

iGDC '06

Are you ready to face the ultimate challenge of your professional creativity and expertise? That's right, the iMAGES Garment Decoration Competition (IGDC '06) is back!

The first competition of its type in Europe, the Images awards are still the most coveted in the industry – the mark of a truly exceptional garment decoration business. So if you know that your garment decoration skills are a match for anyone's then now is your chance to prove it.

The competition is open to anyone and everyone in Europe that's involved in commercial garment decoration – that is, adding value to clothing through surface decoration. It doesn't matter how big or how small your operation; it doesn't matter what sort of process you specialise in – embroidery, print, transfers; and it doesn't matter what type of equipment and machinery you use. You can enter commissioned work that you have produced within the last 12 months; or create and produce an entry from scratch, especially for the competition. All we are interested in is the **'skill of execution and imaginative use of the processes involved'**. These are the criteria that the panel of expert judges will be using to determine 2006's award-winning entries.

As well as receiving a plaque to display in your reception area or showroom, all winners will be showcased in Images magazine, in the iMAGES Garment Decoration Competition awards issue (November 2006). We will also be following up with editorial profiles of selected winners throughout 2007.

Winning an IGDC 06 award does more than demonstrate your abilities to your peers, however. Used effectively, the awards and press coverage can help you to raise awareness of your products and services and enhance your reputation as a quality service provider, amongst the people that really matter... your existing and potential customers.

So why not seize this opportunity to show just how good you are? Simply select the examples of your work (produced over the past 12 months) that best demonstrate your creativity and expertise – or create and produce a design(s) specially – then post your entry, together with completed entry form(s), to arrive at the competition address by the deadline date (see Conditions of Entry). That's all there is to it!

Good Luck! Deadline: September 22, 2006

AWARDS CATEGORIES

Awards will be presented for outstanding work in each of the following categories:

- 1 MANUAL SCREEN PRINT**
- 2 AUTOMATIC SCREEN PRINT**
- 3 TRANSFER PRINT**
- 4 EMBROIDERY**
- 5 COMBINATION / SPECIAL EFFECTS PRINT or DECORATION**

Category 5: covers all special ink/print effects/processes, plus combinations of print and embroidery, foiling, embossing, transfers and other garment decoration processes.

All entries must be produced and submitted on a made-up garment.

CONDITIONS OF ENTRY

- 1 All entries must be received by September 15, 2006. Entries received after this date will not be eligible.
- 2 Each entry must be accompanied by a completed Entry Form, or copy of the same – see coupon, right, or visit: www.images-magazine.com.
- 3 There is no limit to the number of categories each company may enter, but each company will be limited to **three** items per category.
- 4 A plaque will be awarded to the winning and second placed entry. In the event of a tie a duplicate prize will be awarded.
- 5 Categories may be eliminated due to lack of sufficient entries.
- 6 CN Publishing assumes that all entries are original and are the work and property of the entrant, with all rights granted therein. CN Publishing is not liable for any copyright infringement on the part of the entrant.
- 7 Entrants grant CN Publishing the right to reproduce their entries in future issues of Images magazine, on the Images website, and in Images magazine/website/exhibition-related marketing materials.
- 8 Send entries to: The Images Garment Decoration Competition 06, CN Publishing, 9a Kings Road, Flitwick, BEDS MK45 1ED.
- 9 If you require your entry/entries to be returned please include sufficient return postage.
- 10 The judges' decisions are final.

ENTRY FORM

Business name:

Contact name:

Address:

Postcode:

Tel:

Fax:

Email:

Category Number:

Category Title:

Please Indicate

I want you to return my entry when the competition is over and I include postage

You may keep my entry when the competition is over

I have read and accept the conditions published in Images magazine/on the Images magazine website.

Date: Signature:

(Photocopies of this entry form are acceptable; the entry form is also available for downloading and printing out from the Images website: www.images-magazine.com).

