



## **1. ECFA Documentary Award 2016**

**DANS FOR LIVET (NO, SE, DK 2015)**

by Erlend E. Mo

### **Jury Statement**

The ECFA jury decided to give the prize to an uplifting film about a child gaining the self confidence to stand up for her aspirations by breaking with gender stereotypes. What touched us the most is that through a sincere respect for the environment and nature's elements, the film becomes a celebration of life and the valuable time spent with the people you love. The filmmaker allowed us all the time needed to profoundly get to know the character. We were able to share precious moments in an intergenerational relationship of mutual support in facing different challenges in life. For these reasons, we give the award to DANS FOR LIVET by Erlend E. Mo.