



SELECTION & JUDGING PROCESS



213

JUDGES

100 = 
113 = 



Gauteng | KZN | Western Cape
Estern Cape | Mpumalanga |
Limpopo | North West

2 Chairs

Bongiwe Selane
Dr Janet van Eeden

JUDGING GUIDELINES

GUIDELINES & REVIEW

Judging guidelines and entry review is done by SAFTAs Sub-committee made up of industry experts

COMMITTEE FOR APPROVAL

Guidelines & entry review sent to the SAFTAs committee for approval

CATEGORIES & SUBMISSIONS

CALL FOR SUBMISSIONS

Released on NFVF website, social media, to broadcasters, industry and media

WORK SUBMISSIONS

Film and TV are called to enter their work under the 89 categories*

VERIFICATION PROCESS

CONTENT VERIFICATION

Verifies all content is submitted correctly and in their intended categories*

AUDITORS REVIEW

The auditors review and verify content submitted

JUDGING PANELS

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Judges are contracted in and split into panels of specialists in their given category

PANEL CHAIRPERSONS

Each panel has a Chairperson and Deputy Chairperson. Overseen by 2 Overall judging chairpersons

JUDGING PHASES

1ST PHASE OF JUDGING

12th of February 2021 till 26th of March 2021. In the first round all entries are considered

FINAL PHASE JUDGING

6th – 9th April 2021 An auditor is present during the panel and tallies all scores

ANNOUNCEMENTS & DATES

NOMINEES ANNOUNCEMENT

All the nominees are announced in the media on 29 April 2021

THE MAIN EVENT

SAFTAs winners are announced on 22 May 2021

*Auditors are present throughout the whole judging process

JUDGING CATEGORIES



Natural History & Environmental



Made for TV Documentary



Soap & Telenovela



Variety



Online Content



Entertainment



Structured Soapie Reality



Current Affairs/Youth



Feature Film