BETTER WORLD FUND C A N N E S F I L M F E S T I V A L MAY 19TH, 2026, AT CARLTON HOTEL

What legacy are we leaving to future generations

Education & AI

How AI is transforming the way childhood is represented, protected, and a in everyday life and in cinema?

COUNTRY OF HONOR:

EGYPT



"The better world to which we all aspire is within our reach. Deeply humanitarian, I am convinced that together we can move mountains by providing concrete solutions to tomorrow's challenges.

In 2016, driven by the desire to take part in this movement of awareness, I launched the Better World Fund.

Yes, there is hope.

Everywhere in the world, women and men are creating, innovating, and taking action for climate change, social inequalities, culture, and education.

The Better World Fund's ambition is to highlight and financially support these actions that give hope.

The power of art seemed to me an obvious way to raise awareness and inspire global world citizens to act for the future of our planet."



BIOGRAPHY,
INTERVIEWS,
ARTICLES, AND
MUCH MORE...



Manuel Collas de La Roche,
President & Founder of the Better World Fund

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CINEMA & ART AT THE SERVICE OF HUMANITY
Women's rights - Gender Equality - Education

The Better World Awards Are Created B The Great Italian Artist Dante Mortet

Hands of Personalities Sculpted by Dante Mortet:

- Robert De Niro
- Oprah Winfrey
- Ibrahimovic
- Scorsese
- Frankye Valli
 - Zanetti

- Dustin Hoffman
- Kirk Douglas
- Thiago Silva
- Quentin Tarantino
- Anjelica Huston
- Hugo Sanchez

- Samuel L Jackson
- JennyferJason Leigh
 - Julio Cesar
 - Kurt Russell
 - Ennio Morricone
 - Drogba

- Bruce Dern
- Kevin Spacey
 - Cavani
 - Tim Roth
- Andrea Bocelli
- Patrick Doherty
- Walton Goggins
 - Pelé
 - Keni Silva
- Lou Ferrigno



Alongside these leading figures, Mortet's complete collection is a true atlas of contemporary cinema: Dustin Hoffman, Tim Roth, Walton Goggins, Kevin Spacey, Michael Madsen, Samuel L. Jackson, Bruce Dern, and many others.

A bronze firmament destined to endure. Masterful Hands offers a fresh perspective: viewing cinema's great personalities from another point of view-that of sculp-

A deeply Italian language, sculpture continues to speak to both the present and the future. With the enduring power of bronze, these hands do more than withstand time: they become living memory, iconic gestures, and eternal witnesses of an era and its creative soul.

Dante's is a craft-driven way of thinking, rooted in tradition, that tells the story of passion, love, and creativity through the hands of each individual.

His works are now featured in international collections and prestigious institutions.



DISCOVER IN VIDEO





Dante Mortet, artist and master chaser from a historic Roman workshop now in its fifth generation, has created something truly unique: the hands of cinema greats, molded from original casts and transformed into works of art that capture not only gestures, but also emotion, memory, and identity.

Each sculpture is born from direct contact with the artist through a conversation, a shared moment translated into details added to the bronze surface: a crease, a tension, an object, a symbol. The hands are not just tools, but inner portraits.

This exhibition focuses on some of the most iconic figures in the world of cinema, whom Dante Mortet met in person and immortalized: Martin Scorsese, Robert De Niro, Anjelica Huston, Kirk Douglas, Ennio Morricone, Jennifer Jason Leigh, Kurt Russell, and Quentin Tarantino.

Hands that have written, directed, performed, played music.

Hands that have created worlds.







INTERNATIONAL FORUM

11 AM TO 2 PM

PROGRAM

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GALA FOR HUMANITY

7:30 PM TO 12 AM



PRIVATE AUCTION TESSIER SARROU L'ASSOCIES COMMISSAIRES-Priseurs

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BETTER WORLD AWARDS

Awards for Commitments, Engagements & Achievements

Best Commitment Award

Honors individuals who have made extraordinary contributions to a specific cause.

- S.A.S PRINCE ALBERT II OF MONACO
- Hon. Senator Simon Stiell
- CHIEF RAONI
- DAVID LYNCH
- ARISA
- Patrick Doherty
- JEREMY PIVEN
- KENI SILVA
- ELISABETH MORENO FORMER MINISTER FRENCH GOVERNEMENT
- H.E ELIZA REID, FIRST LADY OF ICELAND
- KEVIN COSTNER
- CATHERINE DENEUVE
- Enzo Di Taranto
- Natalia Kholodenko
- PAVEL KIR

Best Engagements Award

Recognizes people who have engaged, inspired and mobilized for a cause.

- H.E Dominique Ouattara, First Lady of Ivory Coast
- H.E SHEIKH AHMED BIN FAISAL AL QASSIMI
- KEVIN SPACEY
- AMRUTA FADNAVIS
- Lang Lang
- SHARON STONE
- Mira Nair
- Nandita Das
- CHIARA TILESI

- Mary J Blidge
- JOANNA PLAFSKY
- DR TANI AL ZEYOUDI, FORMER MINISTER OF ENVIRONMENT UAE

Best Achievement Award

Rewards concrete actions taken as part of social and

- NADINE LABAKI
- Sonia Guajajara, Minister of Indigenous Peoples of Brazil
- EUZHAN PALCY
- Susan Sarandon
- H.E Tamara Vučić, First Lady of Serbia
- ISABELLE HUPPERT
- H.R.H Vacharaesorn Vivacharawongse
- Mark Peine & Christian Vosseler

humanitarian initiatives.

- David Wood
- CARMEN MAURA
- HIGHER COMMITTEE OF HUMAN FRATERNITY
- ELVIRA PATERSON



