## TAKE 1 FINISHING AND ONLINE SUBMISSION WORKFLOW

Please follow the steps below to successfully finish and submit your film to the Take1 Film Festival. Email <u>take1@colum.edu</u> with any questions.

## FINISHING

Once your film is Picture Locked you can begin the Finishing process. It doesn't matter which editing platform you use; the steps below are universal. You can either work from home or at The Post Center (**1104 S Wabash RM602**). Questions, stop by The Post Center.

- 1. Mastering Your Project in Premiere, FCPX, or Avid
  - Create a Finishing Bin
  - Duplicate your **Sequence** and rename as **Picture Lock** 
    - Move the Picture Lock sequence into the Finishing Bin
  - Import the Countdown to the Finishing Bin
    - Premiere Pro: File > New > Universal Counting Leader
    - The Post Center: ClassShare > Student Resources > CTVA Countdown
  - Open the Picture Lock sequence
  - Insert the Countdown at the start of the Picture Lock sequence
  - Create a Sound Mix folder on your personal hard drive or workspace
    - Export a Picture Only H264 Medium Bitrate to the folder
    - Export an AAF to the folder
- 2. Sound Mix
  - Schedule a mix appointment with Adrian Anguiano <u>aanguiano@colum.edu</u>
  - Take your elements to the Audio Suite (1104 S Wabash, 7th Floor) for the mix.
- 3. Final Master: Marry Picture and Sound: Return to Premiere, FCPX, or Avid Project
  - Duplicate your **Picture Lock Sequence** 
    - Rename it LastName\_FilmTitle
      - Delete the audio
    - Add the Sound Mix
  - Create a Master QT folder on your personal hard drive or partition
    - Export an Apple ProRes 422 QT (master)
    - Export a H264 Highest Bitrate (web)

\*Do Not Delete any media or the project files from the project you are submitting.

## SUBMITTING TO THE TAKE1 FILM FESTIVAL

- Only online submissions will be accepted
- Upload your film (H264) to WeTransfer
- Submit to <u>take1@colum.edu</u> Include:
  - Subject: Take1 Submission
  - o Name
  - o Film Title
  - Semester Film was Completed
  - o Course
  - $\circ$  Instructor
  - Direct download link to your film