



Dear Colleagues,

In a few weeks we will be meeting in Pretoria for the 67th FIAF Congress.

This event is always a challenge for the host Archive, more so because we are also hosting the FIAF Summer School this year from 27 March - 15 April 2011

Fortunately we have not been alone in this journey. The Department of Arts and Culture and the National Archives and Records Services Component have been assisting in this regard.

We feel honored to receive so many visitors from such a variety of distant places, who will see our city and its people.

We started with an ideal that will become a reality. Thank you, members of FIAF and the Executive Members.

The opening ceremony of the Congress will take place on Sunday 10 April 2011, with a reception at the New National Library of South Africa.

The congress will be held at the New National Library Building in Pretoria. This is a state of the art building. Workshops and regional meetings will be held at the same venue.

In line with the theme of the Congress, "Indigenous Collections in Africa and the World", there will be screenings of documentary films with indigenous history from different cultures and countries.

An excursion has been arranged to the Apartheid Museum and afterwards a visit to the famous Vilakazi Street in Soweto Township, Johannesburg. This is the only street in the world where two Nobel Laureates originated from / former President Nelson Mandela and Arch Bishop Desmond Tutu.

We envisage this experience to reach far beyond the professional events with the challenges of the Symposium, Second Century Forum, Workshops and the General Assembly. Voting also takes place this year.

SINCERELY,

Ms Mandy Gilder **Acting National Archivist of South Africa** 



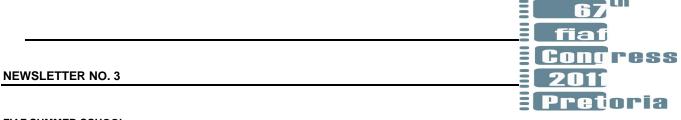


#### **FIAF CONGRESS 2011 PRETORIA**

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DAY	TIME	ARRANGEMENT	VENUE		
Friday 08 April	0900-1700	FIAF Executive meeting	NLSA		
Saturday 09 April	0900-1700	FIAF Executive meeting	NLSA		
Sunday 10 April	0900-1700	FIAF Executive meeting Arrival/Registration for delega Evening Welcome Function			
Monday 11 April	0900-1730	Official Opening of Congre 1 <sup>st</sup> Day of Symposium*	ss NLSA		
	1800-1900	Screening session	NLSA/ NFVSA		
Tuesday 0900-1730 12 April 1800-1900		2 <sup>nd</sup> Day of Symposium*	NLSA		
		Screening session	NLSA/ NFVSA		
Wednesday 13 April	0900-1730	Workshops (TC/PACC and Second Century Form Regional meetings			
		Screening session	NLSA/ NFVSA		
Thursday Whole day		Excursion	Excursion		
14 April		Apartheid Museum and Sowe	eto Johannesbu	ırg	
Friday 15 April	0900-1730	General Assembly* Formal Business	NLSA		
		Screening session	Screening session NLSA/ NFVSA		
	2000-2400	2400 Evening Farwell Function / Reception		NASA	
Saturday 16 April	0900-1700	General Assembly* <b>Elections</b> Open Forum	NLSA		
	1700-1800	FIAF Executive meeting			
Sunday 17 April		Departure of delegates			
NFVSA Na	VSA National Film, Video and Sound Archives		228 Proes Street, Pretoria, 0001 239 Vermeulen Street, Pretoria, 0001 24 Hamilton Street, Arcadia, Pretoria, 0001		

<sup>\*</sup> See Symposium program and General Assembly Agenda at the end of Newsletter# 3



FIAF SUMMER SCHOOL 27 MARCH – 15 APRIL 2011 JOHANNESBURG AND PRETORIA/TSHWANE

#### **IMPORTANT NOTICES**

#### **SHUTTLE SERVICES:**

DELEGATES MUST ARRANGE WITH THEIR HOTEL FOR A SHUTTLE SERVICE TO COLLECT THEM FROM OR TAMBO AIRPORT TO THE HOTEL.

A SHUTTLE SERVICE AHS BEEN ARANGED TO TRANSPORT DELEGATES FROM THE HOTEL TO THE CONGRESS VENUE AND BACK.

#### **SCREENING SESSIONS:**

DELEGATES ARE INVITED TO BRING A DOCUMENTARY WITH INDIGENOUS CONTENT OR BACKGROUND (16MM FILM OR DVD FORMAT) FROM THEIR ARCHIVES.

#### Map of Pretoria



 National Library of South Africa is located in Proes Street just after crossing Andries and will be on the right hand side.

#### **NEWSLETTER NO. 3**

**FIAF CONGRESS 2011 PRETORIA** 

PROGRAMME: WEDNESDAY 13 April 2011

**COMMISSION WORKSHOPS** 

09:00-09:30 CATALOGUING AND DOCUMENTATION COMMISSION WORKSHOP

The FIAF Cataloguing Rules Revision Project

**Update and Discussion – Ms. Nancy Goldman** 

09:30-12:00 TECHNICAL COMMISSION AND PROGRAMMING AND ACCESS TO COLLECTIONS COMMISSION JOINT WORKSHOP

**Cultural Programming In The Age Of Transition - Facts** 

09:30-10:00 Thomas Christensen: What is a DCP?

Discussion

10:00-10:30 David Walsh: Digital Workflow

Discussion

10:30-11:00 Tea Break

11:00-11:30 Stefan Drössler: Screening Film Prints and DCPs

Discussion

11:30-12:00 Antti Alanen: Canonization - Selecting the Best

Discussion

12:00-12:.30 Josef Lindner: Projection Qualification

Discussion

12:30-14:00 Lunch Break

14:00 - 15:30

THE SECOND CENTURY FORUM: NEW MEMBERSHIP MODELS

Chairman: Dr. Patrick Loughney

15:30-16:00 Tea Break

16:00-17:00

**REGIONAL MEETINGS** 

Screening session



## FIAF SYMPOSIUM: INDIGENOUS FILM COLLECTIONS IN AFRICA AND THE WORLD

<u>Day 1</u>: 11 April 2011

09:00-11:00 WELCOME AND KEYNOTE SPEECH

09:00-09:30 FIAF Congress welcome and associated speeches

Chair: Ms. Mandy Gilder, Acting National Archivist of South Africa, Pretoria

#### **Speakers:**

- 1. Mr. Hisashi Okajima, FIAF President, Tokyo
- 2. Mr. Ramokgopa, Mayor of Pretoria
- 3. Mr. Paul Mashatile, Minister of Arts and Culture of South Africa

09:30-10:00 Tea Break

Introduction to the Symposium, Context, Examples, Discussions

10:00-11:00 Key note Speech: Context and examples of Indigenous collections and their challenges

#### **Key note speaker:**

Ms. Seipati Bulane-Hopa, Secretary General of the PAN African Federation of Filmmakers, Ouagadougou

#### **11:00-12:30 Session 1 (panel session)**

**Topic:** What are Indigenous Collections? How and why do we distinguish them from the rest of the film collection?

Chair: Ms. Meg Labrum, NFTVA, Canberra

#### **Speakers:**

- 1. Ms. Melisia Shinners, NFVSA Representative, Pretoria
- 2. Ms. Huia Kopua, New Zealand Film Archives, Wellington
- 3. Ms. Silja Sombay, Sami Film Center, Oslo

**Questions / Discussion** 

12:30-14:00 Lunch



#### **14:00-15:30 Session 2 (panel session)**

Topic: Case studies of Indigenous collections from Africa and the World

Chair: Michael Loebenstein, Oesterreichisches Filmmuseum, Wien

#### **Speakers:**

- 1. Dr. Jacqueline Maingard, Universitry of Bristol, Edinburgh
- 2. Mr. Ivan Murambiwa, National Archive of Zimbabwe, Harare
- 3. Mr. Gakumo Thiani, Department of Film Services, Nairobi

#### **Questions/discussion**

15:30-16:00 Tea Break

#### **FINAL SESSION DAY 1:**

**16:00-17:30 Session 3 (case studies)** 

Chair: Mr. Eddie Mbalo, National Film and Video Foundation, Johannesburg

#### **Speakers:**

- 1. Mr. José Manuel Costa, Cinemateca Portuguesa, Lisbon
- 2. Ms. Hoang Mai, Vietnam Film Institute, Hanoï
- 3. Mr. Eric Le Roy, Archives Françaises du Film / CNC, Paris

#### Questions/discussion



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#### **Day 2: 12 April 2011**

#### Restitution / Repatriation / History and the future for Indigenous collections

09:00-10:30 Session 4

### Repatriation. Colonial perspectives, Practicalities and the return of control over Indigenous filmed records

Chair: Ms. Antonia Lant, New York University, USA

#### **Speakers:**

- 1. Mr. Paolo Cherchi Usai, Hagefilm Foundation, Amsterdam "Concept Theory and Practicalities of Repatriation"
- 2. Ms. Seipati Bulane-Hopa, Federation of Pan African Filmmakers, Ouagadougou "Practicalities and the return of control over Indigenous filmed records"
- 3. Mr. Dennis Maake, National Film Video and Sound Archives, Pretoria "Repatriation of filmed collections held elsewhere projects done and future projects"

10:30-11:00 Tea Break

11:00-12:30 Session 5

Indigenous collections today to outline the challenges in Africa – film versus digital, etc.

Chair: Ms. Melisia Shinners, National Film Video and Sound Archives, Pretoria

#### **Speakers:**

- 1. Mr. Karl Griep, Bundesararchiv Filmarchiv, Berlin "Challenges in Africa: Surveys and ideas for the future"
- 2. Ms. Eva Orbanz, Berlin
  - "Africa Holdings / Collections around the world"
- 3. Mr. Herbert Vilakazi, Representative of South Africa, Pretoria "Indigenous Cultures, Film, and Problems of the 21<sup>ST</sup> Century"
- 4. Ms. Karen Son, National Film and Video Foundation, Johannesburg "Indigenous Film Funding"

12:30-14:00 Lunch

#### 14:00-15:30 Session 6

Access to Indigenous collections. How do archives deal with traditional rights/sensitive material/commercial/academic demand for such footage etc.

Chair: Mr. Luca Giuliani, Museo Nazionale del Cinema, Torino

#### **Speakers:**

- 1. Professor John Botha, North West University, Potchefstroom (SA)
- 2. Mr. Adrian Wood, Independent Film Researcher and Archival Expert, Beds (UK)
- 3. Ms. Meg Labrum, NFSA, Canberra
- 4. Mr. Devin Herd, Doxa Productions Visual History Explorer (VHX), Cape Town

15:30-16:00 Tea Break

16:00-17:30 Session 7

#### FINAL SESSION DAY 2:

Summary session and discussion about FIAF's role in supporting Indigenous film collections. What is the role of FIAF and audiovisual archives overall in supporting, collecting, preserving and accessing indigenous film collections? Is repatriation a genuine opportunity? How can we support both the principles of archives which have traditionally collected and used this material and the needs and moral rights of Indigenous communities and their associated archives?

Chair: Ms. Mandy Gilder, Acting National Archivist of South Africa, Pretoria

#### Panel:

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- 2. Professor John Botha, North West University, Potchefstroom (ZA)
- 3. Professor Herbert Vilakazi, Representative of South Africa, Pretoria
- 4. Ms. Huia Kopua, New Zealand Film Archives, Wellington
- 5. Mr. Karl Griep, Bundesarchiv Filmarchiv, Berlin
- 6. Mr. Jon-Arild Olsen, National Library of Norway, Oslo
- 7. Mr. António Afonso, Cinemateca Nacional De Angola, Luanda
- 8. Mr. Paolo Cherchi Usai, Haghefilm Foundation, Amsterdam





#### 67<sup>th</sup> FIAF CONGRESS GENERAL ASSEMBLY PRETORIA, 15 - 16 APRIL 2011

#### Draft Agenda

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15 April 2011, 9:00 am

- 1. Opening of the FIAF General Assembly
- Confirmation of the status and voting rights of the affiliates present or represented
- 3. Adoption of the Agenda
- 4. Approval of the Minutes of the GA held in Oslo
- 5. Report of the President on behalf of the Executive Committee
- 6. Affiliation
  - a. Report of the Secretary General on Current Affiliation
  - b. New Affiliates
  - c. Other
- 7. Specialised Commissions and Working Groups
  - a. Cataloguing and Documentation Commission
  - b. Programming and Access to Collections Commission
  - c. Technical Commission
  - d. Africa Working Group
  - e. Other

#### 8. Publications and other Projects

- a. FIAF Awards 2011-2013
- b. 27 October UNESCO World Day For Audiovisual Heritage
- c. Journal of Film Preservation
- d. Professional Training
  - FIAF Summer School 2011
  - Next FIAF Summer Schools
  - Latin America School on Wheels Ibermedia
  - Other Educational Programs Africa / Asia
- e. Periodical Indexing Project / The FIAF Database
- f. FIAF Website, Intranet and Social Media
- g. Update of the Cataloguing Rules and translations
- h. FIAF Oral History
- i. Charter of Film Restoration
- j. Reel Emergency Project
- k. Oslo Joint Technical Symposium
- I. Other

#### 9. Relations with UNESCO, International and Regional Organisations

- Relations with UNESCO, CCAAA and other Moving Images Archives Associations and Regional Groupings (FIAF and non-FIAF)
- b. Other

#### 10. Future Congresses

- a. 2012: Beijing
- b. 2013: Barcelona
- c. 2014 and later

#### THIRD SESSION

#### 16 April 2011, 9:00 am

- 11. Financial Reports 2010 2012
  - a. Accounts 2010
  - b. Comments on 2011
  - c. Budget 2012
- 12. Elections of the Executive Committee
  - a. Discharge of the outgoing EC
  - b. Elections Procedures
  - c. Elections of the FIAF EC Officers
  - d. Elections of the EC Members of Member Archives
  - e. Elections of the EC Members of Associate Archives

#### FOURTH SESSION

16 April 2011, 2:00 pm

- 13. Open Forum
  - a. Registration/Announcement Open Forum Subjects
  - b. Open Forum Session
    - Cultural Programming in the Age of Transition Debate
    - Other Open Forum Topics
- 14. Closure of the 67<sup>th</sup> FIAF Congress