biographical sketches of personalities relating to Kerala come under this category. (Telecast/ Censored between 1st January 2008 & 31st December 2008)

Documentary on Women / Children

Documentaries either in Malayalam or in English on Women / Children, relating to Kerala come under this category. (Telecast/ Censored between 1st January 2008 & 31st December 2008)

Book in Malayalam on Television

Books in Malayalam on any aspect of television programmes come under this category. Printed matter is to be submitted for consideration. (Published between 1st January 2008 & 31st December 2008)

Article in Malayalam on Television

Article on any aspect of Malayalam television programmes come under the this category. Printed matter is to be submitted for consideration. (Published between 1st January 2008 & 31st December 2008)

II. SELECTION

1. There will be a SIX member Jury which will view the original format of cassettes and select the Best Tele Series, Best Tele Serial, Tele Film, artistes and technicians for the awards. The Second Jury consisting of SIX members for documentaries and other non-fiction programmes. One member of each Committee will be an official of the Kerala State Chalachitra Academy as Member Secretary and other non-official members including the Chairman will be nominated by the Government. All members shall be persons who are distinguished in the field of visual arts.
2. Another separate committee will also be constituted to examine and select the best writing on Malayalam television programmes. The committee will consist of FOUR members. An official of Kerala State Chalachitra Academy will be the Member Secretary of this Committee. The other three members of the Committee including the Chairman will be nominated by the Government from among Malayalam / English writers with sufficient background in visual arts.
3. The term of the non- official members of the committee will be three months from the date of constitution of the committee or till the Committee submits its recommendations to the Academy whichever is earlier.
4. The quorum of the committee shall be more than half the number of members.
5. No person who has a share in the production or distribution of any Series, Serial, Tele Film or Documentary entered for the competition shall be a member of the committee. No person from a television channel shall be a member of the committee.
6. The awards shall be decided by the Govt. of Kerala on the recommendations of the committee.
7. The Secretary, Kerala State Chalachitra Academy will arrange the screening of the cassettes of the Serials, Tele Films, and Documentaries etc. for the jury.

RULES

- I.** These rules shall be called the Rules for the Kerala State Television Awards - 2008.
- II.** A person who participates in the Kerala State Television Awards under these rules shall be deemed to have accepted these rules.
- III.** The decisions of the Government of Kerala shall be final in respect of the Awards and interpretations of these Rules. No appeal shall lie against them.
- IV.**
 1. All entries should be attached with a telecast certificate issued from any television channel indicating the time and date of telecast. The entries without telecast certificate or the certificate of registration from the Central Board of Film Certification shall not be considered for awards.
 2. The applications for entry shall be in the prescribed form, which will be supplied by the Kerala State Chalachitra Academy on request in writing.
 3. Entries addressed to the Secretary, Kerala State Chalachitra Academy, Sasthamangalam, Thiruvananthapuram- 695 010 should reach on or before 19th July 2008, 5 PM along with the following items.
 - a. New Cassettes of the Programme in original format entered for the award.
 - b. Seven copies of the synopsis, which shall not exceed 10 lines.
 - c. Seven copies of the cast mentioning the respective role against each Name and the residential address of each artiste along with their phone numbers.
 - d. Original Telecast certificate from the television channel, indicating the time and date of telecast with viewer-ship rating if any along with the details of the producer, director, actors and technicians of the programmes submitted.
 - e. Stills of the programme, photographs of director, technicians and artists with bio data.

4. Separate entries shall be submitted in respect of each category.
5. Entries for the award for best writing on Television Programmes shall be entered by the author or publisher. But the award shall be given to the author.
6. Entries for the award for the Best Writing on Malayalam TV shall be submitted by the author or Publisher along with **(a) Six copies of the book or article, (b) Short biographical sketch of the author along with two photographs.**
7. Kerala State Chalachitra Academy shall take all reasonable care of the cassettes submitted, but it shall not be responsible for any loss or damage while in its custody.
8. Entries submitted in one category shall not be eligible for entry in another category.
9. No Award shall be given in a category for which the number of entries received is less than two except in children's programmes, even if there is only one children's programme it will be considered, and given an award if it is found to be excellent.
10. The committees shall have the discretion not to recommend the grant of any particular award.
11. Canvassing in any form shall make the entry invalid and disqualify it for awards.

V. The awards shall be presented to the winners at a function which shall be held at such place and on such date as the State Government may decide. In case of inability to attend the function the awards shall be collected from the Secretary, Kerala State Chalachitra Academy on any working day within one month after the day of the function.

VI. The Government shall reserve the right to retain and screen the award winning programmes (cassettes) with or without tickets in connection with functions organised by Kerala State Chalachitra Academy for the Government of Kerala.

In the Fiction category, the following awards shall be given

1	Award for the Best Tele Serial	A cash award of Rs.25,000, a replica and a Certificate to the Producer A cash award of Rs.25,000, a replica and a Certificate to the Director A cash award of Rs.15,000, a replica and a Certificate to the Script Writer.
2	Award for the Second Best Tele Serial	A cash award of Rs.15,000, a replica and a certificate to the Producer A cash award of Rs.15,000, a replica and a certificate to the Director
3	Award for the Best Tele Film (Below 20 min)	A cash award of Rs.15,000, a replica and a certificate to the Producer A cash award of Rs.15,000, a replica and a certificate to the Director A cash award of Rs.10,000, a replica and a certificate to the Script Writer.
4	Award for the Best Tele Film (above 20 minutes)	A cash award of Rs.20,000, a replica and a certificate to the Producer A cash award of Rs.20,000, a replica and a certificate to the Director A cash award of Rs.15,000, a replica and a certificate to the Script Writer.
5	Award for the Best Story Writer of Tele Serial/ Tele Film	A cash award of Rs.10,000, a replica and a certificate
6	Award for the Best TV Show	A cash award of Rs.20,000, a replica and a certificate to the Producer.
7	Award for the Best Dubbing Artist	A cash award of Rs.10,000, a replica and a certificate to the male dubbing artist. A cash award of Rs.10,000, a replica and a certificate to the female dubbing artist.
8	Award for the Best Children's Short Film	A cash award of Rs.20,000, a replica and a certificate to the Producer. A cash award of Rs.20,000, a replica and a certificate to the Director. A cash award of Rs.15,000, a replica and a certificate to the Script Writer.
9	Award for the Best Actor of the Tele Serial / Tele Film	A cash award of Rs.15,000, a replica and a certificate
10	Award for the Best second Actor of Tele Serial/ Tele Film	A cash award of Rs. 10,000, a replica and a certificate
11	Award for the Best Actress of Tele Serial/ Tele Film	A cash award of Rs. 15,000, a replica and a certificate
12	Award for the Best second Actress of Tele Serial/ Tele Film	A cash award of Rs.10,000, a replica and a certificate
13	Award for the Best Child Artiste of the year of Tele Serial/ Tele Film (Selected from Individual performers in Tele Serial/Tele Film)	A cash award of Rs.10,000, a replica and a certificate

14	Award for the Best Cameraman of Tele Serial/ Tele Film	A cash award of Rs. 15,000, a replica and a certificate
15	Award for the Best Editor of Tele Serial/ Tele Film	A cash award of Rs.15,000, a replica and a certificate
16	Award for the Best Music Director of Tele Serial/ Tele Film	A cash award of Rs.15,000, a replica and a certificate
17	Award for the Best Sound Recordist of Tele Serial/ Tele Film	A cash award of Rs.15,000, a replica and a certificate
18	Award for the Best Art Director of Tele Serial/ Tele Film	A cash award of Rs.15,000, a replica and a certificate

In the Non Fiction category, the following awards shall be given

1.	Award for the Best documentary	A cash award of Rs.20,000, a replica and a certificate to the Producer. A cash award of Rs.15,000, a replica and a certificate to the Director.
2.	Award for the Best Documentary on Science & Environment	A cash award of Rs.15,000, a replica and a certificate to the Producer. A cash award of Rs.10,000, a replica and a certificate to the Director.
3.	Award for the Best Documentary on Biography	A cash award of Rs.15,000, a replica and a certificate to the Producer. A cash award of Rs.10,000, a replica and a certificate to the Director.
4.	Award for the Best Documentary on Women /Children	A cash award of Rs.15,000, a replica and a certificate to the Producer. A cash award of Rs.10,000, a replica and a certificate to the Director.
5.	Award for the Best Director in Documentary	A cash award of Rs.15,000, a replica and a certificate
6.	Best News Camera Person	A cash award of Rs.10,000, a replica and a certificate
7.	Award for the Best Presenter of News (will be selected from individual News presenters)	A cash award of Rs.15,000, a replica and a certificate
8.	Award for the Best Comper /Anchor (will be selected from individual Comperes in all subjects except news)	A cash award of Rs.10,000, a replica and a certificate
9.	Award for the Best Commentator (Out of vision)	A cash award of Rs.10,000, a replica and a certificate
10.	Award for the Best Current Affairs Anchor/Interviewer	A cash award of Rs.10,000, a replica and a certificate
11.	Award for the Best Investigative Journalist	A cash award of Rs.10,000, a replica and a certificate
12.	Best Award for TV Show (Current Affairs)	A cash award of Rs.20,000, a replica and a certificate to the Producer
13.	Award for the Best Programme for Children	A cash award of Rs.15,000, a replica and a certificate to the Producer A cash award of Rs.15,000, a replica and a certificate to the Director

In the Writing in Malayalam on Television Category the following award shall be given

1	Book in Malayalam on TV	A cash award of Rs.10,000, a replica and a certificate to the author.
2.	Article in Malayalam on TV	A cash award of Rs.10,000, a replica and a certificate to the author.

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