



TERMS AND CONDITIONS

- Entry submissions open on the **date: 29 January 2026**
- Entry fee: R100 per entry.
- Closing Date for Entries is Tuesday, **31 March 2026**. NO EXTENSION PERMITTED.
- The judging panel consists of respected journalists, with deep expertise in the various categories of the competition.
- Entries must consist of material originated in a South African news platform between: **1st January 2025 and 31st December 2025**.
- The Standard Bank Sikuvile Journalism Awards will be presented live in June 2026 in Johannesburg.
- Entrants may submit entries in any number of categories.
- Entries will be accepted via email entries@sikuvileawards.co.za.
- A limit of 3 entries per category will be permitted, except in Visual Journalism where up to 5 entries are permitted.
- The requirements for each entry are listed online in the categories section.
- Categories are open to individuals, teams, freelancers and institutions.
- Freelancers will also need to provide proof confirming that their entry is genuine. A declaration document is available online at www.sikuvileawards.co.za. This must be completed by both entrant and the editor and attached to the entry.
- A fee of R100 (VAT inclusive) per entry will be charged.
- The judges' decision is final, and no correspondence will be entered into.
- Entries become the property of SANEF and are not returnable.
- Entries may be utilised for display and publicity purposes for the awards and stored in a library archive.
- For clarification and assistance regarding entries, please contact Dzudzie at info@sikuvileawards.co.za.