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**Wells Fargo Center for the Arts
announces the addition of critically acclaimed
late night host and comedian Craig Ferguson's
Hot & Grumpy Tour: Walking the Earth
Thursday, February 19, 2015**

Tickets on sale Friday, December 12 at Noon!

Santa Rosa, CA (December 8, 2014)—Wells Fargo Center for the Arts (50 Mark West Springs Road) announces the addition of critically acclaimed comedian Craig Ferguson's *Hot & Grumpy Tour: Walking the Earth* to the 2015 line-up for one night only on **Thursday, February 19, 2015 at 8:00 pm**. Since taking the helm of CBS's "The Late Late Show with Craig Ferguson" in 2005, the show has set all-time viewer records in the nine years that it has been on the air. Ferguson has also become a huge success on the North American comedy circuit, performing sold out shows across the country. Tickets for Craig Ferguson go on sale Friday, December 12, 2014 at noon and may be purchased for \$55 & \$45 online at wellsfargocenterarts.org, by phone at 707.546.3600, and in person at 50 Mark West Springs Road in Santa Rosa.

Craig Ferguson entered the world of late night comedy following a diverse and eclectic career that encompasses film, television and the stage. On December 19th, 2014, Ferguson will conclude his nine-year run as the host of CBS's "The Late Late Show with Craig Ferguson," which has set all-time viewer records and earned him a Primetime Emmy nomination during its run. Ferguson can currently be seen as the host of the new syndicated game show "Celebrity Name Game," from executive producers Courteney Cox and David Arquette. Ferguson recently lent his voice to the animated features "How to Train Your Dragon" and its sequel, "How to Train Your Dragon 2," as well as the Disney animated features, "Winnie The Pooh" and "Brave."

Ferguson has also become a huge success on the North American comedy circuit, having performed to sold-out theaters all over the country, including Carnegie Hall and Radio City Music Hall. Additionally, Craig has released three widely acclaimed stand-up comedy specials, including, "I'm Here to Help," which garnered him a Grammy nomination for Best Comedy Album. Ferguson is also a New York Times bestselling author, having released his first novel in 2006, *Between The Bridge and The River*, and his memoir in 2009, *America On Purpose* - a book about why and how the late night funnyman became an American.

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