

# CIC Wildlife Photo Prize 2019 – ready, steady, shoot!

Organised by the  
International Council for Game and Wildlife Conservation (CIC)

The CIC Wildlife Photo Prize aims to stimulate observations in the field and an awareness of the aesthetic value of wildlife and hunting. Another aim is to suggest that the passion for hunting can find an expression in different ways – photography being another facet of a passion for wildlife. The competition links hunters and non-hunting lovers of wildlife.

The theme of the 2019 photo prize is "**Wildlife up close**".

The competition is open to all interested amateur and professional photographers.

Prize: appearance in major international hunting magazines

Deadline: **28 February 2019**.

Please send your applications to [photo@cic-wildlife.org](mailto:photo@cic-wildlife.org).

## General Rules

- Photographs already submitted to previous CIC competitions will not be accepted.
- Each photographer may submit a maximum of 2 photographs
- We appreciate if you provide us with the description of the circumstances under which the photograph was taken;
- All correspondence will be by email only, exclusively in English, French or German;
- All participants must sign and send in the "Acknowledgment of Rules" as stated hereafter.

### Submission of photos

Nominated photos must be submitted to a dedicated e-mail address: [photo@cic-wildlife.org](mailto:photo@cic-wildlife.org)

- colour balance rectification etc. is permitted, but no montage;
- the following format can be accepted: JPEG;
- single e-mail size should not exceed 10 MB;
- Candidates are strongly advised to add their name, postal and email address in the email or as attached document.

**Deadline for submission**  
**28 February 2019!**

## At the General Assembly in Windhoek...

The selected photographs will be exhibited during the 66th CIC General Assembly, from 2-4 May 2019, and they will be submitted to an international jury. The chosen photographs will be awarded with prizes (1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> prize in each category and an audience prize).

The winners will be announced during the Closing session of the 66th CIC General Assembly on 4 May 2019 and they will be informed after the General Assembly within one month.

## After the competition...

All photo files and other documents sent in will be retained by the CIC but without any rights of the participants to such retention. The participating photographs will be sent to the CIC museum in Palárikovo, Slovakia or to the Headquarters in Budakeszi, Hungary. Prize winning photographs will be exhibited there. The copyright of all pictures remains the property of the photographers, with the provision that:

1. Participants declare to agree that the participating photos to the competition may be used by the CIC in all its publications, including websites, exhibitions and for the benefit of the organisation or to support the CIC's statutory goals while mentioning the photographers name at no charge;
2. The CIC cannot be held responsible for the fraudulent reproduction by a third party of the selected photographs published in the above-mentioned documents;
3. All legal proceedings are governed by Austrian law and by the courts in Vienna, the legal seat of the CIC.
4. All legal claims with respect to procedure and the awards excluded.

**For more information please contact the CIC Headquarters**

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## Special Rules for the competition of 2019

**NB:** To participate in the competition, the signed "Acknowledgement of the rules" below must accompany the initial presentation of photos as scanned attachment or included to the email text!

### ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF THE RULES

For the CIC Members' Photo Contest

I acknowledge and accept the rules for the CIC Photo Prizes 2019 as published by the CIC, and agree to be bound by them, in particular by the following rules:

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Name / First name of the photographer

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Postal Address .....

E-mail .....

*Please state in handwriting:* "read and approved"

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Date ..... Place .....

Signature .....