



**The Actors' Fund of Canada**  
The lifeline for Canada's entertainment industry

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On the following two pages you will find Actors' Fund donations forms that you can print out and include in your theatre program.

These pages are designed to be printed on letter-size sheets, double-sided and trimmed so there are three donation forms per letter-size sheet.

If you would like the Actors' Fund to send you donation forms that are custom-sized for your theatre or would like a quantity of pre-printed forms shipped to you, please fill out the Resources Request Form online at:

[www.actorsfund.ca/theatrekit/request.php](http://www.actorsfund.ca/theatrekit/request.php)

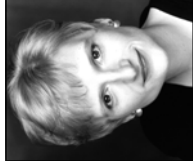


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**"The Fund helped me stabilize the cost of my monthly prescriptions."**

**CONRAD COATES**



**"The Actors' Fund's assistance came as an enormous relief."**

**KATE HENNIG**

**If you love theatre,  
help support the people who make it!**

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**Your donation will help the Actors' Fund deliver over \$600,000 in emergency aid this year. Please give generously.**



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**"The Actors' Fund is a precious resource in our industry. It was there for me when I needed it."**

**ANDREW MOODIE**



**"The Fund's faith in me as an artist made me realize that I was not alone..."**

**LAYNE COLEMAN**

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**"The Actors' Fund restores faith and courage to all who make their livelihood in the theatre."**

**CORRINE KOSLO**



**"The Actors' Fund was there for me when I needed it the most"**

**DAN LETT**

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**Yes! I want to help the Actors' Fund continue to provide emergency financial aid to theatre artists (and those who work with them) in times of crisis.**

I'd like to make a **pledge** of:

\$10    \$20    \$50    Other

(I understand the Fund will follow up by phone, and that this donation will be eligible for a tax receipt.)

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Please add me to the Actors' Fund mailing list.

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_



**LOUISE PITRE**

"Once, many years ago, I was in a situation and I needed to move. Like most performers, I was working from contract to contract, looking for work wherever I could get it.

Not knowing where else to turn, I called on the Actors' Fund. They gave me money to cover my rent and other bills.

Although that time seems so far away from where I am today, I'll always remember how much the Fund helped me. It's a humbling thing to admit that you once had to ask for help. But what happened to me could happen to anyone in this business. At any time."

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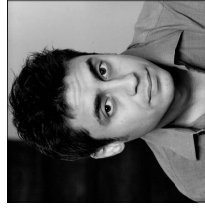
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**MICHAEL SCHOLAR JR.**

"The Actors' Fund is such an important charity because it helps anyone from the entertainment industry who needs assistance.

Public resources for artist assistance are limited in this country, and the Actors' Fund is there to fill that gap and support us through those rough patches.

The Actors' Fund was there for me when I most needed it, and allowed me to stay afloat and most importantly stay in the theatre."

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**TANJA JACOBS**

"The emergency assistance provided by the Fund made a huge difference for my family. It helped ease the stress that kept me awake at night.

Everyone knows that being an actor in Canada means living without a safety net. But, knowing it doesn't make it any easier. What does help is knowing that in very stressful times the Fund can be approached for help; and it can be approached without shame.

The distance from doing well to destitution is short and sudden. While we are blessed with good health and an income, we need to remember our friends and colleagues who may need our help."

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