

Geological Society of Malaysia Photographic Competition 2011

1st Prize: RM1,000.00
2nd Prize: RM 500.00
3rd Prize: RM 300.00
5 consolation prizes of RM100.00 each

Extended Deadline: 31 December 2011

Email your entry to gsmphotocompetition@gmail.com

Please read the Rules and regulations below.



Persatuan Geologi Malaysia Geological Society of Malaysia Photographic Competition 2011 Rules and regulations

1. This photographic competition is open to all members of the Society, as well as the general public.
 2. The purpose of the competition is to promote interest in the geology of Malaysia. We are especially interested in photographs that showcase the beauty and uniqueness of Malaysian geology, including geological landscapes, outcrops, specimens and photomicrographs of rocks, minerals and fossils. The subject matter and scene should be directly related to the geology of Malaysia, and located within Malaysia.
 3. Judging will be based on artistic merit, originality and quality, as well as geological content.
 4. Entries are to be submitted in the form of digital images in JPEG, TIFF, PSD or PNG file format. Maximum file size is 15 Mb and it is recommended that the image size be no smaller than 5 megapixels.
 5. The subject matter and scene should be accurately depicted in the photograph. Limited digital adjustments (dust removal, cropping, level, saturation, colour balance and contrast, etc.) and black & white conversion are acceptable. Montages or blending of multiple photographs is not allowed, with the exception of panorama, HDR and DOF stacking.
 6. Each contestant may submit up to ten entries, and multiple entries are encouraged. However, each contestant will be limited to winning two prizes.
 7. The prizes are as follows:
 - 1st Prize: RM1,000.00
 - 2nd Prize: RM 500.00
 - 3rd Prize: RM 300.00
 - 5 consolation prizes of RM100.00 eachEach prize winner will also receive a certificate
 8. By submitting the entry, the contestant acknowledges that he/she is the photographer, and sole owner of the photograph. By submitting the entry, you also grant the Geological Society of Malaysia the non-exclusive right to use your photographs. The winning photographs will become the property of the Society.
 9. Closing date: All entries must reach the Geological Society of Malaysia before the 31st of December, 2011.
 10. The decision of the judges is final. The organizers reserve the right to make adjustments to these rules and regulations if deemed necessary.
 11. Entries in CD should be carefully packed and mailed to: The Organizer, GSM Photographic Competition 2011, c/o Department of Geology, University of Malaya, 50603 Kuala Lumpur, or email to gsmphotocompetition@gmail.com
- Each entry must be accompanied by the following information in a text file:
1. Name
 2. Address
 3. Profession
 4. Affiliation/Institution
 5. Telephone & fax
 6. Email address
 7. Image file name
 8. Title of photograph
 9. Description/Geological information
 10. Locality
 11. Camera & setting
 12. Digital adjustment (if any)