

HVAF

HAPPY VALLEY ANIMATION FESTIVAL

HVAF 2025 Animation Showcase

Public screening of award winning animations in the international open and international student categories.

Flex Theater, 132 HUB Robeson Center
Penn State University, University Park, PA
Thursday, March 27 | 7:30pm – 9:30pm (EST)

This event will be livestreamed for remote viewing. Check web site for details.

HVAF 2025 Official Selection Screenings

Public screenings of official selections in the international open and international student categories.

Flex Theatre, 132 HUB Robeson Center
Penn State University, University Park, PA
Friday, March 28 | 6:00pm – 8:00pm (EST)

This event will be livestreamed for remote viewing. Check web site for details.

The Palmer Museum of Art
Penn State University, University Park, PA
Saturday, March 29 | 12 noon – 4:00pm (EST)

Carnegie Cinema, 113 Carnegie Bldg
Penn State University, University Park, PA
Tuesday, April 1 | 6:30pm – 8:30pm (EST)



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HVAF 2025 Gallery Exhibition

An exhibiton featuring official selections and award winners from the 2025 Happy Valley Animation Festival.

Hub Gallery, HUB Robeson Center
Penn State University, University Park, PA
Thursday, May 1 – Thursday, May 22 | 10:00am – 6:00pm daily (EST)

The Happy Valley Animation Festival (HVAF) is an international competition that showcases compelling animated works by student, early career, and practicing professional artists, designers, and filmmakers. Works range from animated short films and experimental animation to animated motion graphics and design and push the innate ability of animation to communicate across cultures. The festival takes place at the Pennsylvania State University (in Happy Valley), with open and student award winners and official selections featured in screenings and exhibitions at the HUB Flex Theatre, the Palmer Museum of Art, the Carnegie Cinema, and the HUB Robeson Gallery. HVAF is a collaboration between organizers, volunteers, and academic partners and is supported by the Digital Arts and Media Design Program (DART) and the School of Visual Arts at Penn State.

All events are free and open to the public.