

# First Photography Contest AMITOS 2019

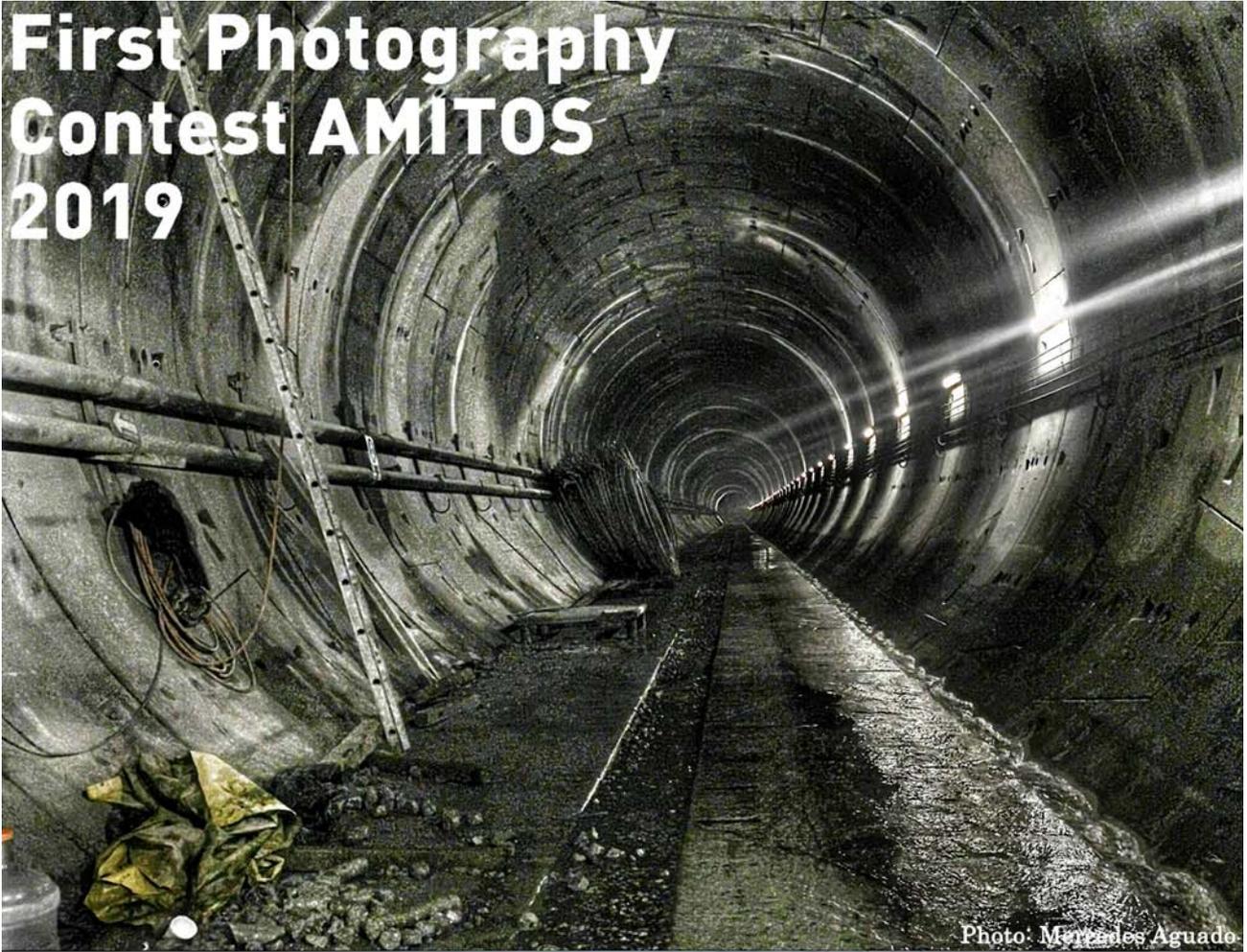


Photo: Mercedes Aguado

The Asociación Mexicana de Ingeniería de Túneles y Obras Subterráneas A.C., AMITOS (Mexican association of Tunnel Engineering and Underground Construction) and Fundación ICA A.C. (Foundation ICA) are happy to invite the general public to participate in our first photography contest.

An important item for the Association's Project that we developed for the XVI Board of Directors includes the task of collecting, documenting and cataloging our collection of underground works, to which photographic materials form a fundamental part of. Because of this, we have decided to invite our members and the community to join this endeavor, and motivate them to exploit their visual talents and share the passion we all share for construction.

#### **Basis of the contest**

- a) Anyone can participate, mexican or foreign.
- b) The theme is underground construction, no restrictions on what type.
- c) A maximum of three photographs can be sent in.
- d) The photographs must be sent in digital format, resolution no lesser than 300 pixels per inch and a size no smaller than 30cm on its larger side (length or width).
- e) There are no restrictions on colour, effect, or filter use.
- f) Photographs must include: Title, author, date when it was taken (can be approximate), and name of the construction place where it was taken.
- g) The rights of the photographs will remain the photographer's but will accept to share them with AMITOS to be part of the photography collection for marketing and communication purposes.

#### **Judges**

There will be four judges who will be recognized photographers.

#### **Selection Criteria**

The photographs could be selected for their quality and technique, but also for the story they tell. The photographs that do not meet the requirements on d) above will be disqualified.

#### **Due Date**

Participants should send their photographs before October 20th, 2019 to [foto\\_certamen@amitos.org](mailto:foto_certamen@amitos.org).

#### **Selected Photographs and Awards**

There will be a first, second and third place for individual photography and an honorable mention for the three photo collections. The awards ceremony will take place at an international event we will organize in collaboration with the International Tunneling Association during fall 2019. In addition to the photographs being rewarded there will be a selection of at least one hundred images that will become a part of the AMITOS archives and the photographers will be recognized.

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We hope to count with your participation  
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