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Major South Asian Filmmakers and Talent Descend on Chicago for 9th Annual Chicago South Asian Film Festival

Four-Day Festival of Thoughtful Films and Conversation, Press Conference and Red Carpet Gala

Chicago, IL – September 11, 2018 – The Chicago South Asian Film Festival (CSAFF) is proud to host over a 100 filmmakers and artists, representing over 60 films in Chicago at Columbia College and the Showplace Icon and in Oakbrook, at the AMC Theater.

Headliners include Neeraj Kabi (*Sacred Games*, *Ship of Theseus*, *Gali Guliyan*, *Monsoon Shootout*) and Shefali Shah (*Satya*, *Gandhi - My Father*, *Monsoon Wedding*, *Dil Dhadakne Do*) who will walk the Red Carpet at the Oakbrook AMC on September 21st and at the post-screening Q&A of their Closing Night film, *Once Again*, at the Showplace Icon on September 23rd.

Opening Night film, *The Music Teacher*, makes its global premiere at CSAFF on September 21st and director, Sarthak Dasgupta and actor, Amrita Bagchi, will also be in attendance for the Red Carpet and post-screening Q&A.

Indian film and television actor, director, and producer, Parambrata Chatterjee (*Kahaani*, *Hemlock Society*) will also be arriving to discuss his film, *The Golden Mountain*.

Please add CSAFF to your media calendars! Local and national media is also invited to attend the press conference with *all filmmakers and talent* on Saturday, September 21st, at 3pm at the Showplace Icon (1011 S Delano Ct, Chicago, IL 60605). Over 100 artists will be present to answer press questions. An RSVP is required to attend this event so please contact press @csaff.org by September 15th to confirm your attendance.

Festival details and film roster provided below. View additional details and the full film schedule here: <http://www.csaff.org/film-guide/>

For additional information on CSAFF 2018, including screening times, locations, featured guests and ticketing details, please visit www.csaff.org or contact press@csaff.org.