

City Spotlight: Sydney

We're excited to see Sydney through your perspective. Snap, film, and share what makes this city special to you—whether it's the beaches, festivals, café culture, or friendly locals. This is your chance to be a visual ambassador, showing the world Sydney as it is!

8 winners will be chosen by the Pexels Community Team Members based on how well your photo/video represents Sydney, Australia. 1st place winner will receive \$150 USD and WANDRD STRATUS Photo 18L bag. 2nd place will receive \$100 USD. 3rd place will receive \$75. Five 4th place winners will get \$50 USD each.

Competition Guidelines: Here's how to enter:

1. Upload photos or videos taken in Sydney, Australia
2. Pexels Members based in Australia can enter by the competition/challenge by going to <https://www.pexels.com/challenges/city-spotlight-sydney>
3. Submit as many photos or videos as you want

City Spotlight Sydney: Terms

1. This Competition is run by Pexels, a Canva Germany GmbH brand ("Pexels") of Pappelallee 78/79, 10437 Berlin, Germany.
2. **Eligibility:** This City Spotlight: Sydney ("Competition") is open only to persons who are residents of Australia and 18 years old or older as of the date of Entry. Employees of Pexels, its affiliates, subsidiaries, advertising and promotion agencies, and suppliers, (together, "Employees"), and immediate family members and/or those living in the same household of Employees are not eligible to participate in the Competition. This Competition is not open to any individual in a jurisdiction where the Competition or the individual entering the Competition would be prohibited by law.
3. **Agreement to Terms:** By submitting an Entry to the Competition, the entrant ("You") agrees to be fully unconditionally bound by these terms. You also represent and warrant that You meet the eligibility requirements and that the Competition and You entering the Competition is not prohibited in Your jurisdiction. In addition, You agree to accept the decisions of Pexels as final and binding as it relates to the Competition and agree to your Entry being published on the Pexels website under the terms of the Pexels License available at www.pexels.com/terms-of-service/.
4. **Competition Period:** Entries for the Competition will be accepted online from 1 April at 12:00AM and Australian Eastern Daylight Time until 30 April at 11:59PM and Australian Eastern Standard Time ("Competition Period"). Entries must be received before the end of the Competition Period.

5. How to Enter:

- (a) To participate in the Competition, you must submit an entry in accordance with the Competition Guidelines (“Entry”).
- (b) More than one Entry is allowed per person
- (c) Entries must comply with the brief listed in the Competition Guidelines. Entries that contain sexual content, violence or gore, or promote discrimination against any individual or group or that otherwise contain content that in the view of Pexels is inappropriate, will not be accepted.
- (d) The Entry must fulfill all Competition requirements, as specified in these Terms, to be eligible to win.
- (e) Entries that are incomplete or do not adhere to the Terms may be disqualified at the sole discretion of Pexels.
- (f) If You use fraudulent methods or otherwise attempt to circumvent these Terms, your submission may be removed from eligibility at the sole discretion of Pexels.

6. Prizes:

- (a) Up to a maximum of 1 First Prize winner, 1 Second Prize winner, 1 Third Prize winner and 5 Fourth Prize winners will be selected by a team of Pexels-appointed panelists (“Pexels Panel”) based on the criteria set out in section 7 of these Terms (“Winners”).
- (b) The Competition is a game of skill, chance has no part in determining the Winners.
- (c) First Prize Winner will receive:
 - (i) \$150 USD
 - (ii) WANDRD STRATUS Photo 18L backpack
- (d) Second Prize Winner will receive:
 - (i) \$100 USD
- (e) Third Prize Winner will receive:
 - (i) \$75 USD
- (f) Fourth Prize Winner will receive:
 - (i) \$50 USD
- (g) The cash prizes will be arranged and distributed by Pexels
- (h) WANDRD will arrange for delivery of the WANDRD STRATUS Photo 18L backpack, to the First Prize Winner prize, to a postal address nominated by You.
- (i) All specifics of the prizes shall be solely determined by Pexels. No substitution of prize or transfer/assignment of prize to others is permitted. If for any reason there are logistical or other issues with providing a prize, Pexels may at its sole discretion provide a substitute prize of equivalent value.
- (j) Any and all prize-related expenses, including without limitation any and all federal, state, and/or local taxes, shall be the sole responsibility of the winner.
- (k) Acceptance of prize constitutes permission for Pexels to use the Winners’ names, likeness, and Entry for purposes of advertising and trade without further compensation.

7. Winners Selection and Notification:

- (a) The Pexels Panel will select the Winners based on the creative skill and adherence to the theme demonstrated in the Entry

(b) The Pexels Panel may ask certain entrants to provide their original Pexels design files.

(c) The Winners will be notified via email and/or Instagram private message and announced on email and a social post on @pexels.apac Instagram within five (5) days following the selection of the winners.

(d) To the extent permitted by law, Pexels shall have no liability for:

(i) any Winner's failure to receive notices due to spam, junk e-mail or other security settings or for Winner's provision of incorrect or otherwise non-functioning contact information;

(ii) any Winner's inability to receive or participate in any component of the prize.

(e) If a Winner cannot be contacted, is ineligible, fails to claim the prize within forty-eight (48) hours from the time notification was sent, or fails to timely return a completed and executed declaration and release (if required), the prize may be forfeited and an alternate Winner selected. Receipt by Winner of the prize offered in this Competition is conditioned upon compliance with any and all federal, state, and local laws and regulations.

(f) ANY VIOLATION OF THESE OFFICIAL TERMS BY WINNER, AT PEXELS'S SOLE DISCRETION, WILL RESULT IN WINNER'S DISQUALIFICATION AS WINNER OF THE COMPETITION AND ALL PRIVILEGES AS WINNER WILL BE IMMEDIATELY TERMINATED.

8. Rights Granted by You: By submitting an Entry, You:

(a) understand and consent to Pexels, anyone acting on behalf of Pexels, and Pexels's licensees, successors, and assigns, having the right, where permitted by law, to print, publish, broadcast, distribute, and use in any media now known or hereafter developed, in perpetuity and throughout the World, without limitation, your Entry, first name, social media handle and statements about the Competition, for use in accordance with the Pexels License and for the commercialisation of Pexels, its group companies and all related products and services offerings as well as for news, publicity, information, trade, advertising, public relations, and promotion, advertising, and marketing purposes without any further compensation, notice, review, or consent.

(b) represent and warrant that your Entry is an original work of authorship by You, and does not violate any third party's proprietary or intellectual property rights. If your Entry infringes upon the intellectual property right of another, You will be disqualified at the sole discretion of Pexels. If the content of your Entry is claimed to constitute infringement of any proprietary or intellectual property rights of any third party, You shall, at your sole expense, defend or settle against such claims. You shall indemnify, defend, and hold harmless Pexels from and against any suit, proceeding, claims, liability, loss, damage, costs or expense, which Pexels may incur, suffer, or be required to pay arising out of such infringement or suspected infringement of any third party's right.

(c) agree to execute such further documents as may be reasonably required by Pexels to give effect to these rights.

9. Pexels Rights: Pexels reserves the right, in its sole discretion, to cancel, terminate, modify or suspend the Competition in the event Pexels becomes aware or reasonably suspects there to be virus, bug, non-authorized human intervention, fraud, corruption, or other cause beyond Pexels's control that could affect the administration, security, fairness, or proper conduct of the Competition. In such a case, Pexels may select the Winner from all eligible entries received prior to and/or after (if appropriate) the action taken by Pexels. Pexels reserves the right, in its sole discretion, to disqualify any individual who tampers or attempts to tamper with the entry process or the operation of the Competition or website or violates these Terms. Pexels has the right, in its sole discretion, to maintain the integrity of the Competition, to reasonably void entries, including, but not limited to: the use of bots, macros, scripts, or other technical means for entering. Any attempt by an entrant to deliberately damage any website or undermine the legitimate operation of the Competition may be a violation of criminal and civil laws. Should such an attempt be made, Pexels reserves the right to seek damages to the fullest extent permitted by law. By participating in this Competition, You acknowledge that:

- a. this Competition is in no way sponsored, endorsed or administered by, or associated with Meta or any other social media site;
- b. by accepting the Prize you are not, and will not, be violating any laws, rules, or regulations applicable to you, including any rules related to your employment; and
- c. in the event Pexels reasonably determines, in its sole discretion, that fulfilling your Prize would violate any law, rule, or regulation that is applicable to you, the Prize, or Pexels, your Prize will be void and your entry disqualified.

10. Liability: By submitting an Entry, to the extent permitted by law, You agree to release and hold harmless Pexels and its subsidiaries, affiliates, advertising and promotion agencies, partners, representatives, agents, successors, assigns, employees, officers, and directors from any liability, illness, injury, death, loss, litigation, claim, or damage that may occur, directly or indirectly, whether or not caused by negligence, from: (i) Your participation in the Competition and/or Your acceptance, possession, use, or misuse of any prize or any portion thereof; (ii) technical failures of any kind, including but not limited to the malfunction of any computer, cable, network, hardware, or software, or other mechanical equipment; (iii) the unavailability or inaccessibility of any transmissions, telephone, or Internet service; (iv) unauthorized human intervention in any part of the entry process or the Competition; (v) electronic or human error in the administration of the Competition or the processing of entries. You may have certain non-excludable rights or remedies under law. These Terms are subject to any non-excludable right or remedy You have under law.

11. Privacy Policy: Pexels collects information from You (such as your Pexels design, name, social media profile and caption and details you provide in entering the Competition, including: email address, payment information and postal address in order to conduct the Competition and may, for this purpose, disclose such information to third

parties, including but not limited to agents, contractors, service providers, and prize suppliers. Entry to the Competition is conditional on providing this information. This section should be read in conjunction with Pexels's Privacy Policy which explains how Pexels collects, stores, and uses personal information [click here](#), which also sets out your data protection rights, including access and correction and how you may complain or raise a query about our handling of your information. Depending on Your location, Your information may be disclosed by Pexels outside your jurisdiction as contemplated in these Terms. Please see Pexels's Privacy Policy for further details. Entrants should direct any request to access, update or correct information to Pexels at hello@pexels.com

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Entries open from 12:00am AEST 01/04/25 until 11:59pm AEST 30/04/25. Australian Residents, 18+ only. For your chance to win, submit your best photos or videos taken in Sydney, Australia. First Prize is \$150. Full Terms: [INSERT URL]. Promoter: Pexels, Canva Germany GmbH .