



CA LGBT Arts Alliance Newsletter

Top Of The News

HISTORIC: Supreme Court rules firing workers for being LGBTQ is illegal



photo by Michael Key for Washington Blade

Los Angeles Blade

In a historic development, the U.S. Supreme Court ruled federal law bars discrimination against workers for being LGBTQ, affirming long-sought federal protections for LGBTQ people in the workplace.

The 6-3 decision, written by U.S. Associate Justice Neil Gorsuch, determines anti-LGBTQ discrimination is a form of sex discrimination, thus prohibited under Title VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964.

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President Barack Obama On LGBTQ Workplace Discrimination



courtesy of THE FIGHT Via Instagram:

“Today’s Supreme Court ruling protecting LGBTQ Americans from workplace discrimination is an affirmation of our country’s founding promise of equality for all. I’m heartened to think of all those Americans who will no longer live in fear of being fired because of who they are and who they love. It’s a moment decades in the making, a reminder that progress can be slow—but it is always possible. And it’s validation for all those out there speaking out and marching so that our country’s founding promise might touch even more of our people. Happy Pride month, everybody.”

LGBTQ+ Refugees Tell Their Stories in Unsettled, Now Streaming

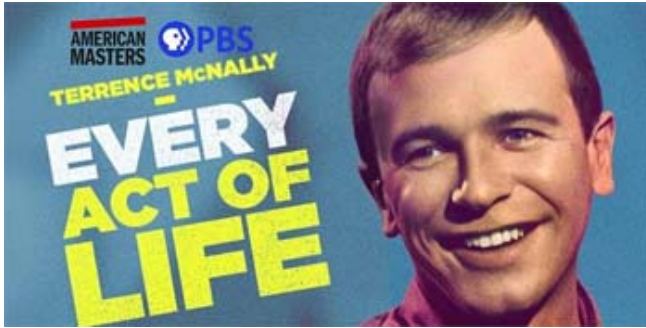
The Advocate



Unsettled: Seeking Refuge in America, an award-winning documentary telling the stories of LGBTQ+ refugees in the U.S., will be available to stream on the World Channel, a PBS affiliate, this week and next.

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American Masters & PBS Present
Terrence McNally: Every Act of Life



Wednesday, July 1, 2020
6:00 PM PST/9:00 PM EST

The groundbreaking life and work of 5-time Tony-winning playwright Terrence McNally. Featuring a cast of theatre legends (Angela Lansbury, Nathan Lane, Chita Rivera, Audra McDonald, F. Murray Abraham, Rita Moreno, Edie Falco, Billy Porter, and others), classic plays and musicals, the struggle for LGBTQ rights and marriage equality, addiction and recovery, finding true love, and the relentless pursuit of inspiration.

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Art Events Calendar

July 1 Los Angeles

The Chinese American Museum

[A virtual book talk with Arthur Dong on Hollywood Chinese: The Chinese in American Feature Films](#)

July 1 - 5 Los Angeles

OUTFEST and AARP

[United in Pride virtual festival](#)

July 1 – 15 San Diego

Diversionary Theatre

[The Boy Who Danced on Air streaming](#)

July 1 – 16 Los Angeles

MACHA Theatre

[Marilyn My Secret streaming](#)

July 1 – August 17 Los Angeles
ONE Archives at the USC Libraries
[Safer at Home online exhibition](#)

July 6, 7, 8, 15 San Francisco
[Frameline44 Pride Showcase streaming](#)

July 16 San Diego
San Diego Women's Chorus
[Songbook Virtual Cabaret](#)

Artist Calls & Grants

The California Arts Council (CAC) maintains a database dedicated to opportunities for artists, from local to global, including gallery calls.

[ARTIST CALLS AT CAC](#)

In addition to its own grant program offerings, the California Arts Council (CAC) keeps a database dedicated to arts and culture funding opportunities available from the field at large.

[GRANTS AT CAC](#)



Additional Artist Calls & Grants

West Hollywood City Poet Laureate Applications

Deadline : July 14

The City of West Hollywood's Arts Division is accepting nominations from qualified applicants to become the City's next West Hollywood City Poet Laureate.

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Have your art displayed on advertisement space in Los Angeles! All artists are encouraged to submit.

Deadline: July 6, 2020

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About the CA LGBT Arts Alliance

The mission of The California LGBT Arts Alliance is to promote artistic and financial partnerships that strengthen and deepen the cooperative relationship among California's LGBT non-profit arts organizations and individual artists.

The California LGBT Arts Alliance is a 501 (c) (3) non-profit organization.

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