



Dear Actors and Creators in Film and Television,

For the last 78 years, we've taken great joy in knowing our stage has been home to some of your biggest moments. The Golden Globes have helped discover up-and-comers, changed the trajectory of careers, and recognized trailblazing programs and performances. We have spent decades uplifting the arts to our home countries, reporting about the emotional, comedic and raw performances which have united us over the years.

While the Golden Globes will not be televised in January 2022, we will continue our 78-year tradition of acknowledging excellence in television and film. Through screenings, links, streamers and in some cases, a trip to the movies, we assure you we are consuming all eligible content for a fair and equitable voting process. We recently brought in our largest and most diverse group of journalists to date, all of whom are excited to be first-time voters this year.

The last eight months have been difficult, but we are proud of the changes we have achieved so far. We've taken time to reflect on past missteps and reform our organization for the better. We have worked tirelessly to not only adopt changes addressing policies and conduct, diversity and equity, and voting, but to implement these changes thoroughly and meaningfully.

Additionally, we've begun a five-year partnership with the NAACP, creating the 'Reimagine Coalition' to address diversity issues within our organization and Hollywood overall that will be led by Neil Phillips, our new chief diversity officer. Change takes time, and while we've made great strides and are in it for the long run, we can't do it alone. Our relationship with you, the talent, is something we value tremendously. And while you may not be following every change and update we've made, we welcome the opportunity to bring you in on where we are today.

We look forward to honoring the best in film and television on January 9, 2022.

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