4th Global Science Film Festival in Zurich-Bern

- The film festival was organised online (19-28 November) and in-cinema (25-28 November) in Zurich and Bern
- The program included four film categories: Full-length films, Short films (professional), Scientists-as-Filmmakers (films made by Swiss scientists), and Pre-festival (out-of-competition)
- 3119 films were received as submissions
- 37 films were selected for screening: 10 full-length films, 6 short films, 20 scientists-as-filmmakers, and 1 pre-festival
- 10218 online views for Scientists-as-Filmmakers between 19 and 28 November
- More than 2200 visitors in Zurich and Bern between 25 and 28 November
- 17 podium discussions “Filmmakers-Scientists-Society” were organised after the screening of the full-length films
5th Science Filmmaking Marathon
Fifty scientists and filmmakers from nine Swiss universities and research centers participated in the 5th Science Filmmaking Marathon. Together with 10 professional filmmakers, the participants produced 11 short films for the wide public, which were shown at the 4th Global Science Film Festival.

2nd Science Photo Marathon
Thirty-one scientists and non-scientists participated in the 2nd Science Photo Marathon, where a total of 240 photos were produced within 8 hours. The photos were on the topics of the ‘natural’ and the ‘synthetic’, taken at the locations of 4 Swiss scientific institutes in Zurich.
Winners of KONI STEFFEN’s Awards 2020 and 2021

- **Grand Prix, best full-length film** 2021: Robin Petré for From The Wild Sea
- **Best director, full-length film** 2021: Thomas Imbach for Nemesis
- **Special mention, full-length film** 2021: Marion Neumann for The Mushroom Speaks
- **Best short film** 2021: Marcel Barelli for In Nature
- **Best short film** 2020: Vanja Victor Kabir Tognola for Brothers Again
- **Special mention short film** 2020: Pascal Schelbli for The Beauty
- **Best scientists-as-filmmakers** 2021: Tatiana Drozhzhova, Eashan Saikia, Holly Larson Capelo for Dust Puzzles
- **Best scientists-as-filmmakers** 2020: Kristina Eiviler, Monika Molnar, Petra Sidler for Who is (not) Swiss?
- **Best Photographer** (Science Photo Marathon) 2021: Tatiana Drozhzhova
- **Public Award** (Science Photo Marathon) 2021: Samuel Tobler
- **The Academy Award** for “Science Communication 2021”: Andreas Moser
“The shortest distance between science and society is cinema”

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