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CITY NEWS



OFM DIRECTOR KATE BECKER HAS BEEN CONFIRMED TO CONTINUE HER ROLE IN MAYOR DURKAN'S ADMINISTRATION

Seattle's newly elected Mayor Jenny A. Durkan recently announced that Kate Becker, the Office of Film + Music's (OFM) current Director, will continue in her role into the new administration. Director Becker has been with OFM since 2014; her announced continuation comes in a list of several other confirmed department leads.

[Read More at the Office of the Mayor](#)

INDUSTRY

REGISTRATION IS NOW OPEN FOR THE 2018 48 HOUR FILM PROJECT

Registration is now open for the 48 Hour Film Project (48HFP), and those who register by January 15 will receive a discount of over 25%, paying \$125. The 48HFP is a weekend where registered teams make a movie - write, shoot, and edit - in just 48 hours. Seattle's 48HFP weekend is anticipated to take place in July, but exact dates are TBD.

[Learn More at 48 Hour Film](#)



The 48 Hour Film Project

THIS WEEK'S BAND IN SEATTLE: SHELBY EARL

Shelby Early, a folk rock artist with a new album *The Man Who Made Himself a Name*, is featured on this week's Band in Seattle. Band in Seattle airs Saturday nights on KSTW, CW11 @ 11.



OPPORTUNITIES



NORTHWEST FILM FORUM IS HIRING: EDUCATION & ARTIST SERVICES MANAGER

Northwest Film Forum (NWFF) is currently seeking a community-oriented Education & Artist Services Manager (EASM). The EASM will oversee NWFF's adult education programs and artist service portfolio. This position is contracted with a strong possibility to become a permanent staff position; deadline to apply is

February 1.

[Apply at NWFF](#)



WHY VIDEO WORKS! A FREE WORKSHOP ON HOW TO INCORPORATE VIDEO ADVERTISING INTO YOUR BUSINESS

Join documentary filmmaker Elliat Graney-Saucke and the GSBA for a free workshop on video advertising next Wednesday, January 10. *Why Video Works!* will give stats on video advertising, identify a tone and style that is 'you', and will help you move towards

incorporating video into your business communications and marketing. The event is free and will take place at the GSBA at 2:00pm.

[Register at the GSBA](#)

MEDIA DIGEST

CITYARTS' 2018 FUTURE LIST

CityArts recently released its Future List, highlighting local artists who are making sizable and unique impacts on Seattle's creative

community. The list includes Jeff Ferrell, a filmmaker and horror enthusiast who is making national headway through his northwest produced films. His 2016 release *Dead West* was released by RLJ Entertainment and added to Netflix and iTunes. The list also includes Julie-C, a hip-hop artist who has been an educator for over a decade and is currently a lead activist in advancing Seattle's local music economy and housing affordability for Seattle artists.

See the Full List at [CityArts](#)



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