# CURZON STUDENTS

PARTNERSHIP OPPORTUNITY



# ALIGN YOUR BRAND MITHAPREMIUM, YOUNG & DISCERNING AUDIENCE



# **CURZON STUDENT MEMBER PARTNER 2019/20**

A fully integrated partnership and deep association with the UK's most innovative boutique cinema brand

The Curzon brand has been closely associated with the world of film since Harold Wingate opened the doors to the first Curzon cinema in Mayfair in 1934.

In the 80 years since, Curzon has evolved to establish itself into the well respected cinema powerhouse it is today. The estate has expanded to 16 truly individual, boutique theatres nationwide, as well as releasing a number critically acclaimed titles under its award winning 'Artificial Eye' film distribution arm.

In recent times Curzon has entered the world of streaming with Curzon Home Cinema, offering loyal customers the chance to access a range of carefully selected film content, as well as the ability to watch its Artificial Eye films parallel to theatre release; just one of the ways the brand is moving towards future content trends.

Through its superior theatres, its much admired film slate and its revolutionary film on





# **BUT IT'S TOO EXPENSIVE FOR STUDENTS?**

#### Think again...

Curzon launched it's FREE Student Membership in September 2017 to great success.

With over 30,000 Members currently signed up. Curzon is looking to build on this base for the 2019/20 Term with a number of new initiatives...

- FREE to join
- Cheap film tickets at off-peak times. London cinemas £6, regional cinemas £5
- Student Member discounts at peak times and on special events
- Invitations to exclusive Student Members events
- Access to our free or £5 Members previews
- No booking fees on the Curzon website
- Free trial of Curzon12 streaming service
- Monthly Curzon Student emails with our film top picks and recommendations, as well as competitions and other fun things





### WHO ARE THEY AND HOW DO THEY BEHAVE?

Discerning 16-24s making their first steps in to the world of grown up film

#### A WEEKDAY TREAT

43% of Curzon Student members mostly go to the cinema after 5pm on a weekday.

# RECCOMENDATION TOOLS

68% of student members said that the most influential factor when they're deciding what to watch in the cinemas is still word of mouth/recommendation from friends.

Authenticity is still key for this audience.

#### **FRIDAYS**

Are the most popular day to go to the cinema, followed by Saturdays.

However Wednesdays are catching up as the most popular day to attend since Curzon launched cheap off peak tickets

Curzon Survey Results 2019



# **BUT THEY ONLY WATCH ARTHOUSE FILMS?**

WRONG AGAIN! Curzon students love a good blockbuster *favourite* like the rest of us! Their top 10 most recent performing films...

- 1. The Favourite
- 2. Avengers: Infinity War
- 3. Call Me By Your Name
- 4. Lady Bird
- 5. Isle of Dogs
- 6. Deadpool 2
- 7. Fantastic Beasts: The Crimes of Grindelwald
- 8. A Star is Born
- 9. Captain Marvel
- 10. Three Billboards Outside Ebbing, Missouri





# CURZON STUDENTS

# ENGAGEMENT OPPORTUNITIES



## FRESHERS FAIRS

All the excitement of that first week at Uni...

In September 2019, Curzon will tour six Universities in London (Central Saint Martins, UCL, Queen Mary) and the regions (Canterbury, Sheffield & Oxford) to recruit new Student Members.

The partner brand will join Curzon at these events, gaining access to this valuable audience.

Event stands will be co-branded, with the opportunity for the brand to give out product...etc.

The brand will be included on any follow up comms to new members and existing members at that university, as well as any associated social comms.





## **MEET THE WORLD FESTIVAL**

#### A free student festival - October 2019

To promote the membership and a love of film, Curzon invite students to a free, exciting and entertaining experience at five cinemas

- London Aldgate
- Canterbury
- Colchester
- Oxford
- Sheffield

The partner brand will have access to the following assets

- Brand copy played out solus in reel before all screenings.
- Prominent branding on all printed and digital materials in venues
- · Brand mentioned in all email comms
- Food and drink offer promoted as courtesy of brand partner
- Branded goody bag for each student with promo flyer inside
- 2 x organic social post mentions per venue
- 1 x sponsored story on Curzon Instagram
- · Co-branded Solus email follow up to new members with free trial offer





## **CURZON HOME CINEMA**

#### The brand's revolutionary cinema on demand platform

Innovation at Curzon doesn't just stop at in-house film distribution through its Artificial Eye sub brand...

It's video on demand platform 'Curzon Home Cinema' launched in 2010 offering Curzon customers the unique chance to access Artificial Eye film content on the same night of release placing the premium cinema experience at the fingertips thousands across the UK. The service is available online, through apps on mobile, tablet or smart tv.

For students this means the chance to catch special preview events from the comfort of their dorms, as well as the opportunity for the partner brand to reach them through cobranded online ad placements.





# STUDENT PREVIEW EVENTS

#### **Exclusive, co-branded student previews events**

- Previewing choice film content to a highly discerning audience.
- 6 x events at 5 x Curzon sites, available to Student Members only.
- Aldgate
- Canterbury
- Colchester
- Oxford
- Sheffield
- Opportunity for brand to activate and reach engaged student audience.
- Associated online comms





# CURZON STUDENTS

# PACKAGE OPPORTUNITIES



# ON SCREEN ADMITS = 800K OFF SCREEN REACH = 2.4M GROSS MEDIA VALUE = £424K GROSS BUDGET REQUIRED = £181K PLUS HARD COSTS

### **TIER 1 PACKAGE**

Various partnership tiers offering a mix of screentime, events and online presence.

#### **ON SCREEN**

- 30" brand ad runs during term time (Sept 2019 to June 2020)
- Co branded 10" ident advertising Membership in partnership with brand.
- 800k admits

#### Exclusive, co-branded student previews events

- Previewing choice film content to a highly discerning audience.
- 6 x events at 5 x Curzon sites, available to Student Members only
- Opportunity for brand to activate
- Associated online comms

#### **Curzon Home Cinema**

 Co-branded presence across Curzon's revolutionary ondemand film platform available on mobile, tablet and smart TV apps.

#### Freshers Fair & Meet The World Festival Partner

- Co-branded comms.
- Associated activation options.



ON SCREEN ADMITS = 250K OFF SCREEN REACH = 2.4M GROSS MEDIA VALUE = £279K GROSS BUDGET REQUIRED = £93K PLUS HARD COSTS

### **TIER 2 PACKAGE**

Various partnership tiers offering a mix of screentime, events and online presence.

#### **ON SCREEN**

- 30" brand ad runs during term time (Sept 2019 to June 2020)
- Co branded 10" ident advertising Membership in partnership with brand.
- 250k admits

#### **Exclusive, co-branded student previews events**

- Previewing choice film content to a highly discerning audience.
- 6 x events at 5 x Curzon sites, available to Student Members only
- Opportunity for brand to activate
- Associated online comms

#### **Curzon Home Cinema**

 Co-branded presence across Curzon's revolutionary ondemand film platform available on mobile, tablet and smart TV apps.

#### Freshers Fair & Meet The World Festival Partner

- Co-branded comms.
- Associated activation options.



# OFF SCREEN REACH = 2.4M GROSS MEDIA VALUE = £212K GROSS BUDGET REQUIRED = £75K PLUS HARD COSTS

### **TIER 3 PACKAGE**

An activation led partnership

#### **Exclusive, co-branded student previews events**

- 6 x events at 5 x Curzon sites, available to Student Members
- Opportunity for brand to activate
- Associated online comms Monthly Members screenings across the Curzon Estate, previewing choice film content to a highly discerning audience.

#### **Curzon Home Cinema**

- Co-branded presence across Curzon's revolutionary ondemand film platform available on mobile, tablet and smart TV apps.
- Preview events simultaneously made available to Student Members

#### Freshers Fair & Meet The World Festival Partner

Associated activation options.



# GURZON

# IRFORMATION & AUDIENCE DATA





## **CURZON TIMELINE**



1934
A Star Is Born
Curzon Mayfair
opens its doors



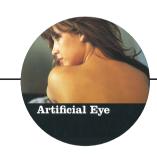
1945
The Height Of
Arthouse
Curzon's becomes the
UK foreign film
specialist



1948
The Bicycle
Thieves
Italian classic
enjoys a 22
week run



1950
La Ronde
French release
runs 76 weeks
at Curzon



1970s
Artificial Eye
Curzon's
distribution
arm is
launches



1972
Curzon
Bloomsbury
Standout site
opens its doors



1983 Chelsea, Chelsea West London site opens



2006
A Match Made In
Heaven
Curzon merges with
Artificial Eye, placing
the brand at the
forefront of intelligent
cinema



2010
The Disruptor
Curzon Home
Cinema launches,
pioneering the way
film lovers engage
with quality content



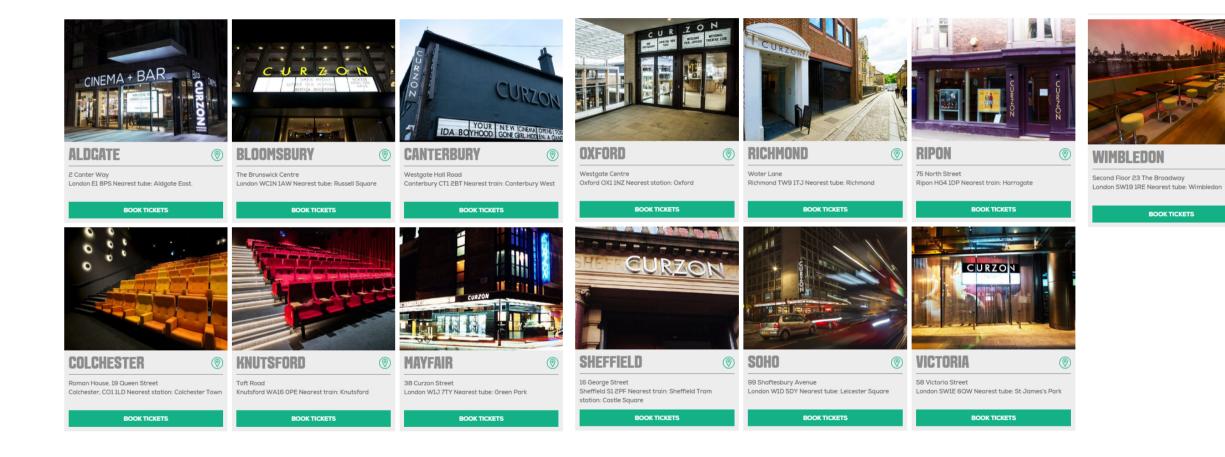
# A TRULY BOUTIQUE CINEMA EXPERIENCE





## **REACHING A NATIONAL AUDIENCE**

Curzon operates a number of premium boutique sites in London and beyond...



**BOOK TICKETS** 



# **CURZON SHOWCASE THE HIGHEST QUALITY CONTENT**

Curzon prides itself on running a high quality film programme and shining a light on smaller releases that it believes its older, discerning audience will love.



1. Mamma Mia: Here We Go Again! (2<sup>nd</sup>)



6. A Star Is Born (12<sup>th</sup>)



2. Three Billboards Outside Ebbing, Missouri (32nd)



7. Cold War (132<sup>nd</sup>)



3. Darkest Hour (16th)



8. Isle of Dogs (67th)



4. Bohemian Rhapsody (7<sup>th</sup>)



9. The Post (44<sup>th</sup>)



5. Lady Bird (75<sup>th)</sup>



10. The Shape of Water (50th)



## A HIGHLY DISCERNING AUDIENCE

Lifestyle
Heritage and quality are key choice drivers

It's important to me know how products & services I buy are sourced and made

(Index: 139)

I am trying to buy more fair trade products (Index: 152)

I prefer to eat organic food

(Index: 212)

Media habits
Enjoy a range of premium media outlets













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