



CA LGBT Arts Alliance Newsletter

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Decoding Americana

Curated by Steve Galindo & Arushi Kapoor

July 26 - August 16 by appointment

Private Residence, Los Feliz

DECODING AMERICANA'S
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QUEER SENSIBILITIES



EVANGELINE ADALYRION
JOEY BROCK
RUBEN ESPARZA
ALANNAH FARRELL
SOPHIA GASPARIAN
NARUKI KUKITA
DUANE PAUL
MIGUEL ANGEL REYES
STUART SANDFORD
SARA SANDOVAL
RICKY SENCION
MIA WEINER

CURATED
BY
ARUSHI KAPOOR
&
STEVE GALINDO

JULY 26TH - AUGUST 16TH
BY APPOINTMENT

ARUSHI



Arushi Kapoor Presents Emerging & Mid Career Queer, Trans and Non-Binary Artists in 'Decoding Americana's Queer Sensibilities' Exhibit, Curated by Steve Galindo.

In a mesmerizing convergence of creativity, a group of multi cultural visionary queer artists embarks on an extraordinary endeavor. With resolute determination, they reshape the traditional domains of Americana with multicultural queer influences to sculpture, painting, and photography, breathing new life into the very essence of Americana.

Private residence, appointment required.

Make An Appointment: steve@thestyleguyde.com

Lesbians in Boystown Documentary Screening
July 2, 3:00 PM - 4:00 PM
West Hollywood, CA



Come to a work-in-progress screening of the Lesbians in Boystown documentary followed by a Q&A and discussion with filmmakers Betsy Kalin and Chris Chew, Angela Brinskele from the June L. Mazer Lesbian Archives, and other participants in the short film.

This documentary honors lesbians and queer women who have contributed to West Hollywood while also asking questions around how to build and maintain community. The documentary will update the record by showing that lesbians and queer women have impacted the City from the beginning, and are still making a difference today. This documentary is supported in part through an arts grant from the City of West Hollywood.

The event is free and RSVPs are not required.

[Read About It](#)

A Tribute To Loren Rex Cameron

July 9, 2023

San Francisco



Loren Rex Cameron, August 28, 1959 - November 18, 2022, was a pathmaking photographer, author and transgender activist. His work is credited by many for its influence in bringing attention to the social and embodied realities of transsexual people, including portraits and self-portraits along with the personal transition stories of those he photographed, particularly with his book *Body Alchemy: Transsexual Portraits* (Cleis Press, 1996).

Cameron was a pivotal organizer in the FTM community in the San Francisco Bay Area and designed the banner the FTM group and allies first marched with at a 1994 Pride march.

Free Event

[Read More & Get Tickets](#)

San Diego Black Pride 2023

July 6 - 9, 2023



San Diego Black Pride 2023 is coming back bigger than ever, giving y'all one additional day to celebrate your intersectional Black beauty with this year's theme Black Joy Renaissance and Body positivity.

[More Info & Get Tickets](#)

OUTFEST LA Film Festival

July 13-23 Los Angeles



The 2022 Outfest LA Film Festival program includes over 200 films featuring stunning dramas, comedies, documentaries, short films, special events and more.

[Learn More](#)

Art Events Calendar

• PRIDE

July 6 – 9 San Diego

[Black Pride 2023](#)

July 9 Long Beach

[Loud and Proud](#)

July 12 – 17 San Diego

[San Diego Pride](#)

June 15 Monterey

[Monterey Peninsula LGBTQ+ Pride](#)

July 29 Long Beach

[Long Beach Trans Pride](#)

• **FESTIVALS**

July 1 - 2 San Francisco

Queer Cultural Center

[National Queer Arts Festival](#)

July 13 - 23 Los Angeles

[OUTFEST Film Festival](#)

• **EVENTS**

July 1 Santa Monica

Highways Performance Space

[Summer Bash](#)

June 1 - July 16 New York

Leslie-Lohman Museum of Art

[Coyote Park: I Love You Like Mirrors Do](#)

July 1 - July 30 New York

Leslie-Lohman Museum of Art

[Images on which to build, 1970s-1990s](#)

July 2 Long Beach

Gay Freedom Band of Los Angeles

[Patriotic Pages Concert](#)

July 2 West Hollywood

City of West Hollywood

[Lesbians in Boystown documentary screening](#)

July 5 – 16 San Francisco

New Conservatory Theatre Center

[DRAG QUEEN STORYTIME GONE WILD!](#)

July 9 & 15 New York

Leslie-Lohman Museum of Art

[A Tribute to Loren Rex Cameron](#)

July 9 Long Beach

South Coast Choral

[Rise Up](#)

July 13 San Diego

San Diego Women's Chorus

[Thrive](#)

July 16 West Hollywood

[Drag Laureate Installation Event](#)

July 16 Los Feliz

[Decoding Americana](#)

July 27 San Diego

San Diego Gay Mens Chorus

[Stronger Together](#)

July 28 Santa Monica

Highways Performance Space

[Joey Navarrete-Medina – Fraggmonts](#)

Artist Calls & Grants

The California Arts Council (CAC) maintains a database dedicated to opportunities for artists, from local to global, including gallery calls.

[ARTIST CALLS AT CAC](#)

In addition to its own grant program offerings, the California Arts Council (CAC) keeps a database dedicated to arts and culture funding opportunities available from the field at large.

[GRANTS AT CAC](#)



Additional Artist Calls & Grants

Creative Strategist I Los Angeles County Homeless Initiative

Deadline for Submissions: July 24, 2023

The Department of Arts and Culture invites LA County-based artists, arts administrators, or other creative professionals to submit a proposal to work in partnership with the Los Angeles County Homeless Initiative as a Creative Strategist.

The Creative Strategist will collaborate with Arts and Culture and Homeless Initiative staff to develop a project that may include but is not limited to artistic interventions, approaches, and strategies; community engagement and participation; the identification or mapping of cultural and community assets; the creation of new artworks; and/or access to artistic and cultural experiences.

[Apply Here](#)

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9X9 Mural Request for Proposals

City of West Hollywood

Deadline to apply: August 14, 2023

The City of West Hollywood's Arts Division is seeking proposals for two-dimensional artwork (digital, photography, painting, etc.) to be printed on vinyl material and installed as a temporary mural in the West Hollywood Park's 5-story Parking Structure. The artwork will remain on display for approximately 18 months.

[Learn More](#)

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About the CA LGBT Arts Alliance

The mission of The California LGBT Arts Alliance is to promote artistic and financial partnerships that strengthen and deepen the cooperative relationship among California's LGBT non-profit arts organizations and individual artists.

The California LGBT Arts Alliance is a 501 (c) (3) non-profit organization.

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THANK YOU TO THE FOLLOWING:

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