

Photo by Misha Friedman,  
winner of 2010 Photo Award



# IMAGES TO STOP TUBERCULOSIS

## Photo Award 2011

**Stop TB Partnership**



### BACKGROUND

Tuberculosis is a contagious, airborne disease that continues to kill thousands of people every single day though preventable and treatable. Tuberculosis is a disease of poverty, affecting mostly adults in their most productive years. It damages economies, destroys families, and is keeping millions of people in poverty. Tuberculosis also is a leading killer among people living with HIV.

### THE PROJECT

The Images to Stop Tuberculosis Photo Award seeks to produce a comprehensive body of photographic work on tuberculosis to be used for advocacy purposes. An international jury will select a photographer who will receive a grant to produce a photo reportage depicting tuberculosis. The jury includes photography experts from around the world. The Images to Stop Tuberculosis Photo Award is

supported by the Lilly MDR-TB Partnership and is developed with the generous guidance of world renowned photo-journalist Gary Knight.

### RULES

#### The award

An international jury of photography experts from around the world, chaired by Gary Knight, will select a photographer who will receive a

US\$ 10,000 grant to be used towards the production of a photo reportage on tuberculosis on the basis of an assignment provided by the Stop TB Partnership.

### Who may enter

Any photographers aged 18 and over are eligible, except for individuals affiliated with the World Health Organization or Eli Lilly and Company, including employees, regents, trustees, interns, volunteers, fellows, research associates and their immediate families (children, siblings and spouses) and others living in their households.

### What to enter

Photographers must submit a photo reportage depicting public health. Please enter 10 - 15 photographs depicting health-related issues. Cropped photos are eligible. We do not accept digitally or otherwise enhanced or altered photos. Minor adjustments, including removal of dust spots, dodging and burning, contrast and slight colour adjustments, are acceptable.

If our judges see that a photographer has obviously altered his or her photo, they reserve the right to disqualify the photographer. Entrants must hold all rights to their photographs. Photos that violate or infringe upon another person's copyright are not eligible. Captions for all photos in the portfolio must be submitted with your entry and appropriately cross-referenced with the photos.

**Admitted formats:** JPEGs only (500 KB compressed file is the maximum for each photo).

**Not Admitted formats:** Tiff, Raw, videotapes, interactive CDs or slide shows (.pps, .ppt, .mov, .mpg).

Submissions not meeting these requirements will not be considered. Photos and CDs will not be returned.

### How to enter

#### Option 1

Please send the following to **stoptuberculosis@gmail.com**:

1. A completed entry form that includes captions for submitted photographs
2. The 10 to 15 photos you are submitting for consideration.

These must be labelled with your name and numbered for cross-referencing with captions.

Please send a written confirmation by email to **bi@stoptb.org** that photos have been sent.

#### Option 2

Send one CD and a completed entry form. ICP fields: caption, location, date.

#### Address:

Images to Stop Tuberculosis Photo Award  
Stop TB Partnership Secretariat  
World Health Organization  
WHO/STB/TBP  
20, Avenue Appia  
CH-1211 Geneva 27, Switzerland

#### Entry deadline

All entries must be received by the Stop TB Partnership by 20 July 2011.

#### Judging, grant and announcement

Submitted photographs will be judged on originality, technical excellence, composition, overall impact and artistic merit. The winner will receive an award of US\$5,000 and an additional US\$5,000 to be used towards travel expenses to produce a series of photographs on tuberculosis, in a country/region designated by the Stop TB Partnership.

The winner will be notified of his or her status by 15 September 2011.

The name of the winner will be announced through the Images to Stop Tuberculosis website (**www.stoptb.org/images**) on 26 October 2011.

#### The award reportage

For a photo in which a person is recognizable, the photographer must secure a model release from the subject or, in the case of a minor, the subject's parent or guardian and provide it to the Stop TB Partnership on request. Photographs that violate or infringe upon another person's copyright, are not eligible.

Each photo must be accompanied by a caption providing the names of all people photographed, the name of the place where the photo was taken, and a description of the activity depicted in the photo. These photographs must be

submitted to the Stop TB Partnership no later than 28 February 2012. The reportage will be made public on 24 March 2012, World Tuberculosis Day.

#### Legal conditions

By entering this competition, contestants agree to these entry rules and the following legal conditions:

The prize winner agrees to grant the copyright on the series of photographs taken with funding from this award to the World Health Organization.

The name of the photographer will always be acknowledged in the copyright line.

By entering, participants warrant that their entry materials are original, do not infringe on any third party's rights, and that they have obtained any necessary permissions from any third party if a third party or third party's property appears in the photograph.

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