

Entering a Sequence

In the Journalism and Nature categories one is permitted to enter a sequence of up to four images that together tell a story. The sequence counts as one entry in the competition. However, entering a sequence into competition is not as straightforward as entering a single image and it must be done in a certain way. Here is the correct method:

First, assemble your sequence of images as correctly sized images on your desktop. Each constituent image must conform to the sizing requirements for the competition. So each image must be in JPG format, cannot exceed 1920 px (wide) by 1200 px (high), and it must not be greater than 4MB.

Second, title each image in the sequence. This part is critical and the titles must be exactly right. The first image must be titled -- Main Title [1] Subtitle. The second image must be titled -- Main Title [2] Subtitle. And so on. The Main Title is required and must be identical for all images in the sequence. The number must be enclosed in SQUARE brackets as shown. The Subtitles are optional. So for example you might have a sequence titled:

African Lion Hunting [1] Stalking Gazelle
African Lion Hunting [2] Chasing Gazelle
African Lion Hunting [3] Leaping at the Gazelle's Throat
African Lion Hunting [4] Killing the Gazelle

Thirdly, go to the Competition Entry tab on the website, select the competition (in my example it would be Nature). Hit "Upload Images into Competition" and then select ALL your images together (make sure they're all highlighted when you upload). They should all appear with green dots beside them. Hit "Save images and proceed to edit ..". Now, for each image check "Allow Entry of an Image Sequence". Finally hit the "Save Changes" button and you are done.