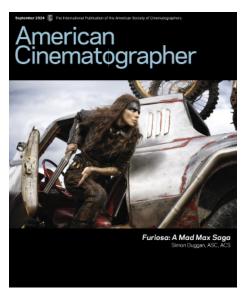
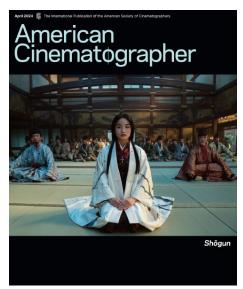
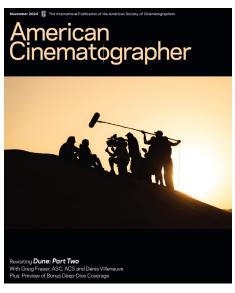
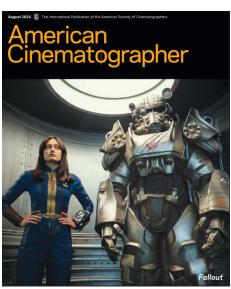
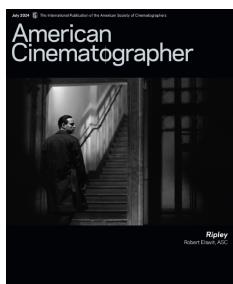
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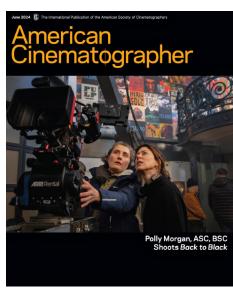












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### **MISSION**

American Cinematographer is the flagship publication of the American Society of Cinematographers (ASC) and the world's leading international journal on motion imaging.

Since its launch in 1920, AC has served filmmakers by exploring the artistic thought processes of the industry's most innovative and talented directors of photography. We also focus on the cinematographer's key collaborators — including directors, producers, production designers, visual effects experts, and their camera and lighting crews — explaining the means by which they jointly realize a creative vision.

Our editorial approach seeks to keep readers abreast of advances in all facets of production and post, informing them of emerging technologies — the latest advances in lighting, lenses, cameras, and virtual production and visual effects techniques. We also go behind the scenes of visually extraordinary productions, including features, series, streaming content, music videos, commercials, documentaries, and short-form projects.

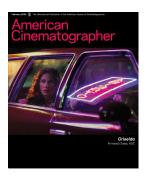
Over the years, AC has been honored for editorial excellence with seven Folio: Eddie Awards (as the top publication in the B-to-B Media/ Entertainment/ Publishing category) and scores of Eddie Awards and nominations for individual articles.

Our website — <a href="theasc.com">theasc.com</a> — offers unique content, including video and podcast interviews with prominent filmmakers, image galleries, complete coverage of new products and services, and exclusive access to AC's vast archive of editorial coverage, including more than 100 years of reporting.

This content is bolstered by our social-media streams, which reach a global audience of more than 400,000 followers on Facebook, Instagram, X and Vimeo.

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### REACH



Print & Digital Subscribers: 40,000+



Monthly Site Impressions: 325,000+





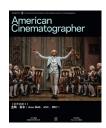




Total Social Media Followers: 400,000+



eNewsletter Subscribers: 60,000+





**Chinese-Language Digital Edition** 

Reaches more than 120,000+ subscribers.

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## **EDITORIAL CALENDAR**

\* Indicates BONUS distribution at key industry events. All dates are TENTATIVE.

#### January

- Director/Cinematographer Collaboration

Lighting for Virtual Production

\* Sundance Film Festival

Edit Pitches: 9/2/2024 Ad Space: 11/4/2024 Ads Due: 11/15/2024 On Sale: 12/23/2024

#### **February**

- Aerial Cinematography
- ASC Awards Honorees
- \* ASC Awards
- \*BSC Expo
- \* Santa Barbara Film Festival

Edit Pitches: 10/2/2024 Ad Space: 12/4/2024 Ads Due: 12/13/2024 On Sale: 1/27/2025

#### March

- Special Lighting Focus
- Lenses & Optics
- \* Cine Gear Expo NY

Edit Pitches: 11/4/2024 Ad Space: 1/6/2025 Ads Due: 1/17/2025 On Sale: 2/24/2025

#### April

- Production Workflow Tools
- Postproduction
- \* NAB Las Vegas

#### Mav

- Camera Support
- ASC Member Still Photography

#### June

- Summer Blockbusters
- Cloud-Based Production
- \* Cine Video Expo (Mexico)
- \* Cine Gear Expo Los Angeles

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#### July

- Lighting for Television and Streaming
- New Products Showcase

#### August

- Rising Stars of Cinematography
- Cinema Cameras
- Lenses & Optics
- \* Siggraph
- \* Set Expo Brazil

### September

- International Production
- Location Shooting
- \* IBC (Amsterdam)

Edit Pitches: 3/3/2025 Ad Space: 5/5/2025 Ads Due: 5/15/2025 On Sale: 6/20/2025 Edit Pitches: 4/2/2025 Ad Space: 6/5/2025 Ads Due: 6/16/2025 On Sale: 7/28/2025 Edit Pitches: 5/2/2025 Ad Space: 7/8/2025 Ads Due: 7/15/2025 On Sale: 8/22/2025

#### October

- Specialized Lighting Systems ■ Camera Support
- Horror Spotlight
- \* AFI Film Festival
- \* NAB New York
- \* Broadcast India

On Sale:

\* Cine Gear Atlanta

#### Edit Pitches: 6/3/2025 Ad Space: 8/6/2025 Ads Due: 8/18/2025

#### November

- Virtual Production
- On-Set Monitors
- \* American Film Market
- \* Camerimage (Poland)
- \* InterBee (Japan)
- \* LDI

9/29/2025

#### December

- Awards Season: VFX
- Cinema Cameras

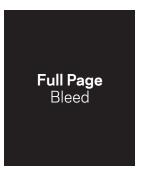
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## **AC MECHANICAL REQUIREMENTS**

AD SIZES	INCHES	MILLIMETERS	PICAS
2-page/spread: bleed	18.25" x 11.125"	467 x 286	110.3 x 67.6
2-page/spread: non-bleed	17.25" x 10.125"	438 x 257	103.6 x 60.9
full page: bleed	9.25" x 11.125"	233.5 x 286	55.2 x 67.6
full page: non-bleed	8.25" x 10.125"	210 x 257	49.6 x 60.9
2/3 page: vertical	5.25" x 10.125"	133.3 x 257	31.6 x 60.9
1/2 page: island	5.285" x 7.875"	200 x 134.25	31.9 x 47.3
1/2 page: vertical	4" x 10.125"	101.5 x 257	24 x 60.9
1/2 page: horizontal	8.25" x 5.125"	210 x 130	49.6 x 30.9
1/3 page: square	4" x 5.875"	101.5 x 149.5	24 x 35.3
1/3 page: vertical	2.625" x 10.125"	66.5 x 257	15.9 x 60.9
1/6 page: horizontal	4" x 3.275"	101.5 x 83	24 x 19.6
1/6 page: vertical	2.625" x 5"	66.5 x 127	15.9 x 30



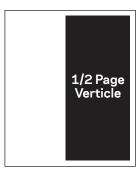








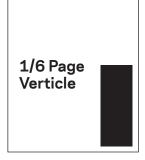


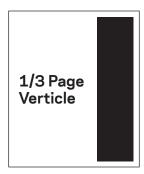












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#### **PAGE TRIMS**

9" x 10.875" 228.6mm x 276.25mm 54 x 60.3 picas

#### **SAFETY MARGIN**

.375" .95cm 2.25 picas

#### LIVE AREA FOR FULL PAGE:

8.25" x 10.125" 210mm x 257mm 49.6 x 60.9 picas

#### **BLEED ADS**

Keep all vital advertising matter at least .375"/ .95cm / 2.25 picas away from gutter and trim edges.

#### PRODUCTION CHARGES

Any production work necessary to complete an ad will be subject to a minimum charge of \$100.

#### **CORRECTIONS**

No changes to advertising copy will be made without the written authorization of the advertiser.

#### AD MATERIAL REQUIREMENTS

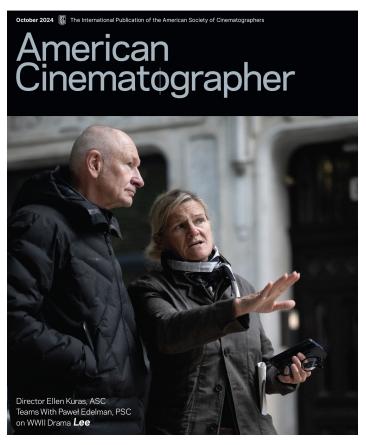
Artwork should be flattened when saved (.pdf or .tif file). Total ink no higher than 320%. For quality assurance on full-page, 4-color ads, please provide color proof.

#### **ACCEPTED IMAGE FORMATS**

.tif files (grayscale or CMYK, 300 dpi, total ink under 320%). .pdf format should be high-res CMYK or grayscale with fonts and images embedded.

If using Pantone matching color, color must be specified. PDF files are also accepted as proof of the ad.

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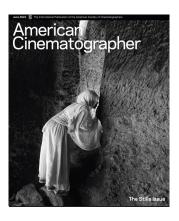
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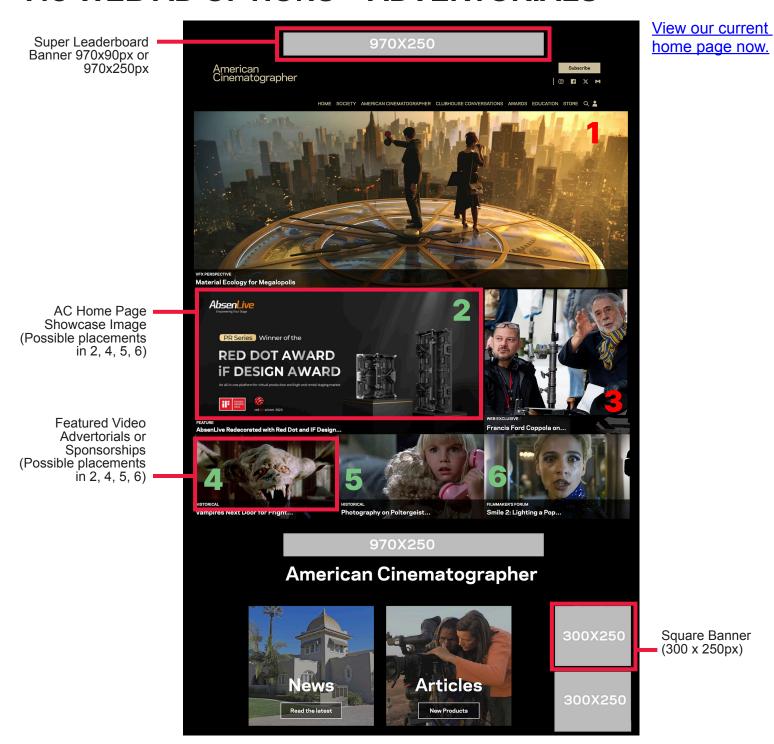
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## **AC WEB AD OPTIONS + ADVERTORIALS**



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## **AC WEB RATES**

### **Banners**

#### theasc.com Homepage

970x250px Leaderboard (25,000 impressions/month) (1x) Rate: \$4,000 300x250px Square (10,000-15,000 impressions/month) (7x) Rate: \$2,850

#### AC Homepage & News

970x250px Leaderboard (8,000-10,000 impressions/month) (1x)

Rate: \$2,000 300x250px Square (5,000 impressions/month) (7x) Rate: \$1,000

#### AC Single Articles/Features

970x250px Leaderboard (20,000-25,000 impressions/month) (1x)

Rate: \$4,000 300x250px Square (10,000-12,000 impressions/month) (6x) Rate: \$2,500

#### All AC Article Pages

970x250px Leaderboard (40,000-50,000 impressions/month) (1x)

Rate: \$6,500 300x250px (30,000-40,000 impressions/month) (6x) Rate: \$4,500

Assets due 3-5 business days before going live.

## **Advertorial**

#### **Web Article**

Client provides all content (text, images, video, links) and schematic of page layout. Video must be 1920x1080. Images must be JPGs with a featured main image measuring no less than 1920x1080px. Requires headline (max 8 words), description (max 15 words), story text (max 1,200 words). Includes AC Homepage Showcase Image placement for 30 days and social media post. Assets due 5-7 business days before going live.

## **Home Page Showcase**

Image (includes URL link and social media post)

1920x1080px (artwork should be composed for adaptive presentation scross various devices)

Rate: \$3,500

Rate: \$4,500

#### Featured Video (with social media post)

Client supplies 3-15 minute clip (1920x1080), a featured main image (1920x1080px JPG), headline (max 8 words), description (max 15 words), story text (max 500 words). Assets due 3-5 business days before going live.

Rate: \$3,500

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## RICH MEDIA FORMATS HTML \ Javascript

- All Rich Media must be accompanied by a GIF for those without the plug-in.
- iFrames ads are supported, although click-throughs are not tracked.
- Third-party trafficking allowed.

Files provided should be under 200K.

#### Rich Media Initial Load/Max Size

· Leaderboard: 40K/80K

• Square: 40K/80K

#### Banners with Animation/Video

- Videos & Animations may automatically play without sound for up to 15 seconds and repeat up to 3 times with an initial load of 40K.
- An animation/video banner may automatically play.
- The banner should have a visible "play/stop" button.
- The audio must be initiated by the user.
- The banner should display a visible "sound on/off" button.

#### Featured Video Advertorials

- H.264 or Apple ProRes 422
- Minimum 1920x1080
- For more info for optimization visit: https://vimeo.com/help/compression

### **eBlasts**

An eBlast is devoted exclusively to promoting your message, product or event to our exclusive list of approximately **60K subscribers**\*,

#### **Dedicated email Format**

- HTML file or JPG
- Subject line 60-100 characters
- Frame width 600-660px

**Rate:** \$5,000

## **eNewsletters**

We deliver our eNewsletters **two to three times** a month to our exclusive list of approximately **60K subscribers\***, with each containing previews to our latest web editorial content.

#### **Banners**

468 x 60px / Rate: \$1,800
300 x 250px / Rate: \$1,800
600 x 250px / Rate: \$2,500 (All three positions \$5,000)
970 x 250px / Rate: \$3,000

All artwork should be submitted as web-ready JPEGs, 72 or 92dpi, file size up to 200KB.

\* Approximate circulation, ask your salesperson for the most up-to-date number.

## Open Rate for eNewsletters and eBlasts Average 30% plus.

Assets due 3-5 business days before going live.

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## **AC Podcast**

### **Episode Sponsorship**

Includes in-show audio mention; company name below podcast headline with direct link, inclusion of logo, permanent placement.

Rate: \$3,000

#### **Custom Episode Creation**

Includes complete end-to-end production of a 30-minute non-commercial episode following the advertiser's suggested discussion points. Check with your ad rep for scheduling details. Pricing available upon request.

## **Social Media Posts**

(Facebook, X or Instagram)

Client provides all content (text, images, video, links, tags). Video must be 1920x1080. Images must be JPGs with a featured main image measuring no less than 1920x1080px. Post + two reposts

Rate: \$2,250

### Social Media Package

Same as above. Includes Facebook post (with scheduled reposts), X and Instagram.

Rate: \$3,000

#### "Hot Off the Presses" Social Posts

Features advertiser on social media during the monthly print issue promotional roll-out. The advertiser would also be noted in the accompanying post caption. Check with your ad rep for pricing and asset deadlines. Estimated monthly views: 50,000 and up.

Assets due 3-5 business days before going live.

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## AC Digital Edition Promotion Opportunities



Click for sample of our Digital Edition

## Sponsorship of an Issue

Delivered to more than 22K digital subscribers.

**Page Sponsorship** (opposite of the cover) 585 x 755px (Maximum size) Rate: \$4,500

300 x 250px Rate: \$2,500

#### Leaderboard

728 x 90px Rate: \$1,925

#### **Inserts**

A single page or multiple pages can be placed into the digital edition only. Full Page Rate: \$3,500 (one side)

- \$5,500 (two sides)

Half Page Rate: \$2,500 (one side)

- \$4,000 (two sides)

(See print specs for dimensions)

#### **Digital Edition Intro Letter**

**Banners** 

• 300 x 250px \$1,800

• 468 x 60px \$1,800

• 160 x 600px \$2,500

• All three positions \$5,000

### **Rich Media Opportunities**

Can be incorporated into an advertiser's existing print ad. \$300 per element

#### Audio

Can be incorporated into an advertiser's existing print ad.

\$400 per element

#### Video

Can be incorporated into an advertiser's existing print ad. \$500 per element

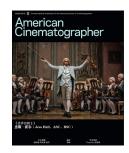
#### **Additional Livelinks**

Each print advertiser gets one activated link (to their web address) per ad at no extra charge. Additional link activation through an image, graphic or URL can be purchased.

\$50 per link

#### Chinese Edition

Our partnership with a leading web publisher in China allows us to produce a monthly digital edition for this rapicly expending market. With 120,000+ subscribers, this is a unique vehicle for your message.





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