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**COMING SOON: THE IMAGO FILM FESTIVAL**

*Judson University seeks films of spiritual significance for Midwest, faith-based festival*

ELGIN, IL, Nov. 1, 2007 – Judson University is now accepting film submissions for the fourth annual Imago Film Festival to be held March 31-April 4, 2008 at Judson University in Elgin. The Imago Film Festival showcases faith-based indy film that emphasizes image and story.

The early deadline for submission is December 15 with a fee of \$20 and the late deadline is February 1 with a fee of \$30. Submissions must be less than 30 minutes in length in DVD or VHS format and deal with images and stories about the spiritual journey of the human experience through any genre the filmmaker sees fit. Filmmakers may submit as many entries as they like. Films will be judged by a panel of local university film and media professors as well as professionals in the field.

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This year's film festival will include five days of original films, nationally known speakers, film discussions, workshops, and an awards ceremony. The prizes for the winning films are as follows: Best of Show - \$1000; First Prize (1-15 min) - \$250; First Prize (15-30 min) - \$250; Audience Choice Award - Ipod Nano.

For detailed submission information, including the official submission form, visit [www.imagofilmfestival.com](http://www.imagofilmfestival.com). For specific questions, contact Dr. Terrence Wandtke or Professor Darren Wilson at [filmfestival@JudsonU.edu](mailto:filmfestival@JudsonU.edu).

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