



**Shutterstock on the Red Carpet**

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Dear Shutterstock Submitter:

Red carpet shots are always in great demand with photo buyers. We're here to help you get you and your camera close to the action! Whether it be the red carpet, backstage at a concert, or in the press pit for a political event, we'd like to help. All we ask is that you fill out the form below (one form per event please!) along with the completed event documentation you received from the event organizer or media department.

We understand that each press pass has different requirements—so the more details you give us, the more effective we can be. For example, is a reference letter on company letterhead required? Do event organizers require information on how Shutterstock sells images? The more info we have, the easier it will be to get you the materials you need so that you can submit an application. Remember, we cannot guarantee that you will be granted a press pass, but we will take all reasonable steps to help you get the images you want, and get them on to Shutterstock.

Please fill out the form below and fax it to 347-402-0710 or email to [presspass@shutterstock.com](mailto:presspass@shutterstock.com). Remember to include supporting documentation for the event. Remember, this is for one press pass. If you need help with several, please fill out a separate form for each event. Shutterstock Support will get back to you within 24 hours.

In return for enlisting Shutterstock's press pass acquisition services, you must agree to sell the resulting photos through Shutterstock, Inc. exclusively for two (2) years.

Along with this form, please provide:

- An unaltered copy of your driver's license or passport
- Supporting documentation/information about the event
- Copies of any forms the event organizers require you to fill out

Your Name:	Your Shutterstock Submitter #:
Event Name:	Event Date(s):
Event Description:	Press Contact at Event (email address and tel#)
Event Website:	
Describe your experience with event photography:	
What can we do to help you get the press pass (please be specific – ask them what you need!)	

In consideration of Shutterstock helping you get a press pass for this event, you agree to the following:

1. All photographs taken by you at the event will be licensed exclusively to Shutterstock for a period of two (2) years from the date any such photographs are accepted by Shutterstock. During that period you may not

remove the photographs from the Shutterstock website nor may you offer or furnish them to any other entity or person.

2. You must "opt in" for the Enhanced License for all of your images at Shutterstock
3. You will be solely responsible for any damage to yourself or your equipment - under no circumstances will Shutterstock be liable to you for any claims you may have arising from your attendance at the event.
4. You will follow the photography policies of the event organizers and the directions of any security guards or other personnel at the event - they have the absolute right to control access to all areas of the event.
5. You will indemnify Shutterstock, Inc., its officers, directors and employees for any damages sustained by it by reason of your attendance at the event.
6. You warrant and represent that you are over the age of twenty one.
7. You agree that the images you take will be subject to the same review process as any other image. We reserve the right to reject images that do not meet our standards.
8. Nothing contained herein shall obligate Shutterstock to continue its efforts on your behalf.
9. Notwithstanding the fact that Shutterstock is assisting you, you are an independent contractor and not an agent or employee of Shutterstock. You have no authority to act on Shutterstock's behalf in any way.

Please note that Shutterstock is using its reputation to help you get press access to the event(s) in question. We request that you act professionally and courteously at all times. Please be considerate of other photographers, especially members of the working press.

Very truly yours,

Shutterstock, Inc.

Read, Consented to and Agreed:

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Photographer Name

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Photographer Signature