# 2011 VOLUNTEER APPLICATION

## FLICKERS: Rhode Island International Film Festival

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NOTE: RIIFF REQUESTS YOU VOLUNTEER FOR A MINIMUM OF THREE (3) SHIFTS DURING THE FESTIVAL: AUGUST 9-14th, 2011.

Festival volunteers must attend the orientation session where you will be given a volunteer booklet, an explanation of events, and sign up sheets with dates and times for all events.

Wednesday, July 20<sup>th</sup> at 5:30pm **The Vets**1 Avenue of the Arts

Providence, RI 02903

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### **VOLUNTEER PACKAGE**

- Volunteer Credential—valid entire week
- Volunteer Thank-You Reception on August 14th, 2011

For additional information on Rhode Island's International Film Festival please call **401-861-4445**.

PLEASE RETURN APPLICATION TO THE ADDRESS ABOVE. THANKS!

# WORK AND LEARN WITH SOME OF RHODE ISLAND'S BRIGHTEST STARS IN THE FILM INDUSTRY. JOIN OUR TEAM AND BE A PART OF THIS YEAR'S RHODE ISLAND INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL!

The film industry is more than just actors and actresses. There are a variety of skills needed to make this festival a success. Volunteers are needed in the following areas:

- Administrative Staff: Word processing, respond to inquiries and mailings, record keeping, general office tasks.
- Event Organization and Hospitality: Assist in planning and executing all aspects of opening galas, special events an award shows. Serve as liaison to VIPs, sponsors, caterers, and events staff. Door check-in and crowd control.
- **Operations:** Assist operations managers with overall coordination of the following committees —

**Box Office, House Manager, Ushers:** Liaison with venue owner; ticket collection, seating, general festival information for patrons.

**Film Curating and Transportation:** catalog films, transportation to venues, film returns.

**Technical:** projection, equipment maintenance.

- **Public Relations/Marketing:** Assist Managing Director. Liaison with domestic and international media outlets. Coordination of press events and materials. Collect collateral press on Festival to assist participating filmmakers. Maintain clippings book.
- **Volunteer Team Leaders:** Serve as a group leader for the areas mentioned above. Must have good organizational skills and be a "people" person. Maintain volunteer database, mailings and telephone follow-ups.
- **Publications and Information:** Assist Program book designer. Development, writing, editing, and desktop publishing skills to create film programs, informational handouts for public, visiting filmmaker materials and other promotions.

### Please contact:

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