

# Organic Agriculture Centre of Canada Photo Contest 2021 Terms & Conditions

OACC is looking to feature images from the organic sector in our magazine, on our website and digital newsletter. We invite submissions of photographs that capture the spirit of the organic community in Canada for our 2021 photo contest.

#### Content

Participants are asked to submit a photo that reflects their answer to the question, "what does organic agriculture look like to you?"

Photos categories can include (but are not limited to):

- Organic vegetable production: Share a shot of your organic vegetable production, whether in your field, garden, greenhouse, or processing facility
- Organic research in action: Snap a photo of organic research! We invite photos of your trials, experiments, researchers, students, and on-farm research
- Organic field crop production: Introduce us your picturesque field crops, at any stage of growth
- Amazing organic soil: Capture the complexity and life of healthy organic soil
- Organic livestock and beyond: Show off the friends of your organic farm or gardenlivestock, insects, or animals of any shape and size

All entries must meet a minimum technical requirement will be considered for the 2021 OACC Contest's Grand Prize and all entrants must read and consent to the terms and conditions.

# **Entry Period**

Submissions will be accepted until August 31, 2021.

# Eligibility

The Photo Contest is open to professional and amateur photographers residing in Canada. Board, staff, and committee members of OACC and anyone related to the judges are not eligible for this competition. By entering the contest, you agree to and accept the official rules of the Photo Contest.

# **Technical requirements**

The Grand Prize winning photo must be a high-resolution image with a minimum of 300 dpi and a file size greater than 1 MB.

• Acceptable file formats: JPG, JPEG, PNG.

# **Submission Guidelines**

Photos must be your original work. You must be the sole author and owner of the image entered. OACC does not accept any liability for the publication of unlawfully reproduced images.

- Limit to 5 photos per entrant, per category
- Entries must be in digital format
- Digital alterations beyond standard photo optimization (cropping, reasonable adjustment of contrast, brightness, etc.) are not permitted
- OACC reserves the right to exclude any entries that include inappropriate subject matter or excessive digital alterations
- Entries can be submitted via e-mail to <u>oacc@dal.ca</u>

*Safety Reminder*: Please keep safety of you and others a top priority during the activities portrayed in photo submissions.

#### **Selection of Winners**

Photos will be judged on content, visual appeal, clarity, composition, and their ability to capture the spirit of the Saskatchewan Organic farm and sector. Photos will be judged by a panel of OACC Staff and Directors.

Grand Prize Winner will be notified by September 30, 2021. Only the winner will be contacted.

#### Submitters' Rights

You retain all rights to your submitted photographs, including ownership if applicable.

By entering your photo, you grant OACC a royalty-free, non-exclusive right to reproduce it for any purpose at any time in any media, with attribution. The images may be used in print and digital editions of Organic Science Canada magazine, OACC website, OACC digital monthly newsletter and in OACC promotional materials. The winner consents to the use of their name and/or photograph in any promotion of the Photo Contest and the winner.

#### **General Conditions**

OACC reserves the right to change the terms of or discontinue the Photo Contest without notice. OACC decision on all matters relating to the Photo Contest is final.

# Questions

Please email any questions about the Photo Contest to oacc@dal.ca