

FORD AMPHITHEATRE
STILL PHOTOGRAPHY & VIDEO CAMERA CREW POLICY
For Partnership Program Events

PARTNERSHIP EVENT PRODUCERS AND PUBLICISTS PLEASE NOTE:

All still photographers and camera crews, whether they are press or are working for the producer of the event, are required to do the following:

- **Possess a wristband photo pass.** Partner/publicist should request wristbands 2 business days in advance of performance from:
Communications
LA County Arts Commission/Ford Theatres
communications@arts.lacounty.gov
213-202-5935

Please indicate for whom they are shooting and the use of the photos or video footage.

If the photographer/videographer needs to shoot from the house or the stage, arrange for them to shoot during a dress rehearsal (no permissions required for this). They cannot shoot from the house or the stage during a performance.

- **Be familiar with the Photo & Video Guidelines.** Partner/publicist should email/give the guidelines to photographers and video crews in advance of performance day. The guidelines are at: http://fordtheatres.org/UserFiles/File/Ford_PhotoVideoGuidelines.pdf
- **Pick up a yellow wrist band and copy of Photo & Video Guidelines sheet** from the Box Office, or at the press table near the Box Office, on the night of the performance, before entering the theatre. **All photographers and video crewmembers must wear their yellow wristbands at all times while on the Ford Theatres' premises.**

Note, photographers and video crews are not permitted to enter from any entrance other than the main entrance.

- **DO NOT use flash at any time.**
- **Shoot ONLY from the photo area to the left of the stage by the artists' entrance doors and/or from the tech well at the back of the theatre.**

DO NOT shoot from the house itself or on the stage.

A publicist and/or press representative for the partner organization must remain with the photographer(s) and/or video crews at all times. It is not the job of the Ford Theatres staff to police these rules. Your cooperation is very much appreciated.

Violations of the above guidelines will result in being escorted off of the property.