

FILM FORUM

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About Film Forum

Film Forum began in 1970 as an alternative screening space for independent films. As a cinema of ideas, Film Forum is committed to presenting an international array of films that treat diverse social, political, historical and cultural realities. Film Forum's programs are thoughtfully curated, with attention to unique cinematic qualities, historical importance individually or within a genre and, particularly for documentaries, relevance to today's world.

Film Forum, Inc. provides fiscal sponsorship to filmmakers in support of their projects. This sponsorship allows filmmakers to solicit and receive tax deductible donations from individuals and gifts from foundations in support of a specific project. *We are a 501(c)(3) cultural institution, chartered in New York State and registered as FILM FORUM, INC.*

To make a tax deductible donation to **Fiddler** please:

Make Check Payable to: Film Forum, Inc.

In the memo section please write: Fiddler

Mail check to: Elena Berger Melman, Fiscal Manager
Fiscal Sponsorship
Dog Green Productions
51 West 81st Street, Suite 4J
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You may also donate to FIDDLER on-line via credit card at our website: www.thefiddlerfilm.com. Click on *Menu*, then *Donate*.

Frequently Asked Questions:

Q: What is a 501(c)(3) organization?

A: A 501(c)(3) organization is described in section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code. Contributions to a 501(c)(3) are deductible for Federal income tax purposes to the extent allowed by law.

Q: What is the difference between corporate sponsorship and fiscal sponsorship?

A: Corporate sponsorship consists of support, usually in the form of money or materials, given directly to the project. Often sponsors expect something in return, such as advertising or publicity. However, many corporations also maintain philanthropic programs that donate to tax-exempt charitable organizations. These programs will not provide funds to a non-exempt filmmaking project but may fund a fiscal sponsorship program. A filmmaking project selected for fiscal sponsorship allows the project to solicit tax-deductible contributions from these foundations, corporations or government organizations.