

Important Information about the Event

A Conversation with President Barack Obama is just around the corner and we want it to be an incredible evening for you. Here's some very important information you need to know before you arrive at the Scotiabank Centre on Wednesday, November 13, 2019.

Before You Arrive

- This is a sold out event and there will be a lot of congestion downtown and around our venue.
- We strongly encourage you to give yourself enough time to get downtown, through security and to your seat.
- Scotiabank Centre is a no re-entry facility. Once your ticket is scanned and you enter the venue, you will not be able to leave and come back.
- All public entrances to Scotiabank Centre will be open for this event.
- We have entrances at Brunswick, Duke and Carmichael streets.
- For Premium Seating ticket holders, the Premium Seating entrance off of Brunswick St. will be open for use.
- If it's a rainy evening, small, compact umbrellas without sleeves will be permitted.
- Parking will be limited given the time of day the event is taking place, we recommend either carpooling or taking public transit to our venue. See where to park [here](#).

Security Information

- There is a strict no bag policy in place for this event. Exceptions will be made for soft sided bags and purses measuring less than 14" long by 14" high and 6" wide, subject to search before entering the venue.
- This is a high profile event with many security measures in place to ensure the safety of our guests.
- When entering the venue there will be security gates and checks in place. All guests are subject to search and must go through a security gate.
- Once your ticket is scanned and you enter the venue, you will not be able to leave and come back.

Event Information

- Doors open at 4:30pm. Please allow yourself lots of time to arrive and enter the venue.

- Culture Showcase starts at 4:45pm.
- President Obama takes the stage at 6:30pm for one hour with the event ending around 7:30pm.
- Select concession stands will be open for the event.
- No outside food or beverage is allowed.
- Cameras, professional recording devices and equipment, tablets, and computers are not permitted.
- No photos or video recordings are permitted during the event. This includes cell phones.
- There are designated smoking areas outside on Argyle and Brunswick streets, but please note that Scotiabank Centre is a no re-entry facility.
- Guests will not be permitted up and down the aisles once President Obama takes the stage.

To find out more about our guest services policies click [here](#).