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sstkTravel Contest Winners

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Rewarding great travel content

Shutterstock's sstkTravel contest

From June 12 to July 24, Shutterstock hosted the **sstkTravel** contest, inviting contributors to submit authentic travel content that celebrates diversity. From the thousands of images and videos received, winning content was selected based on technical quality, concept, and response to the [sstkTravel content brief](#). We loved the natural expressions, unique locations, and diverse casting depicted in this content. See the winning images and videos!

Grand Prize Winners



Mature Japanese woman with hat buying ice cream cone from food truck

By Miljan Zivkovic

Stock Photo ID: [2647709345](#)



4K Rear view shot of an Indian man wearing shawl walking in front of the snowy Himalayan mountain peaks during the summer season at More Plains in Ladakh, India. Scenic view of Himalayas in Ladakh.

By shiv.mer

Stock Video ID: [3827026251](#)



Happy child with disability sitting in a wheelchair outdoors, hugging a fluffy dog and smiling at his mother on a wooden log, capturing a heartwarming moment of family love

By Martin Stock Studio

Stock Photo ID: [2648668609](#)

Second Prize Winners



Trekker Passing Prayer Flags in the Himalayas

By Rodrigo Sales
Stock Photo ID: [3825654851](#)



A silhouetted traveler stands in a rustic doorway as a train speeds by, casting sunlight and shadows on the wooden frame and surrounding plants in a rural setting.

By David Herlianto
Stock Photo ID: [2654867733](#)



Asian woman wearing vietnam culture traditional and sell the fruit on the street, Hoi an in Vietnam.

By Guitar photographer
Stock Video ID: [3838088563](#)



Young woman selecting traditional andean textiles at a vibrant open-air market in ecuador, experiencing the rich culture and craftsmanship of the region.

By Martin Stock Studio
Stock Photo ID: [2644879577](#)

Bonus Prize Winners



Nightlife travel Bangkok City, Thailand. Solo traveler woman sitting tuk tuk taxi local tour hang out trip. Explore journey experience. Cinematic documentary scene. Smiling face night downtown street

By dodotone

Stock Photo ID: [2654437831](#)



Man with disability, wearing a white hat and a backpack on his wheelchair, enjoying independent travel and waiting for the metro train to arrive.

By 24K-Production

Stock Video ID: [3840161617](#)



Asian family using airport self check-in kiosk together, multigenerational group interacting with digital screen, modern travel process with child exploring, technology and convenience for travelers

By Art_Photo

Stock Photo ID: [2653698709](#)

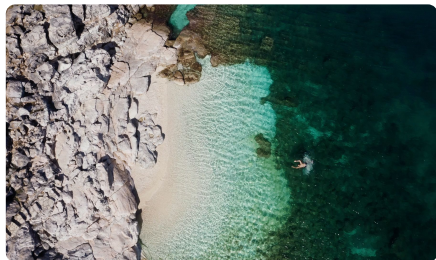


Silhouette of a person gazing out through a barred window at a cityscape of Rome with view of Saint Peter basilica at background seen from castel Castel Sant'Angelo

By zefart

Stock Video ID: [3830819145](#)

Bonus Prize Winners



Top view 4K drone video of man dressed black swimming trunks swimming relaxing on white pebble lonely beach water waves. Exotic tropical summer holidays concept. Cephalonia island, Greece.

By Soloviov Vadym
Stock Photo ID: [3826107121](#)



Asian mother carrying her young son as they observe animals behind glass at the zoo. Reflections on the glass enhance the moment of curiosity, learning, and family bonding in a tropical setting.

By ME Image
Stock Photo ID: [2650536541](#)



4K Portrait of Indian woman traveler covered in colorful powder during Holi festival in Sangla, Himachal Pradesh, India. Hindu girl celebrate Holi festival. Travel and Indian cultural experience.

By Yashvi Jethi
Stock Video ID: [3827934763](#)



Smiling southeast asian woman traveler on solo journey, happy backpacker trip enjoying vibrant local culture and exploring amazing city streets of Bangkok, Thailand

By Jirawatfoto
Stock Photo ID: [3840870267](#)

Bonus Prize Winners



Smiling asian muslim woman in hijab traveling by ship, journey lifestyle

By Badass artists

Stock Photo ID: [2645034131](#)



A woman and a child are traveling on a bus on an excursion, traveling with children, a mother with a teenage son are tired and traveling on public transport, people are sleeping on the bus

By simonovstas

Stock Photo ID: [2650368725](#)

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