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## **NIDians showcase films at Jeevika fest**

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Films made by the students of the film and video department at National Institute of Design (NID), will be showcased at the 9th Jeevika: Asia Livelihood Documentary Film festival in Delhi. Prof Arun Gupta, faculty at NID said that the festival is slated to be organized from August 31 to September 2.

As a part of the main competition, under the student's category, the films – 'Dimond Band', made by Samridhi Dasot and 'Hide under my Sole' by Shradha Jain will be screened. Under the professional category, film 'Dudro' made by NID Film & Video alumna, Dhanya Pilo, has also been selected.

As suggested by the official communiqué from the institute, the film 'Dimond Band' revolves around a wedding music band, exploring the personal lives of members and their individual background, the profession and their equation as a team.

The film by Jain covers the craft pockets situated in the Malwa belt of Punjab and celebrates the craft of 'Jutti' making by giving an insight into the making of the craft and honouring the artisans who put their heart and soul into it. The documentary festival is a part of the larger Livelihood Freedom Campaign 'Jeevika' and has been organised by the Centre for Civil Society.

The festival will go on from August 31 till September 2

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