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Bollywood's best takes centre stage at Marina Bay Sands

Aamir Khan walked red carpet, inspired youth and met fans all in one day



*Aamir Khan poses with his fans at the **In Conversation With Aamir Khan, Live in Singapore** event at Marina Bay Sands*

Singapore (2 October) – Superstar Aamir Khan brought Bollywood star power to Singapore on Monday evening as he graced the red carpet and attended a public fan engagement event at The Mastercard Theatres.

Khan was in town to promote his highly anticipated new movie, *Secret Superstar*, produced by Aamir Khan Productions and Zee Studios, and to meet with Sands for Singapore beneficiaries for a dialogue session.

The fan event, ***In Conversation With Aamir Khan, Live In Singapore***, was a free to public session where tickets were distributed on a first-come first-served basis. All tickets to the

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session were snapped up within three hours when they were made available on Thursday, 28 September.

On Monday evening, the red carpet leading into the theaters came alive as Khan mingled with his fans, taking selfies and signing autographs.

Close to 1,600 fans got the opportunity to interact with Khan at the full house event where they had the chance to ask questions of their favourite star.



Aamir Khan spoke about his new movie Secret Superstar and took questions from the audience

Earlier in the afternoon, Khan also spoke in-depth about his film projects and career with beneficiaries from LASALLE College of the Arts, Singapore American School, Tanglin Trust School, AMKFSC Community Services and the Singapore International Film Festival. He was speaking at an-hour long dialogue session organised by Marina Bay Sands as part of the integrated resort's Corporate Social Responsibility programme, Sands for Singapore.

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Aamir Khan poses with students invited by Marina Bay Sands for a special dialogue session as part of Sands for Singapore

Mahnoor Haroon, a 16-year-old student from Tanglin Trust School, said: “I am very privileged to have met such an amazing actor. I am very inspired by him, and intrigued by the Bollywood industry. The dialogue session also allowed us an insight to his life. His motivation as an actor is really clear through the way he speaks of his work. Thank you Sands for Singapore for this opportunity.”

Secret Superstar is the latest film from Aamir Khan Productions, following the immense success of its previous film *Dangal* which has become the highest-grossing Indian film worldwide. Khan plays a special role in the film which also stars *Dangal* actress Zaira Wasim.

Set for release globally on October 19, *Secret Superstar* is a musical drama about a 14-year-old girl who aspires to be a world renowned singer, and how she changes the life of everyone around her while pursuing this dream.

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Helming the revenue and marketing of the most coveted project being filmed in India, that being of the twice Oscar nominated Iranian director Majid Majidi. Zee Studios International has a slate of close to 20 films including films this year in Hindi, Marathi, Punjabi and South Indian languages. The portfolio today includes A-list Hindi actors/Directors with films like Akshay Kumar's Rustom, Shah Rukh Khan's Raees, Sridevi's 'Mom', Irrfan Khan's Hindi Medium and Qareed Qareeb Single, 'Bareilly ki Barfi' from Nitesh Tiwari of 'Dangal' fame, Majid Majidi's 'Beyond the Clouds', Aamir Khan Productions' 'Secret Superstar', Excel Entertainment's Akshay Kumar Starrer GOLD, to name a few.

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