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IN THIS SPECIAL EDITION:
A look back at 2015

THE YEAR IN REVIEW

As 2015 comes to a close, lets take a look back...

JANUARY

General Membership Meeting
BRIDGE FURNITURE & PROPS



SDSA NY Holiday Party
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FEBRUARY

The Art of Production Design Oscar® Panel

Presented by the ADG and the SDSA

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Behind the Scene: Set Decoration in TV & Film - Panel

New York School of Interior Design NYC



MARCH

22nd Annual SDSA Awards Luncheon

The Millennium Biltmore Crystal Ballroom



APRIL
General Membership Meeting
JAXON



MAY
General Membership Meeting
OB-JECTS



Day with the Set Decorator
Los Angeles Center Studios



JUNE
General Membership Meeting
ZGo4



JULY
General Membership Meeting
HD BUTTERCUP



AUGUST
SDSA NY Party
 AISLING FLOWERS



General Membership Meeting
WARNER BROS. PROPERTY SERVICES



SEPTEMBER

SDSA Emmy Party

ADVANCED LIQUIDATORS OFFICE FURNITURE, INC.



OCTOBER

General Membership Meeting

DAPPER CADAVER



Speakeasy & Panel Discussion

WESTEDGE DESIGN FAIR

Presented by *Robb Report Home & Style Magazine* & the SDSA



NOVEMBER

Day With The Set Decorator
WALT DISNEY STUDIOS



General Membership Meeting
ARTSPACE WAREHOUSE



DECEMBER
SDSA-ADG Holiday Mixer
BASSMAN BLAINE & LA MART DESIGN CENTER



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2015. What a year!

For more coverage of these events check out the [news section](#) of the SDSA website

SETDECOR



[Film Decor:](#) Set Decorator Andrea Joel SDSA gives clues to the *SECRET IN THEIR EYES*



[Directors Chair:](#) Director Sarah Gavron and team bring to light the Women's Rights movement of the UK in *SUFFRAGETTE*

Coming soon!

Director's Chair:

Tom Hooper – *THE DANISH GIRL*
George Martin – *MAD MAX: FURY ROAD*
David O. Russell – *JOY*

Film Decor:

BRIDGE OF SPIES, TRUMBO, BROOKLYN, THE BIG SHORT, THE HATEFUL EIGHT

Check out all of the great articles in [Set Decor](#)

COMMUNITY OUTREACH

The Annual Community Outreach Committee Silent Art Auction held at the 2015 SDSA Annual Awards Luncheon benefitted **L.A. Goal**, our selected charity recipient for 2015. Petite Konstantin, Executive Director, MPA, for L.A. Goal was the guest speaker representing the exceptional arts education program benefitting adults with developmental disabilities to increase their independence and employability.



Leslie Frankenheimer Scholarship recipients were announced and the scholarships awarded on March 15th at the 2015 SDSA Annual Awards Luncheon.

Alejandra Moreno is a student at UC Berkeley majoring in Molecular & Cell Biology.
Nicolas de Soto-Foley is a student at Wesleyan University majoring in Film Studies.



The Hollywood Firefighters Spark of Love Toy Drive is currently underway. The fund was created in 2004 at the **California Community Foundation** to provide toys or sports equipment for underserved children during the holiday season in Southern California.

We again thank the collection site sponsors for their generosity in hosting a toy collection box. We had twenty-two toy box locations this year. The most ever! Thank you to all of you for helping us make sure every child has a gift this holiday season!

THANK YOU

As I look back on this year, it is with gratitude to all of our Members,
from the decorators, associates and students who volunteer so readily,
to the business members who always support us.
This is what makes the SDSA so special.

With Love,
Shirley Starks SDSA
President, Set Decorators Society of America

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Rosemary Brandenburg

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In A Few Words...

Which talent would you most like to have?

Flying, so I can zoom around fast over traffic, see into secret places and travel whenever I please for free.

What do you consider your greatest achievement?

Overcoming fear - or most of it.
Makes me a nicer person to be around.

Which word or phrase do you most overuse?

"Would you mind ...?" (assigning huge tasks).

What do you look for on the Craft Services table?

Spa water. I get very excited by the pretty fruit and ice floating in the dispenser. Makes me feel special.

Please name a benefit of being an SDSA member.

Learned how to work effectively with others with varying agendas. Improved my communication skills: writing, public speaking. Met Set Decorators from all kinds of media, around the country, and around the world. Shared experiences with so many people. I am very proud of the SDSA's history and its potential for the future.

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SDSA MEMBERSHIP

Please welcome the following Members:

Katie Hickman SDSA Set Decorator (New York)

Traci Johnson SDSA Associate Member

Maya Levy SDSA Associate Member

Lori Hewitt, Friends of the SDSA

Please welcome the following new Business Members:

Le Coterie (Los Angeles, CA)

Captured|52 (Portland, OR)

Universal Art Gallery Inc. (Venice, CA)

Do you know someone that is interested in joining?
Membership information can be found [here](#) on the SDSA website

LIGHTSCAMERAACTION!

SDSA Members are hard at work on...

Some of your favorite shows:

THE MAN IN THE HIGH CASTLE Set Decorator - Brenda Meyers-Ballard SDSA

DOLLY PARTON'S COAT OF MANY COLORS Set Decorator - Gia Grosso SDSA

TELENOVELA Set Decorator - Peggy Casey SDSA

SUPERSTORE Set Decorator - Cynthia McCormac SDSA

(Pilot) Set Decorator - Chilly Nathan SDSA

Playing at a theater near you:

ALVIN & THE CHIPMUNKS: ROAD CHIP Set Decorator - Frank Galline SDSA
THE BIG SHORT Set Decorator - Linda Sutton-Doll SDSA
CONCUSSION Set Decorator - James V. Kent SDSA
DADDY'S HOME Set Decorator - Jan Pascale SDSA
THE HATEFUL EIGHT Set Decorator - Rosemary Brandenburg SDSA
SISTERS Set Decorator - Stephanie Q. Bowen SDSA

SAVETHEDATE

General Membership Meeting
Thursday, January 28th, 6:30pm -9:00pm
at
St. Vincent de Paul
210 N. Avenue 21 | Los Angeles, CA 90031

Mark your calendar!

For more events and information, please check the SDSA Calendar here
[SDSA Calendar](#)

SDSA ONLINE

Looking for more information? Your best resource is www.setdecorators.org

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Thank you for supporting the Business Members who support the SDSA

Did you know that the SDSA can be found on Facebook, Twitter @setdecoronline and Pinterest!
Be sure to "Like", "Follow" and "Pin" us!



Did you know that ANY purchase made on Amazon going through our links within our [Book/DVD store](#) (and not just the featured items) help raise funds for the SDSA? Just remember to click *first* on the SDSA's bookstore, and then click the Amazon link to start your shopping!

Business Members, do you have an announcement you'd like to make?

Set Decorators, what are you working on?

Please email your news to Mimi@frontrowmedia.com

and be sure to update your SDSA and IMDB listings!

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