

# Beverly Hills Sheet

An International Look for People Who Make a Difference

January 2017

*50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary  
Country Music Awards*

*Hal David  
a Memoir*

*Glorya Kaufman  
USC International Dance Center*

*3 Outstanding Beverly Hills Doctors  
David Anson · Brian Boxer-Wacher · Peter Fodor*

*“Most Exciting Women” 25 years  
People we have covered 25 years*

*Welcome Home Rams  
Stan & Ann Kroenke*

*Shaquille O’Neal  
inducted into the  
Basketball Hall of Fame*

*Walter Camp Tradition*

*Great Hotels of the World  
The Peninsula Hotel Beverly Hills  
California  
Raffles Palace Montreux  
Switzerland  
Hotel Carmel Santa Monica  
California*

*25<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Issue*

*Amal and George Clooney  
International Power Couple*



## *Something Big is Happening in Dance*

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lorya Kaufman is a very mild mannered person on the exterior, but a very strong person in the interior. She wheels a firm hand in business and in her philanthropy. She says “I choose you. You don’t choose me.” USC is very excited Glorya chose them! The gift of untold millions? USC built her dream dance school with her name on it: Glorya Kaufman International Dance Center, GKIDC.

She tells the story of how she met her husband, Donald Kaufman, a young struggling home builder. They went on a Blind Date set-up by a neighbor. The neighbor would see Glorya and her mother outside in the garden picking flowers. He said “I have a friend I would like to introduce you to. I want to get all the virgins off the block.” Glorya and Donald met and hit it off so well. They married and had four children. Donald loved to dance, and that was all Glorya needed to know. Glorya would dance every night if she could. Glorya loves to watch the dance competitions on television. When you see the billboards that read Kaufman and Broad, Glorya is the “K” in the Corporation. She and Eli Broad’s wife Edie are first cousins. The Dance World now has its own Angel, Glorya Kaufman. USC Kaufman School of Dance is the first New School to open since 1974 on the USC campus.

### **A New Hub For Dance**

Beyond its scale, the sizable structure is also positioned to make a big impact on Southern California’s creative community as a new hub for dance. Since welcoming its first BFA class in 2015, USC Kaufman has collaborated with some of the foremost dance innovators and companies in the world today. With its five dance studios and performance studio, the Glorya Kaufman International Dance Center designed by Pfeiffer Partners, creates a home for dance that will facilitate learning and artistic exploration for students and artist alike.

### **The Next Chapter In Dance History**

With roots that trace back to pioneers of modern dance and dance on screen, Los Angeles remains a haven for artists at the frontiers of their fields. Now USC Kaufman is taking the next step, making an indelible mark on the history of dance in Los Angeles by creating a new home for the art form within the region’s vibrant landscape.

Glorya Kaufman Presents Dance at The Music Center, is one of the leading presenters and commissioners of dance on the West Coast, offering significant works by internationally acclaimed ballet and contemporary dance companies. Collaboration with this program, USC Kaufman will create connections between students and distinguished dance artists through master classes, professional workshops and an artist-in-residence program.

Glorya Kaufman International Dance Center



