

LA Femme Film Festival 2009 Seminars with Industry Experts

- Our seminars are open forum discussions with a moderator and Q & A's with Panel Experts.
- The seminars explore opportunities for getting your vision from script to screen/to television/ or to other online/Mobile Entertainment Mediums.
- Understand the Industry's perception of the role of women artists in entertainment today and where the trends are leaning in the next decade.
- We will be hosting experts on the topics listed below. Our hope is that the attendees leave with a more tangible understanding of the different approaches to filmmaking with Commercial appeal on a global basis.
- Our experts will be giving strong advice and background on how they have broken through the barriers to filmmaking.

TOPICS

Panelist will be posted on line and at the Venue

SAG Screening and Panel 1:

GIRLS NIGHT OUT UNDER THE STARS

SAG presents a SPECIAL SCREENING UNDER THE STARS and GIRLS NIGHT OUT AT THE GROVE

Thursday, Oct 15th 7pm-10pm (shopping to begin at 5pm, Q&A at 7pm, Screening at 8pm)

Venue: The Grove Entertainment and Dinning Destination; 189 The Grove Drive Los Angeles, CA 90036

The Grove and LA Femme International Film Festival will host our opening night special screening with an added bonus of a "Girls Night Out Shopping Spree". We will launch with the shopping into a Q&A hosted by Nicholas Braun to precede a special LA Femme Film Festival screening of a film under the stars.

Panel 2:

INDEPENDENT PITCHING PANEL and PITCH FEST

How to Get your Film Made!

Saturday, Oct 17th 12noon – 3pm

Venue: The Davidson / Valentini Black Box Theatre; 1125 N McCadden Place Los Angeles, CA 90038

We will explore the avenues available for the independent filmmakers on getting your film made through the pitching process. We will have a panel of experts manager, producer, development executives who will give the points and the process of pitching in Hollywood. We will have Q&A with the expert panelists and then you will get to pitch your idea, script in front of our panel and get their direct feed back on your idea, style and presentation. If you do not want to pitch then come, sit, listen and learn.

Panel 3:

FINANCING AND DISTRIBUTION FOR FILM

Where's the Money?

Sunday, Oct 18th 10am – 12noon

Venue: Writers Guild of America Conference Room; 7000 W 3rd Street Los Angeles, CA 90048

We will explore all the possibilities of getting money for your film. We have an expert panel of entertainment professionals that will give you all the possible ways you can access the financing and distribution venues or at least get you started. We will have extensive Q & A.

WGA Panel 4:

WGA West Presents: THE GIRL'S CLUB: HOW SUCCESSFUL WOMEN WRITERS ARE MAKING IT HAPPEN IN THE INDUSTRY TODAY?

Women screen writers who have cross over appeal in all forms of TV, Film, and Cable

Sunday, Oct 18th 12 noon-2pm

Venue: Writers Guild of America Conference Room; 7000 W 3rd Street Los Angeles, CA 90048

We will explore the changing climate of women writers in the industry and how you as a writer make a living as a writer. What opportunities out there exists for the woman writer. We will have extensive Q & A.