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**ART DIRECTORS GUILD PRESENTS
A CONVERSATION WITH OSCAR® WINNING
PRODUCTION DESIGNER RICK CARTER**



Current Designer of Upcoming Star Wars: Episode VII – The Force Awakens

WHAT: The [Art Directors Guild](#) (ADG, IATSE Local 800) presents **PATTERNS, SYMBOLS, DREAMS: A CONVERSATION WITH RICK CARTER**, Oscar®-winning Production Designer and last year's recipient of the ADG Lifetime Achievement Award. Carter is the Production Designer on the upcoming ***Star Wars: Episode VII – The Force Awakens***, set for release in 2015. A 15-minute reel will be shown spotlighting behind-the-scenes clips of his work on films with Steven Spielberg and Robert Zemeckis, followed by a Q&A. The evening is open to ADG members and press only.

WHEN: **Thursday, April 9, 2015**
7:00 pm – 9:00 pm

WHO: Rick Carter's distinguished work has garnered him two Oscar wins - for *Lincoln* (2012) and for *Avatar* (2009). He also received two Oscar® nominations for *Forrest Gump* (1994) and *War Horse* (2011). For his work on *Avatar*, he received the Art Directors Guild's Excellence in Production Design Award and the BAFTA Film Award for Best Production Design, among others.

WHERE: **Art Directors Guild – Robert Boyle Studio 800, First Fl.**
11969 Ventura Blvd
Studio City, CA 91604

LIVESTREAM:
This event will live stream on the Art Directors Guild 800
Ustream channel: <http://www.ustream.tv/channel/art-directors-guild-800>
Password is case-sensitive: Local800/ADG

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