FALL 2021 CALENDAR OF EVENTS

**VISUAL STUDIES RESEARCH INSTITUTE**

**RSVP** to vsri@usc.edu. Box lunches or snacks will be provided at the end of events.

**USC-LACMA History of Photography Seminar**

**SUNDAY, AUGUST 29**
10:30am PST
Gallery Visit: LACMA Resnick Pavilion  
(limited capacity)

** Acting Out: Cabinet Cards and the Making of Modern Photography, 1870-1900**

**TUESDAY, AUGUST 31**
5-6:30pm PST
Zoom Discussion

**Cabinet Card Animals and Their Humans: Between Painting and Kodak**

**THOMAS W. LAQUEUR**
Helen Fawcett Professor of History  
Emeritus, UC Berkeley

**BRITT SALVESEN**
Curator and Department Head of Wallis  
Annenberg Photography Department and  
Prints and Drawings Department, LACMA

**WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 27**
5-6:30pm PST
Doheny Memorial Library 240

**Loie Fuller Between Photography and Film**

**RHONDA GARELICK**
Dean of School of Art and Design History and Theory, The New School, Parsons

**SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 7**
10:45am-12pm PST
Gallery Visit: LACMA Resnick Pavilion  
(limited capacity)

**Wednesday, November 10**
5:30-7pm PST
Zoom Discussion

**Black American Portraits**

**MATTHEW FOX-AMATO**
Associate Professor, History, University of Idaho  
and  
**DIYANDRA LAWSON**
Assistant Curator, Wallis Annenberg Photography Department, LACMA

**THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 2**
12:30-2pm PST
Zoom

**ROUNDTABLE DISCUSSION: Palimpsest of the Africa Museum**

**MATTHIAS DE GROOF**
Filmmaker and Director

**FIORI BERHANE**
Assistant Professor, Anthropology, USC

**MEGAN LUKE**
Associate Professor, Art History, USC

**DEBORAH SILVERMAN**
Distinguished Professor & University of California Presidential Chair in Modern  
European History, Art and Culture, UCLA

**STEFANIE SPRAY**
Associate Professor, Anthropology and  
Cinematic Arts, USC

**TUESDAY, OCTOBER 19**
12:30-2pm PST
Doheny Memorial Library 240 and Zoom

**The Tyranny of Morphology and the Presence of Things**

**CAROLINE WALKER BYNUM**
University Professor Emerita, Medieval Europe,  
Columbia University

Readings and links to films for Images Out of Time events will be made available when you RSVP to vsri@usc.edu.

**SATURDAY, OCTOBER 9**
10am-4:30pm PST
SOS 250 and Zoom

**CV and Grant Writing Workshop**

**SCREENERS WILL INCLUDE:**

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East Asian Languages and Cultures and  
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**CATHERINE CLARK**
History and French Studies, MIT

**VANESSA SCHWARTZ**
Art History and History, USC

**NANCY J. TROY**
Art and Art History, Stanford University

**WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 8**
12:30-2pm PST
SOS 250

**VSGC Student Research Presentations**

Graduate Student Recipients of VSGC  
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**WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 6**
12:30-2pm PST
SOS 250

**WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 3**
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**USC COVID-19 Event Information**

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Events may be presented in a hybrid or online format if Covid-19 conditions and/or USC regulations prohibit or restrict in-person activities.

Please see [dornsife.usc.edu/vsri/upcoming-events/](dornsife.usc.edu/vsri/upcoming-events/) for updated information.

**Film Still, Palimpsest of the Africa Museum, Courtesy of Cobra Films and Matthias de Groof.**