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We are thrilled you can join us for South Coast Repertory's 2019 **Pacific Playwrights Festival** (PPF). In this Welcome Packet, you will find more information about the festival weekend.

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If you have any ticketing questions, please contact SCR's Box Office.  
**(714) 708-5555 • [boxoffice@scr.org](mailto:boxoffice@scr.org)**

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**(714) 708-5062 • [andrew@scr.org](mailto:andrew@scr.org)**

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## INDUSTRY GUEST LIST

### **Alley Theatre**

Lily Wolff

### **American Conservatory Theater**

Andy Donald

### **American Theatre Critics Association**

Jonathan Levine

### **American Theatre Magazine**

Diep Tran

### **Artists Repertory Theatre**

Dámaso Rodríguez

### **Berkeley Repertory Theatre**

Michelle Branch

### **Boston University**

Kristin Leahey

### **CalArts**

Sophie Blumberg

Megan E. Carter

Alyse James

Abby Marcus

Jared Pixler

Xiaoyue Zhang

### **Chalk Repertory Theatre**

Jennifer Chang

Claudia de Vasco

### **Chance Theater**

James McHale

Erika Miller

Oanh Nguyen

### **Concord Theatricals**

Amy Rose Marsh

### **Crowded Fire Theater Company**

Mina Morita

### **Denver Center for the Performing Arts**

Grady Soapes

### **Dramatic Publishing**

Linda Habjan

### **Edgerton Foundation**

Brad Edgerton

Louise Edgerton

### **The Elizabeth George Foundation**

Barbara Fryer

### **Gartner/Green Entertainment**

Howard Green

### **Geffen Playhouse**

Amy Levinson

Phyllis Schuringa

Rachel Wiegardt-Egel

### **The Gersh Agency**

Leah Hamos

### **Goodman Theatre**

Jonathan Green

### **Harold and Mimi Steinberg Charitable Trust**

Jim Steinberg

Lori Steinberg

### **HowlRound Theatre Commons**

Ramona Ostrowski

### **ICM Partners**

Ross Weiner

### **International City Theatre**

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Jordan Gohara

### **Jungle Theater**

Sarah Rasmussen

### **Literate**

Dennis Kim

Kelly Miller

### **Manhattan Theatre Club**

Elizabeth Rothman

### **Midnight Rice Productions**

Van Pham

### **National Endowment for the Arts**

Greg Reiner

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## **National New Play Network**

Jordana Fraider

## **Northlight Theatre**

Kristen Osborn

## **The Old Globe**

Jessica Bird Beza

## **Oregon Shakespeare Festival**

Christopher Acebo

Amrita Ramanan

## **PlayPenn**

Paul Meshejian

## **The Playwrights' Center**

Barry Berg

Jeffrey Bores

Jeremy Cohen

Robert Englund

Michael Hawkins

Katie Hey

Patrick Kennedy

John Stout

Marcia Stout

## **Playwrights Horizons**

Lizzie Stern

## **Portland Center Stage**

Benjamin Fainstein

## **Rogue Machine Theatre**

Marni Ayers

Elina de Santos

## **Roundabout Theatre Company**

Jill Rafson

## **San Diego Repertory Theatre**

Dawn Moore

Danielle Ward

## **Santa Monica Rep**

Marianne Dozier

Gail Myers

## **SDB Partners**

Susie Schwarz

## **Seattle Repertory Theatre**

Hattie Andres

## **Theatre Communications Group**

Emily Cachapero

Teresa Eyring

Kathy Sova

## **TheatreWorks Silicon Valley**

Susan Fairbrook

Jeffrey Lo

## **Unbound Productions**

Paul Millet

## **United Talent Agency**

Jamie Kaye-Phillips

Rachel Viola

## **University of California, Irvine**

Joel Robert Veenstra

## **University of Texas at Austin/ Tofte Lake Center**

Liz Engelman

## **WME**

Michael Finkle

## **Actors**

Celeste Den

Morrison Keddie

Raymond Lee

Deborah Puette

## **Composers**

Dan Messé

## **Designers**

Myung Hee Cho

Lap-Chi Chu

## **Directors**

Nicholas C. Avila

Jaime Castañeda

Jennifer Chambers

Mike Donahue

Ricka Fisher

Dylan Key

Robin Larsen

Evren Odcikin

M. Graham Smith

Gaye Taylor Upchurch

Hannah Wolf

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# INDUSTRY GUEST LIST

## Playwrights

Adam Bock  
Bekah Brunstetter  
Brian Burke  
Rosalie Campbell  
Kate Cortesi  
Frances Ya-Chu Cowhig  
Jenny Connell Davis  
Julia Doolittle  
Minita Gandhi  
William Glick  
José Cruz González  
Allison Gregory  
Dipika Guha  
Sean Hartley  
Chisa Hutchinson  
Sara Israel  
Aditi Brennan Kapil  
John King  
Victor Lesniewski  
Eric Reyes Loo  
Craig Lucas  
Ian McRae  
Robert Menna  
Qui Nguyen  
Ana Nogueira  
Lily Padilla  
Nicholas Pappas  
christopher oscar peña  
Melissa Ross  
Herbert Siguenza  
Jonathan Spector  
Pam Susemihl  
Roger Tang  
Sanaz Toossi  
Minghao Tu  
Luke Yankee  
Steve Yockey

## Producers

Augusta Supple

# PPF BASH

SATURDAY, APRIL 27, AT 9:30PM

The staff & artists of  
**THE PACIFIC PLAYWRIGHTS FESTIVAL**  
invite you to celebrate PPF with a bash.

Hosted drinks & appetizers.

Tickets are included in full packages,  
or may be purchased individually for \$30.

*Please note that tickets will not be sold at the door and must be purchased by Friday, April 26. If you have not purchased a ticket and would like to add the PPF Bash to your order, please call the SCR Box Office at (714) 708-5555.*

## 2019 PPF PLAYWRIGHTS PANEL: PLAYWRIGHTS AND INSTITUTIONAL CHANGE

Playwright Aditi Brennan Kapil will lead a broad conversation with the 2019 festival playwrights about their plays. They'll also touch on a topic impacting many theatres today: Across the country, theatres of all sizes are experiencing leadership change. The panel will discuss what that means for playwrights. As writers, what impact do they hope this sea change has on the field, and on their future work?

The Playwrights Panel is free and open to the public; no tickets are necessary. Please join us!

SUNDAY, APRIL 28, AT 9AM  
ON THE JULIANNE ARGYROS STAGE

*Please feel free to grab a lid and bring your coffee into the theatre with you;  
however we ask that you enjoy your breakfast before or after the event.*

# PPF AFTER HOURS

*Please join us for late-night happy hour!*

## THE WESTIN HOTEL LOUNGE

FRIDAY NIGHT UNTIL 12AM OR LATER

**30% off drinks with your PPF name badge**

686 Anton Blvd., Costa Mesa, CA (adjacent to SCR)

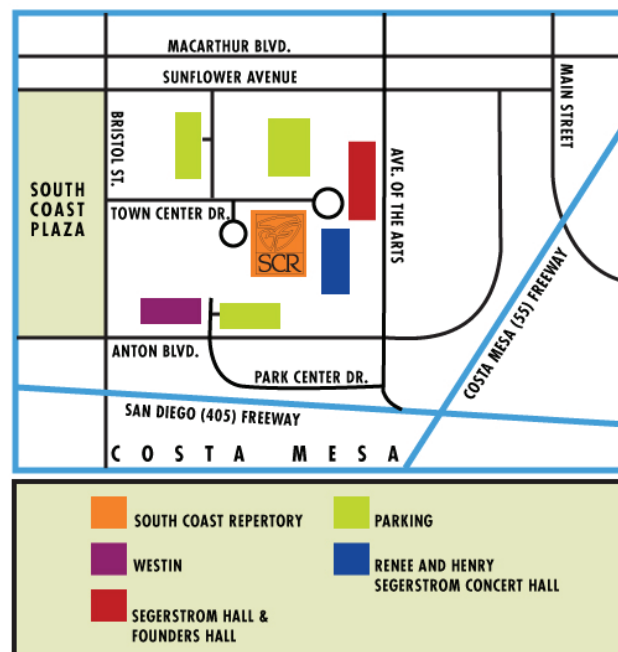


## GROUND TRANSPORTATION AND PARKING

John Wayne Airport is only a few miles from the theatre. Please note that the Costa Mesa Marriott does not provide a shuttle service to and from the airport, but both Uber and Lyft are readily available and can pick up and drop off at the Santa Ana airport.

If you fly into Long Beach or LAX, there are shuttle services available, ranging between \$40–\$100. Travel time from Long Beach is typically 40-90 minutes and from LAX one to two hours, depending on time of day and traffic. Super Shuttle rides may be booked at [supershuttle.com](http://supershuttle.com).

If you are driving to the festival, we recommend you park at your hotel. Parking is also available in the structure nearest to South Coast Repertory at a rate of \$20 per day. Please note that there are not in/out privileges.



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