



Contest 2026 General Regulations "Visions of Africa".

Promoting company: Kanaga Adventure Tours Sarl, based in Sotuba ACI rnc, Bamako (Mali).

Objective of the competition:

The "Visions of Africa" Photo Contest aims at the creation and publication of a special 2027 calendar by the Promoting Company.

The activity is excluded from the regulations of prize-winning events, as this competition is promoted with the aim of using the works created, specifically using the images collected for the publication of a photographic calendar and for the Promoting Company's promotional materials.

Duration:

The Contest will last from 19 September to 04 October 2026.

In particular, the following periods will be envisaged:

- From 19 September to 04 October 2026: registration and submission of photographs.
- By 02 November 2026: evaluation of the images received and selection of the 13 photographs deemed most beautiful by the Promoting Company.

Theme of the Contest:

The theme of the Contest consists of taking a photograph on the theme of "Visions of Africa".

The photos to be submitted must have been taken in one of the 54 African countries: Algeria, Angola, Benin, Botswana, Burkina Faso, Burundi, Cameroon, Cape Verde, Chad, Comoros, Ivory Coast, Egypt, Eritrea, Ethiopia, Eswatini, Gabon, Gambia, Ghana, Djibouti, Guinea, Guinea Bissau, Equatorial Guinea, Kenya, Lesotho, Liberia, Libya, Madagascar, Malawi, Mali, Mauritania, Mauritius, Morocco, Mozambique, Namibia, Niger, Nigeria, Central African Republic, Republic of Congo, Democratic Republic of Congo, Rwanda, Sao Tome and Principe, Senegal, Seychelles, Sierra Leone, Somalia, South Africa, Sudan, South Sudan, Tanzania, Togo, Tunisia, Uganda, Zambia, Zimbabwe.

Contest entry:

During the period from 19 September to 04 October 2026, it will be possible to participate in this Contest.

Participants (hereinafter "Author(s)"), in order to take part in the Contest, must send their photographs (hereinafter "Entry(s)") via WeTransfer to the email address: concorsofoto@kanaga-at.com

The Author is requested to indicate, in the title of the Entry, the name of the destination illustrated by the photograph (country and location) as well as his/her first and last name.

It is specified that the destination indicated as the title of the entry must correspond to a real place, a location existing among those indicated in the Contest theme. Fictional locations or locations other than those indicated in the Contest theme are not allowed.

Participation in the Contest automatically implies consent to the processing of data, publication of the Elaborato and full acceptance of the regulations.

The Author may submit up to a maximum of 10 Entries, not submitted in the previous editions of the Contest, exclusively with horizontal orientation and in colour.

**Participant's responsibility:**

By submitting his/her Elaborate, the Author assumes all responsibility in this regard, declaring that he/she is of age, has carefully read and accepted the Contest integral regulations and the specific requirements.

In particular, he/she shall guarantee

- That he/she is the Author and owner of all copyrights of the submitted Elaborate and that the same is the result of his/her own original creative elaboration and not copies or reproductions of third parties;
- That the entry does not contain abusive, insulting, defamatory, threatening messages or pornographic, vulgar or obscene writings and/or images, under penalty of immediate exclusion from the Contest;
- That what has been submitted is not contrary to any rule of law and in particular that the submitted work is not reproduced or in violation of intellectual property rights, moral rights, copyrights or rights for the protection of personal data of third parties (including image rights and personality rights, of which it has in any case received full and unlimited authorization from the owners, if any), as well as publication rights and in general that it complies with the provisions of the Law as well as any other applicable provisions of law
- That it guarantees that it has obtained all consents and releases for the use and dissemination of the content from all persons involved and that therefore neither the photos, nor the videos, nor any related online publications, will result in the violation of the rights of third parties
- That in the case of images depicting minors, the undersigned is the parent (or legal guardian) fully entitled to exercise parental authority;
- That I am aware that by submitting my entry, the Author, as owner of the copyrights, grants the Promoting Company the rights to use the same, free of charge, for an indefinite period for the purposes and within the terms of this Contest;
- To be aware that responsibility for the content of the entry is one's own responsibility and consequently to indemnify the Promoting Company from any damaging consequence and from any claim for compensation, including legal expenses, in relation to the failure to comply with the terms and conditions of submission; the Promoting Company, therefore, shall in no way be liable for any claims made by portrayed subjects appearing in the photographs
- To be aware that once the entry is published it will be in the public domain. The Promoter Company shall not be liable in any way for any use and/or abuse that third parties to the Promoter Company may possibly make of the entry published and/or disseminated;
- To be aware that any violation of the above may result in the immediate exclusion of the participant from the Contest.

Visibility and use of photographs:

By submitting his/her entry, the Author accepts the conditions of use of the photographs by the Promoting Company.

Each entry submitted for the purposes of this Contest may be used on the website www.kanaga-at.com and on third party websites, and in communication materials of Kanaga Africa Tours (flyers, brochures, catalogues, advertising, ...) and shared on social networks, always mentioning the name of the Author.

The Promoting Company reserves the right to disqualify material which, in its sole discretion, is damaging to the image of others, as well as offensive to public decency, religions, ethnicities, disabilities/disabilities, sexual orientation/identity, age groups and in general harmful to the dignity of persons, detrimental to the rights of others or of a tendentious, defamatory, obscene, vulgar, slanderous, offensive, insulting nature, which may be inciting to racial hatred, discriminatory or blasphemous, which constitutes a form of publicity for any commercial activity not inherent to the proposed theme, contrary to public decency and privacy laws.

**Technical requirements:**

The characteristics required for the submission of the Elaborate will be as follows:

Photograph:

- Format: jpeg
- Original size dimensions: minimum 1920px wide.
- Orientation: horizontal
- Type: colour

Title of the entry:

- Must imperatively indicate the country and place where the image was taken, as well as the author's first and last name (e.g. "Senegal, Dakar, Photo by John Smith").

Award procedures:

For the awarding of the final prizes, all Entries in good standing for the purposes of the Contest will be admitted. The final assignment will take place by 01 November 2026.

The Promoting Company, at its sole and irrevocable discretion, shall assess the Entries received according to the following criteria:

- Development of a photograph in tune with the proposed theme of the Contest;
- Originality, coherence and spontaneity.

At the end of the evaluation process, the jury will nominate thirteen (13) winning Entries in order of preference.

Participation and Limitations:

Participation in the Contest is permitted only to natural persons of legal age.

Each Author may enter the Contest 1 (one) time only.

Each Author may submit up to a maximum of 10 Entries.

Each Author may win a maximum of 3 prizes in total.

Prizes up for grabs:

The best shots will win:

1st prize:

- One (1) free double room voucher on a Kanaga Africa Tours group tour (ground services) confirmed in one of the following countries: Algeria, Benin, Ivory Coast, Guinea Bissau, Mauritania, Sao Tome and Principe, Senegal, Togo, Tunisia. This voucher must be used no later than 30 April 2027. Any requested supplements or accompanying person fee will be discounted at 5% compared to the price indicated in the program/list. Should the winner wish to participate in a trip to a country not included in those mentioned above, he/she will not be entitled to the gratuity, but may contact Kanaga Africa Tours to convert it into a discount voucher to be applied on the chosen tour;
- Publication of the photo as the cover of the Kanaga Africa Tours 2027 Calendar;
- 10 copies of the 2027 Calendar;
- Subscription to Africa Magazine for 1 year (digital copy).

**From 2nd to 13th place:**

- One (1) purchase voucher worth €200 to spend on a confirmed Kanaga Africa Tours group tour. This voucher must be used no later than 30 April 2027, and cannot be combined with other existing promotions (e.g. cannot be combined with the advanced booking promotion);
- Publication of the shot in the Kanaga Africa Tours 2027 Calendar;
- 3 copies of the 2027 Calendar;
- Subscription to Africa Magazine for 1 year (digital copy).

Winning notification:

Within 7 days from the date of the award, the Promoting Company shall contact the 13 winners by e-mail, using the address used to send the Entries, providing them with all the instructions for collecting the prize.

Promoter's Rights:

The Promoting Company reserves the right to make any and all changes it deems necessary to both the regulations and the Contest schedule for organizational reasons, as well as the right to postpone, suspend or cancel the Contest at any stage of the selection process, without any right to compensation and/or indemnity for the Authors.

Fulfilments and guarantees:

The correspondence and truthfulness of the data and information provided will be essential conditions of participation. Violation may result in the annulment of the winnings or impediment to participation.

Participation in the Contest shall entail the full and unconditional knowledge, adhesion and acceptance of all the articles of these regulations.

The Promoting Company reserves the right to request additions to the material received (the sending of photos, videos or any material that facilitates judgment) should it deem it necessary for the evaluation of the Entries. For any dispute, these terms and conditions shall prevail.