



Inside Hollywood Reporter's New York Party With Savannah Guthrie, Gayle King, Sean Hannity, Spike Lee, Ronan Farrow and More

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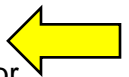
The event, held in conjunction with the publication of the magazine's 35 Most Powerful People in New York Media list, also hosted Lester Holt, Omarosa Manigault Newman, New York Attorney General Eric Schneiderman and magazine cover stars Hoda Kotb and Norah O'Donnell.

Former Donald Trump confidantes Omarosa Manigault Newman, Anthony Scaramucci and even ex-wife Marla Maples mingled with Stormy Daniels' (real name Stephanie Clifford) lawyer and the media stars who cover the president at *The Hollywood Reporter's* annual New York Power event on Thursday night.

The gathering of news and political insiders took place at The Pool in midtown Manhattan in conjunction with the publication of *THR's* eighth annual [35 Most Powerful People in New York Media](#) list.

This year's honorees turned out in force. NBC's Savannah Guthrie and Hoda Kotb, who graced one of three covers of the annual New York issue, brought their *Today* colleagues Megyn Kelly, Al Roker, Carson Daly, Craig Melvin, Dylan Dreyer and Sheinelle Jones, as well as fellow honorees and NBC News execs Andy Lack and Noah Oppenheim and *NBC Nightly News* anchor Lester Holt. *CBS This Morning* cover stars Gayle King and Norah O'Donnell were joined by executive producer Ryan Kadro, network-mate Jeff Glor, the new anchor of *CBS Evening News*, and his executive producer Mosheh Oinounou, as well as CBS News president David Rhodes.

On the red carpet at the event sponsored by 108 Leonard, Trump dominated the conversation. Former White House communications director Scaramucci, who posed for photos with Daniels' attorney Michael Avenatti, said, "I definitely think the president is a New Yorker. That could be one of the problems he's having in Washington because stylistically, you know, New Yorkers are very different than the Washingtonians."



Filmmaker Spike Lee, whose *BlacKkKlansman* was just selected for the Cannes Film Festival, wasn't so sure. "We ain't claiming Agent Orange," he said, referring to Trump.



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Fox News' Sean Hannity, meanwhile, addressed his recent feud with ABC late-night host Jimmy Kimmel over a sketch on Kimmel's show that Hannity thought was too mean to First Lady Melania Trump. "I have nothing against Jimmy Kimmel," he said. "All I was saying is, don't pick on the first lady; she can't fight back. The president's a public figure, people disagree with him, they don't like his style, whatever it is. But I felt that was a little tough, a little rough."

When asked which question she would pose to the president if she could, conservative commentator Ann Coulter said, "What would I have to do to get you to fire your kids?"

Trump's former wife Maples, however, declined to answer any questions about her ex on the carpet.

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