



*Cinema & Art at the Service of Humanity.
for
Women's Rights – Gender Equality – Education*

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SPECIAL GUESTS
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FIRST NAME	LAST NAME	ROLE	SECTION	SUB-SECTION
Aliaa	Elserafy	Spouse of the Ambassador of the Arab Republic of Egypt to France	• VIP	Confirmed
Anne	Le Hénanff	Delegate Minister for Artificial Intelligence and Digital Affairs of the French Government	• Masterclass & Gala Dinner	In discussion
Anwar	El-Kamony	CEO of The Hope Giver Campaign	• Masterclass & Gala Dinner	Confirmed
Barry Alexander	Brown	American film editor and director	• Masterclass & Gala Dinner	Confirmed
Béatrice	de Bourbon des Deux-Siciles	Her Royal Highness Princess Béatrice de Bourbon des Deux Siciles	• Masterclass & Gala Dinner	Confirmed
Dr. Khaled	El-Anani	General Director, UNESCO	• Masterclass & Gala Dinner	Confirmed
Elton	John	Singer-songwriter and pianist	• Gala dinner	In discussion
Elizabeth	Platt	Education		Confirmed
Guila Clara	Kessous	UNESCO Ambassador and Artist for Peace	• Masterclass moderator	Confirmed
Haifa	Wehbe	Egyptian actress	• Masterclass & Gala Dinner	Confirmed
Isabel	Allende	Author	• Personality	In discussion
Isabelle	Lonvis Rome	French Ambassador for Human Rights for the President Macron. Former Minister	• Masterclass & Gala Dinner	Confirmed
Jane	Fonda	Actress and activist	• Personality	In discussion
Keni	Silva	Multi-talented model		Confirmed
Meryl	Streep	Actress	• Personality	In discussion



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María del Pilar	Murat	H.I.R.H. Princess Murat and her daughters, Isabel and Alondra Brun		Confirmed
Mohamed	Hadid	Real estate developer and businessman		Confirmed
Nabila	Makram	Former Minister	• Masterclass & Gala Dinner	Confirmed
Naglaa	Abdul Salam	Spouse of the Egyptian Minister of foreign affairs and head of Welcome Egypt initiative	• Masterclass & Gala Dinner	Confirmed
Nandana	Sen	Film director from the US, Board Member of the Women's Refugee Commission. Link	• Masterclass & Gala Dinner	Confirmed
Najat	Vallaud Belkacem	She has been appointed senior advisor to the French Court of Auditors. Former Minister	• Masterclass & Gala Dinner	Confirmed
Patrick	Doherty	New York-based neurosurgeon		Confirmed
Rania	Al-Mashat	Minister of planning and international coopération	• Masterclass & Gala Dinner	In discussion
Sharon	Stone	Actress	• Personality	In discussion
Steve	Mao	Film producer		Confirmed
Sameh	Choukri	Minister of Foreign Affairs of Egypt	• Masterclass & Gala Dinner	In discussion
Tarek	Dahroung	Ambassador of the Arab Republic of Egypt to France	• Masterclass & Gala Dinner	Confirmed
Valentina	Castellani-Quinn	Studio Quinn Film Producer	• Masterclass & Gala Dinner	Confirmed
Vérane	Brown	Founder, at Counter Intelligence Media	• Masterclass & Gala Dinner	Confirmed