Exhibition Status page for your website

The PSA now requires exhibitions to show a status page on their website that includes

- The name of each entrant
- Their country
- The number of images they have entered in each class
- Whether or not they have paid

This page must be updated at least once a week.

PhotEx can create the page for you each time you do a download.

[Although this is only required *for PSA exhibitions, you may want to produce it for other types of exhibition as well. The Country column and Fees column will only be shown if your exhibition collects this information]*

Basic operation

You activate the feature using PhotExCreator "Update your competition data".

- Select the "Status page" tab and tick the "Make status page on download" tick box
- Ticking the "PSA" option on the "PhotEx" tab sets this as well

When ticked, PhotExManager will create a file called "Status.htm" in your competition folder after each download and upload it to the PhotoCompEntries website. You need provide a link from your exhibition page to the status page or embed it in an iframe. The URL is
http://PhotoCompEntries.net/Status/*your_organisation_ID*.html

Please note that long class names are truncated to 22 characters.

Testing

You can use the "Test" button to create a test page and FTP credentials the page will be uploaded for you.

The page contains columns for each of your classes, but with data for three dummy entrants.

Changing the look of the uploaded page

The page is created using a template. The default template is at

C:\Users\XXXX\AppData\Local\PCS\Status_Template.htm

The rows of the status report are inserted to replace the "%rows" tag.

You can copy this template into your competition folder (retaining the name), and make changes to the layout, fonts and colours, and add your logo, for example. (You can't change the data in the rows, but you can use CSS to change the styling of the cells).

Tags in the template are replaced with data from your .pcss file:

The "%title" tag provides the html title of the page in the form

"25th Annual exhibition status"

"%header" tag provides a page header of the form

"25th Annual exhibition entries as at Sunday 4 July at 16:00 Eastern Standard Time"

and "%footer" provides a mail link of the form

"Contact us at compsec@someExhibition.com"

If you edit the template you can delete/overwrite these tags, but do not delete the "%rows" tag

Please note that PhotoCompSoftware is unable to help you with the HTML and CSS code needed to modify the status page template.