

# The Kirk Douglas Award for Excellence in Film

The Kirk Douglas Award for Excellence in Film is one of Santa Barbara's most unique and exciting events, and serves as the annual fundraiser for SBIFF's ever growing year-round Educational Programs.

The gala was created in partnership with film legend Kirk Douglas, to celebrate and honor some of cinema's most unforgettable contributors.

The 16th annual Kirk Douglas Award will honor actor Ryan Gosling for his illustrious career in film on January 13th, 2024 at the Ritz-Carlton Bacara Resort.

We invite you to join us this black-tie affair to celebrate Ryan's illustrious career over cocktails and an exquisite three-course gourmet dinner.

During the dinner, special celebrity guests will introduce video highlights of the honoree's work and share stories of their experience working together. At the end of the evening, the honoree is welcomed to the stage for final remarks and to accept the award.

Sponsorship benefits include:

- Access for 10 guests to the cocktail reception and dinner award ceremony
- · Inclusion as sponsor on-screen at event
- Acknowledgment in gala tribute journal
- Passes to SBIFF 2024





As sponsor, your group of guests will enjoy the cocktail reception and specialty beverages as celebrity guests arrive and walk the red carpet.



















## SPONSORSHIP LEVELS & BENEFITS

### Spartacus Circle - \$50,000 (\$42,000 tax deductible)

- TOP Access to ALL SBIFF events throughout the year including the Santa Barbara International Film Festival, Riviera Theatre and Cinema Society
- Producer level benefits for The Kirk Douglas Award

#### **Producer** - \$25,000 (\$18,500 tax deductible)

- Prime table for ten
- Red carpet cocktail reception for all guests
- Acknowledgment in the tribute journal
- Two Concierge Passes to SBIFF (\$12,000 value)

#### Director - \$15,000 (\$9,500 tax deductible)

- Preferred table for ten
- Red carpet cocktail reception for all guests
- Acknowledgment in the tribute journal
- Two Platinum Passes to SBIFF (\$4,500 value)

#### Star - \$7,500 (\$5,000 tax deductible)

- Table for ten
- Red carpet cocktail reception for all guests
- Acknowledgment in the tribute journal

#### Individual Ticket - \$750 (\$500 tax deductible)

#### EDUCATION IS AT THE HEART OF OUR MISSION

Film has the unique ability to both entertain and educate. The visual component of cinema allows individuals to connect with complicated subject matters in a uniquely impactful, making it the most influential medium to make a difference and inspire change. At SBIFF, we are dedicated to providing programs that help create and sustain healthy communities. We are committed to making a positive impact through the power of film.

#### SBIFF's Educational Programs include:

10-10-10 Mentorship and Competitions
AppleBox Family Films
Film Camp
Film Studies Program
Mike's FieldTrip to the Movies
Moving Pictures
Rosebud Program
Silver Screenings

Please consider making a donation even if you cannot attend.

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