

National Film Development Corporation

Screen Writing Course (Online) from 22nd May 2021 to 24th June 2021

National Film Development Corporation (NFDC), New Delhi, announces a 15 days Script Writing Course(Online) under the short duration category.

Course Details are as below: -

- (1) **Name of Course:** Script Writing(Online)
- (2) **Dates:** May 2021 – 22nd ,25th ,27th , 29th ,
June 2021 – 1st ,3rd ,5th , 8th , 10th , 12th , 15th ,17th ,19th ,22nd ,24th (Sunday's OFF)
- (3) **Timings & Duration:** 11:30 am to 1:30 pm (Indian Standard Time) for 2 hours on the days specified
- (4) **Max.no.ofparticipants: 25**
(Course will be conducted only if min. strength of 15 participants is reached)
- (5) **Age:** 20 years & above
- (6) **EducationalQualification: HSC (12th Class & above)**
- (7) **Medium of Instructions:** English & Hindi
- (8) **Per Participant Course Fee:**

a. Rs. 12,600/-for IndianNationals and Rs 24,400/-for Foreigners including NRI, OCI etc.

b. The course fee is inclusive of GST and also includes subscription to Cinemas of India (an online VoD platform of NFDC)

Course fee of selected participants will be non-refundable, non-transferrable, non-adjustable, etc. under any circumstances.

- (9) **Mode of payment:** NFDC accepts payment via UPI, Debit Card, Credit Card (Master/Visa), Net Banking, Wallets.

11. How to apply:

Option A

Visit : www.nfdcindia.com

Click on: “Skill Development” TAB

Click on: “ONLINE COURSE” menu

Click on: “ Course Icon/ Image ” and click registration button for registration

Option B

Visit : <https://skill.nfdcindia.com/>

Click on: “ONLINE COURSE” menu

Click on: “course icon/image” and click registration button for registration

12. **Due date & time to submit application:** 20th May 2021

Application submitted after due date & time will not be considered.

13. **Selection Criteria:** On First – Come – First – Served Basis.

List of selected participants will be published on NFDC website. Also, selection emails will be sent to all the selected participants.

14. **Online platform:** NFDC will be using “Google Classroom” and participants are requested to get familiarized with the same.

Steps to join online class including Login ID & Password will be shared

15. **Computer literacy:** It is the participant’s responsibility to be technologically capable to take an online course. Participants must be computer literate.

16. **MANDATORY REQUIREMENT:**

Since the course is online, participants must have following facilities;

Technical:

- a. A Desktop / Laptop having minimum 4 GB to 8 GB RAM, 1.6 GHz or better processor (Intel i3 or i5 or better). (Windows /MAC)
- b. Operating system: a) Windows 7 or 8 or 10. b) MAC OS Sierra or later
- c. Audio – Video software: Latest versions of VLC player, Windows Media Player or Quick TimePlayer.
- d. Compatible good quality headphones/ earphones with mic
- e. Compatible HDwebcam
- f. Internet pack of minimum 4 GB per day exclusively for this course. It is recommended to have fixed wired Internet connection with minimum speed of 10 Mbps or more.

g. Web browser: Latest version of Google Chrome (for Windows and Mac)

17. **For Practice -Software:**

Basic knowledge of computer operations is must as the participants will be working on Word docs (windows) / Pages (Mac) / or screenplay writing software like Celtx, Final Draft etc

Note: Use of Mobile Phone (in place of Laptop or Desktop Computer) to attend the classes is strictly prohibited and if candidates use the mobile phone, NFDC is not responsibility for any technical error arises during the online classes.

18. **Selection Criteria:** Participants will be selected on the basis of information and first come first served basis.
19. **Certificates:** All participants would be given participation e-certificates on successful completion of the course. Minimum 90% attendance is mandatory.
20. **Queries:** For any queries, please contact Ms. Sonal Mathur, Head(Skill Development, International Promotions & Special Projects), 9810152980, sonal@nfdcindia.com
21. **Communication with participants:** All communications with the participants will be carried out through email only.
22. Once payment is made with registration, all selected participants will be sent selection email which will have login id & password for attending the online classes.

21. **About the Course**

Objective: 15 days course introduces students to the basics of screenplay writing, while helping them develop short film idea into a fully formatted screenplay.

Course Contents: Basics of Screenplay Writing covering introductory modules on Storytelling, from stories to Cinema, reverse writing a short film, understanding setting, elements of a screenplay, structuring, characterization, conflict, subplots and secondary characters, thinking visually and scene development

22. **About The Course Director :**

A direction and screenwriting graduate of **FTII (Film and Television Institute of India)**, MUNISH BHARDWAJ has been involved with Cinema, Theatre, Television and Teaching for over 25 years. He is the writer director of the film Moh Maya Money and has extensively taught cinema courses across India. He has also been a visiting faculty at Apeejay Institute of Mass Communication and State University of Planning and Visual Arts, Rohtak (SUPVA), apart from teaching for FTII's Skilling India in Film and TV (SKIFT) initiative and guest faculty at Indira Gandhi National Centre for Arts (IGNCA).

Most recently, Munish conducted an Online 10 days Film Appreciation course jointly organised by FTII and NFDC.