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AWARDS CEREMONY AND AFTER SHOW PARTY

When actors, directors and producers, nominees and winners, presenters, Members of the European Film Academy and guests arrive in ŠKODA cars at the red carpet for the 24th European Film Awards, the Tempodrom's tented roof will shine in red above the centre of Berlin.

While guests check in, enjoy a drink and watch the arrivals on screens along the balconies, more than 25 TV crews and over 30 accredited photographers in black tie attire from across Europe will turn the red carpet into a frenzy of European media attention.

Inside the big arena, under a gigantic chandelier, **Shantel**, one of Europe's most spectacular live performers, will accompany the ceremony musically. Following a script by **Maria von Heland** (with additional input from Karsten Dusse and Markus Zimmer), an impressive line-up of European stars will announce a total of the 17 award recipients. On a set designed by **Jürgen Schmidt-André**, German star comedienne **Anke Engelke** will once again host this year's European Film Awards which were again produced by EFA Director **Marion Döring** and **Jürgen Biesinger** (executive producer). More than 150 accredited journalists follow the ceremony from the press centre in the small arena, filing their reports and sending off their pictures. The ceremony will be streamed live on the internet at www.europeanfilmawards.eu and broadcast in over 100 territories worldwide.

At the end of the ceremony, after all winners and presenters have gathered on stage for a final picture, the guests will file to be shuttled to the five-star superior Hôtel Concorde, "official hotel of the 24th European Film Awards", where the after-show party takes place. On two floors, the hotel will become an exclusive party location with different buffets and live cooking stations. One of the first attractions will be EFA partner TNT's display where winners can leave their statuettes well-presented and security-guarded. After some meet and greet Djs **Fatih Akin** and **Adam Bousdoukos** will get the dancefloor moving and special musical guests from Georgia, **Asea Sool**, the combination of Atina Kornelius' profound, velvety voice and Bek Bekson's masterly guitar, will perform in the lobby.

Berlin, 24 November 2011

The 24th EUROPEAN FILM AWARDS: Berlin, 3 December 2011

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