

300 films in six days August 5-10, 2008 / RHODE ISLAND INTERNATIONAL FIL

RIIFF 2008 Travel Packages

This year the Rhode Island International Film Festival is rolling out the red carpet for visiting festival-goers. In an effort to attract more out-of state visitors, we are making it as simple as possible to attend this year's festival. One of our packages takes visitors onboard the RIIFF car of an Amtrak train as it travels through Washington DC, New York, and from Boston on its way to Providence. Orientation onboard is a great opportunity to mingle and form connections. Hotel lodging offered in two of Providence's finest hotels amongst fellow festival-goers allows for convenient engagement with other members within the film community. Our hopes are that this travel package, along with the others being offered, will make getting to this year's festival as easy and accessible as possible.

A-list in the Ocean State - Five nights only \$720!*

Now it is affordable to take in the whole Film Festival and all that Rhode Island has to offer! Stay for the whole week, arriving in time for the opening night gala party. Come and go as you please to all of the films being showcased with our Filmmakers' Pass. Stay five nights in a Junior Suite at the luxurious Providence Biltmore Hotel. Travel to Providence with other festival attendees will take place in a private RIIFF Amtrak car, creating networking connections that will last beyond the week. This is the way to truly experience RIIFF! Included in this package:

- Access to all films
- Tours of Providence and the rest of Rhode Island
- All RIIFF Sponsored Festival Parties (excluding Opening Night President's Reception)
- Opening Night events (Film screening and party; reservations required) and Closing Night Film & Party
- "Red Carpet" events (reservations required) and Weekend "Between Takes" Coffee Talks
- Filmmakers Awards Ceremony Invitation (reservations required)
- 20% off selected restaurants and a Spa Package
- Free Cinema RI Membership
- Commemorative RIIFF t-shirt and welcome package

Weekend Getaway - Two nights only \$560!*

Can't miss work? Leave midday on Friday and be back by Sunday night. A two-night stay in the comfort of the Renaissance Hotel is the perfect way to spend the weekend. The trip only gets easier, while easy pickup is accessible via our Amtrak car. Enjoy a discount spa package at a reduced price and dine at some of Providence's premiere restaurants. Attend the Saturday Night film and after-party, as well as our exclusive closing night staff and filmmaker party. You receive:

- Access to all films over the weekend
- Ticket to the Saturday Night film and party
- Access to other weekend parties, including our Saturday night party and private closing night staff and filmmaker party
- Closing Night Film & Party
- 20% off selected restaurants and a Spa Package
- Commemorative RIIFF t-shirt and welcome package

*Based on double occupancy; single occupancy is an additional \$160.

Prices quoted include transportation from New York City. Transportation from Boston, New Haven and Washington, D.C. also available, as well as packages with no transportation. Package deadline is July 29, 2008. Packages are non-refundable but transferable. TO RESERVE PACKAGES, GO TO FILM-FESTIVAL.ORG/TRAVELPACKAGES



RIIFF Film School - Three nights only \$500!*

Film students and filmmakers – Take part in this rare opportunity to network, learn, and discuss current issues in film. Experience Rhode Island's unique perspective as you learn from industry leaders and experts specialized in New England film. Hosted discussions on numerous aspects of movie production, including financing, digital distribution, trends in technology, are just a few examples of topics that will be touched upon. Travel in our RIIFF Amtrak car and stay with other package-holders in triple Jr. Suite Rooms at the Providence Biltmore! You receive:

- Pass to the Film Forum and Filmmaker Panels
- Access to other Forums and "Between Takes" coffee talks over the weekend
- Access to twelve films throughout the weekend
- Ticket to the Saturday Night film and party
- Invitation to our very private closing night staff and filmmaker party
- 20% off selected restaurants
- Commemorative RIIFF t-shirt and welcome package

Behind The Scenes Experience - Five nights only \$630!*

Have you ever wanted to volunteer at a film festival? Learn the ins and outs of the festival by working on a volunteer vacation and help run the events! Get access with a Volunteer Plus pass, which allows you into all film screening and selected special events. See Providence on a personalized guided tour. Stay five nights in a Junior Suite at the luxurious Providence Biltmore and travel to Providence with other festival-goers in a special RIIFF Amtrak car, creating networking connections that will last beyond the week. Be here and live the festival life on the cheap! You receive:

- Access to all films
- Tours of Providence and the rest of Rhode Island
- Opening Night events (Film screening and party; reservations required) and Closing Night Film & Party
- Weekend "Between Takes" Coffee Talks
- Selected RIIFF Sponsored Festival Parties (excluding Opening Night President's Reception)
- 20% off selected restaurants and a Spa Package
- Commemorative RIIFF t-shirt and welcome package

| Pizzico Restaurant | Pot au Feu Restaurant | Temple Restaurant | Bacaro Restaurant |
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| 762 Hope St | 44 Custom House St | 120 Francis Street | 262 South Water |
| Providence, RI | Providence, RI | Providence, RI | Providence, RI |
| 02906 | 02903 | 02903 | 02903 |
| (401) 421-4114 | (401) 273-8953 | (401) 919-5050 | (401) 751-3700 |

Package deadline is July 25, 2008. Packages are non-refundable, but they can be transferred to another person.

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**Based on triple occupancy; double occupancy is an additional \$100.

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