

Help us bring a one-of-a-kind
Indian-American Film Festival to Atlanta
for two captivating nights of culture,
conversation and celebration of
Indian-American life in film on
May 11-12, 2018 at The Historic Academy of
Medicine at Georgia Tech in Midtown Atlanta.

Sponsorship opportunities include support of meals, beverages, hotel accommodations, travel (ground & air) & monetary donations. How would you like to help with this event? To discuss all levels of sponsorship opportunities, please contact:

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## 2018

## About the Atlanta Indian Film Festival

#### The Atlanta Film Festival

Now in its fourth decade and one of only two-dozen Academy Award®-qualifying festivals in the U.S., The Atlanta Film Festival is the area's preeminent celebration of cinema. The Atlanta Film Festival is one of the largest and longest-running festival in the country, welcoming an audience of nearly 25,000 to discover hundreds of new independent, international, animated, documentary, and short films, selected from 3000+ submissions from all over the world. It is also the most distinguished event in its class, recognized as Best Film Festival by Creative Loafing, Sunday Paper, 10Best and Atlanta Magazine. Atlanta Film Festival screenings often include in-person dialogue with filmmakers, providing audiences, artists and industry professionals with meaningful opportunities to network, interact and engage.

#### The New York Indian Film Festival

The New York Indian Film Festival (NYIFF) is the one of the oldest, most prestigious Indian film festival in the United States screening premieres of feature, documentary and short films made from, of, and about the Indian subcontinent in the independent, arthouse, alternate and diaspora genres. Seven days of screenings, post-screening discussions, industry panels, award ceremony, special events, nightly networking parties, red carpet galas, media attention and packed audiences build an awareness of Indian cinema, entertain & educate North Americans about the real India, and add to the amazing cultural diversity of New York City.

The Film Festival Advisory Board includes prominent artists namely Salman Rushdie, Shashi Tharoor, Mira Nair, Shabana Azmi, Deepa Mehta, Shyam Benegal, Mani Ratnam, Madhur Jaffrey, Sabrina Dhawan, Sakina Jaffrey. Some of the movies that will be screened screened in 2018 include: *Omerta* (directed by Hansal Mehta and staring Rajkummar Rao and Rajesh Tailang); *Venus* (directed by Canadian film maker Eisha Marjera with Debargo Sanyal, Jamie Mayers, Pierre-Yves Cardinal, Zena Darawalla); and *Nude Chitra* (directed by Ravi Jhadav and starring Chhaya Kadam, Madan Deodhar, Kalyanne Mulay and Naseeruddin Shah).

The Georgia Indo-American Chamber of Commerce (GIACC), in collaboration with the New York Indian Film Festival (NYIFF), Atlanta Film Festival, India China and America (ICA) Institute and the Indian Consulate in Atlanta is proud to present its one-of-a-kind **Atlanta Indian Film Festival** ("AIFF 2018") on **May 11-12, 2018.** 

With an Indian diaspora of approximately 150,000 people and more than 500 Indian-owned/operated businesses and companies in the Atlanta region, this film festival aims to build awareness of Indian cinema as well as educate Atlantans about India and Indian culture. The AIFF 2018 two-day film festival will be held at The Historic Academy of Medicine at Georgia Tech in Midtown Atlanta.

AIFF and NYIFF will collaborate to select movies. The AIFF 2018 event will include movie screenings, post-screening discussions with the movie's artists and local film experts, as well as opportunities for in-person dialogue with film makers. An opening reception will welcome the Indian film industry to Atlanta and introduce them to the film-making opportunities in Georgia. Ravi Jhadav's critically acclaimed film *Nude* (*Chitra*) will open the event. Mr. Jhadav will attend and participate in a post-film panel discussion. The two-day event will feature films as well as short films, a documentary and the award-winning *Kannada* (with English subtitles) called *Ondu Motteya Kathe* (*The Story of an Egghead*) directed by and staring debutant Raj B. Shetty, Usha Bhandary and Shailashree Prakash.













### Atlanta Indian Film Festival Sponsorship "PARTNER" Levels & Benefits

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- Complimentary GIACC for 2 years
- Your logo on GIACC website for 2 years
- Link to your from AIFF 2018
- Your logo printed on
- company booth at
- Speaker opportunity
- 2-page ad in AIFF

24 free movie passes

- 8 free reception passes
- Complimentary GIACC Platinum membership for 1 year
- Your Logo on GIACC website for 1 year
- Link to your company's homepage from AIFF 2018 website for 1 vear
- Your logo printed on AIFF 2018 Program Booklet
- Complimentary company booth at film screening venue
- Speaker opportunity at reception
- Photo opportunities with film personalities at the reception
- 1-page ad in AIFF 2018 program
- Your logo printed on AIFF 2018 gifts

- booth at Film screening venue
- 1/2-page Ad in AIFF 2018 program
- Your logo printed on AIFF 2018 gifts

6 free movie passes

- Complimentary GIACC
- Your logo on GIACC
- website for one year

12 free movie passes 4 free reception passes Complimentary GIACC Platinum Membership for 1 Your Logo on GIACC website for 1 year Link to your company's homepage from AIFF 2018 website for one year Your logo printed on AIFF 2018 Program Booklet Complimentary company

Photo opportunities with film personalities at the reception



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- √ 6 free movie passes
- ✓ Complimentary GIACC Silver membership for 1 year
- ✓ Link to your company's homepage from AIFF2018 website for 1 year
- ✓ Your logo printed on AIFF 2018

  Program Booklet

\$800

- ✓ 4 free movie passes
- ✓ Complimentary GIACC Bronze membership for 1 year
- Link to your company's homepage from AIFF2018 website for 1 year
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  Program Booklet

\$500

- ✓ 2 free movie passes
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\$100

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