

VISUAL STUDIES RESEARCH INSTITUTE

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FALL 2021 CALENDAR OF EVENTS

USC-LACMA History of Photography Seminar



Falk Studio, Loie Fuller, c.1901, Library of Congress Prints and Photographs Division.

SUNDAY, AUGUST 29
10-11:30am 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
and
BRITT SALVESEN
Curator and Department Head of Wallis
Annenberg Photography Department and
Prints and Drawings Department, LACMA

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 27
6:30-8pm 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
DHYANDRA LAWSON
Assistant Curator, Wallis Annenberg
Photography Department, LACMA

Images Out of Time Seminar



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

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
DEBORA SILVERMAN
Distinguished Professor & University of
California Presidential Chair in Modern
European History, Art and Culture, UCLA
STEPHANIE 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.

Graduate Student Focus



For greater knowledge on more subjects use your library more often, Federal Art Project, 1941, Library of Congress.

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 8

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 6

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 3
12:30-2pm PST
SOS 250

VSGC Student Research Presentations

Graduate Student Recipients of VSGC Summer Research Grants in 2020 and 2021

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 9

10am-4:30pm PST
SOS 250 and Zoom

CV and Grant Writing Workshop

Screeners will include:
JENNY CHIO
East Asian Languages and Cultures and
Anthropology, USC
CATHERINE CLARK
History and French Studies, MIT
VANESSA SCHWARTZ
Art History and History, USC
NANCY J. TROY
Art and Art History, Stanford University

USC COVID-19 Event Information

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As we start the fall semester and return to campus, in-person events will require masks indoors and outdoors for all attendees, vaccinated or unvaccinated. Masks should be worn at all times when individuals are not actively consuming food or beverage. Unvaccinated individuals must maintain a 6' physical distance from those outside of their household while consuming food or beverage. Anyone refusing to comply with mask requirements is subject to removal from the event. Please note that protocols are subject to change. Anyone refusing to comply with mask requirements is subject to removal from the event. To notify the university of a positive case of COVID-19, please call 213-740-6291 or email covid19@usc.edu.

All attendees are required to either be fully vaccinated against COVID-19 or to have had a negative COVID-19 test within 72 hours of the start of an in-person event. By attending, you are attesting that you meet one of these requirements.

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

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