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Doja Cat Is the Musical Guest at LACMA's 2025 Art+Film Gala

LACMA's 14th Annual Gala on Saturday, November 1, 2025, Honors Mary Corse and Ryan Coogler

Co-Chaired by Eva Chow and Leonardo DiCaprio and Presented by Gucci



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(Los Angeles, CA—October 1, 2025) The Los Angeles County Museum of Art (LACMA) announced today that Doja Cat is the musical guest of the 2025 Art+Film Gala honoring artist Mary Corse and filmmaker Ryan Coogler. Co-chaired by LACMA trustee Eva Chow and actor Leonardo DiCaprio, this celebration of art and film will take place on Saturday, November 1, 2025. Gucci continues its invaluable partnership with the museum as the presenting sponsor of the annual event.

"The Art+Film Gala has hosted an incredible range of musical talent over the past 14 years," said Eva Chow. "Doja Cat is a boundary-breaking creative force who will bring her incomparable energy to the evening."

About Doja Cat

GRAMMY Award—winning global superstar Doja Cat began her music journey at just 16, uploading her first tracks to SoundCloud in 2013. Growing up in the Los Angeles area, she cultivated her passion for music through piano, dance, and inspiration from artists like Busta Rhymes, Erykah Badu, and Nicki Minaj. After signing with Kemosabe/RCA Records in 2014, she released her debut EP *Purrr!* and album *Amala*, but it was her viral 2018 hit *MOOO!* that launched her into the spotlight. Her breakthrough continued with the 2019 platinum album *Hot Pink*, which featured hits like the GRAMMY-nominated "Say So" and viral sensation "Streets," helping her become a global phenomenon.

Doja Cat's third studio album *Planet Her* (2021) solidified her status, debuting at #1 on Billboard's Top R&B Albums chart and generating multi-platinum hits like "Kiss Me More" featuring SZA and "Woman." Known for her bold creativity and dynamic performances, she has headlined major festivals and award shows, earning numerous accolades including one GRAMMY, five AMAs, and five Billboard Music Awards. In 2023, she was named one of TIME100's Most Influential People and released her fourth studio album *Scarlet*, followed by her first North American headline tour, The Scarlet Tour. In April 2024, Doja Cat released her latest deluxe album, *Scarlet 2 CLAUDE*. In that same month, Doja Cat headlined Coachella 2024 and delivered an unforgettable performance. Recently, Doja Cat released her fifth studio album, *Vie*, an adventurous project that pays homage to the '70s, '80s, and '90s—all infused with her signature modern twist. With over 36 billion worldwide streams, Doja Cat continues to redefine global pop stardom with her boundary-pushing artistry and undeniable impact on music and culture, solidifying her place as one of the most influential voices of her generation.

Art+Film Gala

At the 2024 Art+Film Gala, more than 650 prominent guests celebrated the achievements of artist Simone Leigh and filmmaker Baz Luhrmann. The evening included a compelling musical performance by Charli xcx. The 2024 Art+Film Gala raised \$6.4 million.

Art+Film Gala proceeds are used to support LACMA's initiative to make film more central to the museum's curatorial programming, while also funding LACMA's broader mission. This includes exhibitions, acquisitions, and educational programming, in addition to screenings that explore the intersection of art and film.

For more information about the 2025 Art+Film Gala tickets and table sales, contact artandfilm@lacma.org or 323 857-4770.

About LACMA

Located on the Pacific Rim, LACMA is the largest art museum in the western United States, with a collection of more than 150,000 objects that illuminate 6,000 years of artistic expression across the globe. Committed to showcasing a multitude of art histories, LACMA exhibits and interprets works of art from new and unexpected points of view that are informed by the region's rich cultural heritage and diverse population. LACMA's spirit of experimentation is reflected in its work with artists, technologists, and thought leaders as well as in its regional, national, and global partnerships to share collections and programs, create pioneering initiatives, and engage new audiences.

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