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## The Recording Academy™ Producers & Engineers Wing™ Announces Title Sponsors for GRAMMY® Week Celebration Honoring Nile Rodgers

*Partners Pledge Their Support for Annual Celebration Highlighting Sound Quality and Honoring  
Rodgers' Career*

**Santa Monica, Calif. (December 18, 2015)** — A group of Title Sponsors has been announced for the eighth annual **GRAMMY® Week** event hosted by **The Recording Academy® Producers & Engineers Wing**, this year honoring three-time GRAMMY winner Nile Rodgers for his commitment to excellence and ongoing support for the art and craft of recorded music.

The list of Title Sponsors currently includes AVID, BMI, DTS, ELS Studio Premium Audio® - Powered by Panasonic, HARMAN Professional brands AKG®, dbx®, JBL® Professional and Lexicon®, Iron Mountain Entertainment Services, Louisiana Entertainment, Music Marketing, PMC Ltd. and Shure.

Industry luminaries **Michael Ostin** and **Cameron Strang** will serve as honorary co-chairs for the event, to be held on **Tuesday, Feb. 3, 2015**, at **The Village Studios** in West Los Angeles. GRAMMY Week culminates with the **57th Annual GRAMMY Awards®** on **Sunday, Feb. 8, 2015**, airing live on the **CBS Television Network**, at **8 p.m. ET/PT**. For updates and breaking news, please visit [www.grammy.com](http://www.grammy.com), and The Recording Academy®'s social networks on [Twitter](#) and [Facebook](#).

"Not only is this annual event a highlight of the P&E Wing's yearly itinerary but it also officially kicks off the beginning of GRAMMY Week," said Maureen Droney, P&E Wing Managing Director. "This year's multi-talented honoree Nile Rodgers is legendary as a performer, a producer and an advocate for sound quality and music professionals, and we are extremely excited to celebrate his career at our signature event. To that, we'd like to recognize our Title Sponsors, without whom this event would not be possible. We are enormously grateful for their support in helping us to host this special evening."

As the Producers & Engineers Wing 2015 honoree, Rodgers joins an impressive list of past honorees: Chris Blackwell; T Bone Burnett; Tom Dowd; Ahmet and Nesuhi Ertegun; Jimmy Iovine; Quincy Jones; Arif Mardin; Al Schmitt; Jerry Wexler; and Neil Young.

Established in 1957, The Recording Academy is an organization of musicians, songwriters, producers, engineers and recording professionals that is dedicated to improving the cultural condition and quality of life for music and its makers. Internationally known for the GRAMMY Awards — the preeminent peer-recognized award for musical excellence and the most credible brand in music — The Recording Academy is responsible for groundbreaking professional development, cultural enrichment, advocacy, education and human services programs. The Academy continues to focus on its mission of recognizing musical excellence, advocating for the well-being of music makers and ensuring music remains an indelible part of our culture. For more information about The Academy, please visit [www.grammy.com](http://www.grammy.com). For breaking news and exclusive content, follow @TheGRAMMYS on [Twitter](#), like "The GRAMMYS" on [Facebook](#), and join The GRAMMYS' social communities on [Instagram](#), [Tumblr](#) and [YouTube](#).

Currently more than 6,000 professionals comprise The Recording Academy Producers & Engineers Wing, which was established for producers, engineers, remixers, manufacturers, technologists, and other related creative and technical professionals in the recording field. This organized voice for the recording community addresses issues that affect the craft of recorded music, including the development and implementation of new technologies,

technical guidelines and recommendations, and archiving and preservation initiatives. For more information, please visit [www.producersandengineers.com](http://www.producersandengineers.com).

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