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## **DAVID LETTERMAN Makes His Return To Television On NETFLIX**

### **Will Conduct A Long-form Conversation**

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The project is being produced by RadicalMedia, the Academy Award and Emmy-winning Company behind Netflix's What Happened, Miss Simone?, Oh Hello on Broadway and Abstract: The Art of Design, and Letterman's Worldwide Pants. In 33 years on late-night Television, David Letterman hosted 6,028 Episodes of Late Night (NBC) and The Late Show (CBS), and is the longest-running late-night Broadcaster in American History.

As a Writer, Performer and Producer, Letterman is one of the most-nominated Individuals in Emmy Award History, with 52 Nominations, resulting in 10 wins. Letterman is also a two-time Peabody-Award winner, a Kennedy Center Honoree, and will receive the Mark Twain Prize in October.

From his Roots in comedy, Letterman also became renowned as an Interviewer, sharing the Stage with U.S. presidents, Cabinet Officials, Medal of Honor Recipients, and virtually every Presidential Candidate for more than 20 years. Through his Guest Interviews, Letterman also brought to light important Global Issues such as World Hunger and Climate Change. Letterman announced his Departure from The Late Show in 2014, and aired his Final Episode on May 20, 2015 to an Audience of 13.76 Million People.

Source : Netflix

(\*) Photos :

- David Letterman hosting President Barack Obama at Late Show with David Letterman, September 2009
- David Letterman at the Peabody Award, May 2016

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