

# PRESS FREEDOM AWARD 2016 A SIGNAL FOR EUROPE

#### issued for Poland

#### **CALL FOR SUBMISSIONS**

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#### Jury:

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#### Submission guidelines:

- \* The deadline for submissions is November 30, 2016
- \* The date of publishing must be between May 3, 2015 and May 3, 2016
- \* Letters of reference are of help but not decisive in the evaluation of submissions
- \* Detailed letters of reference are obligatory if a life's work is submitted
- \* Only one publication can be submitted per person or series, where the following is necessary:
- a. the publication in its original language
- **b.** an English translation which is authorised by the contender
- c. a CV, written in English
- **d.** a copy of the piece of work
- e. the above also applies to printed or electronic series, for example series or broadcasts that align to the awards declared aims. In this case a description of the series or broadcast is needed in addition to an exemplary submission in the relevant medium, which may include the press, radio, television or the internet.
- **f.** if a life's work is handed in, a detailed letter of reference is required. Printed pieces should be submitted as the original or if digitally, as a scanned copy. Radio or TV broadcasts should be submitted CDs, DVDs or via Email (attached file or via download-link), depending on the size of the piece of work.

In the case of books we ask for an English translation of the foreword and that a short statement of intent is included in the letter of reference, which should also be in English.

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