



INTERNATIONAL
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CINEMATOGRAPHERS
FOR THE ART OF CINEMATOGRAPHY

THE IMAGO SUPPORT

Dear colleagues, cinematographers.

This statement will not be wordy.

We have repeatedly published words of support, expressed rejection of aggression, war in all its forms. Unfortunately, words do not change the situation: people continue to die, children, women, the elderly, families suffer.

Without diminishing the value of words, we take active practical steps to assist all our colleagues and their families. The time has come when the nature of the International Federation is becoming more and more concrete.

Practicing cinematographers invite colleagues to their projects, we are contacting Rental houses and production companies to work together to find employment for our colleagues to create opportunities to care for their families. And, importantly, not to feel torn from life, to get away faster from the consequences of a nightmarish tragedy.

IMAGO is a big family.

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Since people and cinematographers from Ukraine are limited in the travel possibilities, uneven distribution occurs. This creates difficulties in providing living conditions and employment. We must also assist our colleagues, especially in Poland, whose humanism deserves sincere admiration, as well as in Slovakia, Hungary, Romania and other European countries.



Naturally, IMAGO is not the only organization trying to help.

We will keep everyone informed about the situation development in Bulgaria, where through the joint efforts of Nu Boyana Film Studios as a part of the United for Ukraine BG campaign in association with the American Embassy, America for Bulgaria, AUBG, American College of Sofia, AmCham, Muzeiko, B2Y, Bulgarian Film Commission, BG4UA, BESCO, dev.bg and many more a Job Fair was established along with assistance with accommodation, access to learning, support with children and many more.

Tremendous initiative of Crew United Europe presented on the web page: <https://filmmakers-for-ukraine.com>

We should stay united as round-the-world community!

Yours,

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