

MEDIA ADVISORY:

2019 BANFF WORLD MEDIA FESTIVAL

Deadline to request interview(s) with talent/executives: MAY 29th

*If you're interested in arranging interviews with other speakers/attendees not listed on here, please let us know

Deadline to secure a spot on the red carpet at the Rockie Awards Gala: MAY 31st

Please send inquiries to:

Cayce Kelly: <u>Cayce.Kelly@inkmediacorp.com</u> Pam Wilson: <u>Pam.Wilson@inkmediacorp.com</u>

 Jann Arden (multi-platinum, award-winning Canadian singer/songwriter, best-selling author, radio host, actor, activist)

Host: Rockie Gala Awards/ Women in Power panelist

• **Bill Hader** (Actor, *Barry*)

Sir Peter Ustinov Award / In Conversation With (Amy Gravitt)

• **Kristin Kreuk** (Actress, Burden of Truth)

Canadian Award of Distinction / Maser Class Series: Burden of Truth

Paul Feig (Director, "Bridesmaids," Freaks and Geeks, "Ghostbusters," "The Heat")
 Award of Excellence / Summit Series Keynote

• **Jed Mercurio** (Showrunner/Writer, *Bodyguard, Line of Duty*)
Showrunner of the Year / In Conversation With

• Juno Rinaldi (Actress, Workin' Moms)

Host: Rockie Program Competition Awards

• **Jonathan and Drew Scott** (The Property Brothers)

Innovative Producer Award / Master Class Series: Brick by Brick

• **Justin Simien** (Showrunner, *Dear White People*)

The Hollywood Reporter Impact Award/ Master Class Series: Dear White People

• **Logan Browning** (Actress, *Dear White People*)

Master Class Series: Dear White People / Women in Power panelist

• Kitti Jones/Brie Miranda Bryant/dream hampton/Tamra Simmons (Surviving R. Kelly)

A+E Inclusion Award / Master Class Series: Surviving R. Kelly

• **Jeffrey Katzenberg** (Co-founder of Dreamworks, and currently Managing Partner of WndrCo and Chairman and Founder of Quibi)

Summit Series Keynote

• **Sarah Barnett** (President, Entertainment Networks, for AMC Networks) *Summit Series Keynote*

Paula Kerger (President and CEO, PBS)

Summit Series Keynote

• **Sean Giambrone** (Actor, *The Goldbergs*)

Banff Program Competition nominee

• **Luke Tennie** (Actor, *Deadly Class*)

Banff Program Competition nominee

• **Amy Gravitt** (EVP of Programming, HBO)

In Conversation with (Bill Hader)

For a full list of the agenda, please visit: **SCHEDULE**

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About the Banff World Media Festival

The Banff World Media Festival is one of the world's most important conferences serving the entertainment industry, dedicated to global content development, production, broadcast and distribution. BANFF provides a platform for the evolving media industry to develop its creative and business objectives. BANFF serves as the leading annual destination for co-production and co-venture partners and is an unparalleled marketplace for over 1,500 international decision-makers to connect and forge new business deals. BANFF's Rockie Awards International Program Competition is one of the largest awards programs of its kind with participation from more than 40 countries and 150 senior industry jurors from around the world. The festival's renowned Rockies Gala Awards honour some of the most influential creators and executives in the industry in a star-studded evening of entertainment and celebration.

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