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FALL 2021 EVENTS

## USC-LACMA History of Photography Seminar



**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

*Animal Portraiture Before and After Photography*

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

This is a two part event. On Sunday, August 29, join us at LACMA for a gallery conversation with Professor Thomas W. Laqueur and curator Britt Salvesen in the exhibition "Acting Out: Cabinet Cards and the Making of Modern Photography, 1870-1900." Optional picnic lunch to follow. Maximum attendance 25. Museum tickets will be valid for general admission all day.

On Tuesday, August 31, join us virtually on Zoom with Professor Laqueur on "Animal Portraiture Before and After Photography." A historian, sexologist and writer, Professor Laqueur's publications include, *The Work of the Dead: A Cultural History of Mortal Remains*, *Solitary Sex: A Cultural History of Masturbation*, *Making Sex: Body and Gender from the Greeks to Freud*, *The Making of the Modern Body*, and *Religion and Respectability: Sunday Schools and Working Class Culture, 1780- 1850*. He is a recipient of the Mellon Foundation Distinguished Achievement Award.

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*Charles L. Griffin, Scranton, PA, [Toddler with dog], ca. 1892, gelatin silver print, Amon Carter Museum of American Art, Fort Worth, Texas, P2016.106.*

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