19th Annual International Ocean Film Festival
PADI Blueprint for the Ocean Student Filmmaker Award
Rules and Qualifications

- **Submission Requirement**: To be considered, the filmmaker must include the PADI Blueprint for Action in their film and may focus on one of the five areas of the Blueprint or all five, including the Blueprint goal(s) of the area of their choosing. [https://blog.padi.com/padi-and-aware-announce-bold-blueprint-for-ocean-action/](https://blog.padi.com/padi-and-aware-announce-bold-blueprint-for-ocean-action/)

- **Call to Action**: The winning film will successfully include a clear call to action for the audience, connecting the PADI Blueprint to one or more tangible actions that can be taken either by the individual, above or below the surface, in order to drive global ocean impact.

- **Permissions**: Students that submit their films to this category must grant permission to PADI to show their films via PADI marketing and communications. Video credit will be given to the filmmaker whenever published or shared.

- **Award Prize**: The Award includes a cash prize of $500 USD for the winner in each age group (Middle School and High School) plus a PADI E-Learning course voucher, redeemable online.

- **Award Announcement**: Winners will be announced at the 11th Annual Student Film Competition Program presented at the 19th Annual IOFF April 7 – 10, 2022.