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The Pan African Film & Arts Festival Announces Call for Volunteers for PAFF 2025

Volunteers Needed for Nation's Largest Black History Month Event Taking Place February 4–17, 2025

Los Angeles, CA – The Pan African Film & Arts Festival (PAFF), the nation's largest and most celebrated Black History Month event, is excited to announce its official Call for Volunteers for the 33rd annual festival, taking place February 4–17, 2025. PAFF is seeking dedicated individuals to join its team and help deliver another groundbreaking celebration of Black culture, art, and storytelling.

Each year, PAFF welcomes thousands of attendees from around the world, showcasing films, art exhibitions, and cultural programming that uplift the voices of the African diaspora. Volunteers are the backbone of the festival, helping ensure a seamless and memorable experience for all participants.

"Volunteering at PAFF is more than just supporting a festival," **said Oduduwa Olatunji**, **Executive Director of PAFF**. "It's about being part of a movement that celebrates Black creativity, fosters community, and amplifies underrepresented voices. Our volunteers play a vital role in making this vision a reality."

Volunteer Opportunities Include:

- Guest Services & Box Office
- Film Screening Support (Ushering & Logistics)
- ArtFEST Assistance
- Event Setup & Coordination



Volunteer Management & Coordination

PAFF welcomes volunteers of all backgrounds who are passionate about film, art, and cultural engagement. Volunteers will gain hands-on experience, build meaningful connections, and have the unique opportunity to be part of an internationally acclaimed event.

How to Apply:

Interested individuals can submit their volunteer application at www.paff.org.

Applicants are encouraged to share their availability, skills, and areas of interest. PAFF's volunteer team will ensure roles are matched to each individual's strengths and experience.

About Pan African Film & Arts Festival:

The Pan African Film & Arts Festival (PAFF) is one of the longest-running and most respected cultural events dedicated to showcasing the artistic achievements of the Black and African diaspora. Since its inception, PAFF has provided a dynamic platform for filmmakers, artists, and performers to share their stories, celebrate their heritage, and inspire audiences through powerful and thought-provoking works. More at paff.org.

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