The UCLA Film & Television Archive’s Research and Study Center (ARSC) is pleased to announce the ARSC Visiting Researcher Stipend for 2012. One stipend in the amount of $3,000 is available this year. The purpose of the stipend is to:

- Support the work of scholars by awarding funding to offset expenses associated with a research visit to the UCLA Film & Television Archive.
- Encourage research access to moving image collections held by UCLA Film & Television Archive.

Eligibility

- Scholars from all academic disciplines are eligible and encouraged to apply.
- Applicants must be current students, faculty, or staff at a college or university.
- Proposed research must be for work intended for publication and/or related to a thesis/dissertation.
- Proposed research centrally requires viewing of films or television programming held by the Archive.

Selection Criteria

- Relevance of Archive holdings to proposed research.
- Applicant’s research experience as illustrated in their curriculum vitae.
- Applicant’s financial need (i.e. projected expense of proposed research visit).

Requirements

- Research visit must occur during 2012 calendar year.

Payment

- Stipend is to be distributed after the research visit is completed. Payment may take several weeks or longer to process following the completion of the research visit.

About the Archive’s Collections

The UCLA Film & Television Archive holds over 250,000 films and television programs produced from the 1890s to the present. The collection includes independent and studio-produced shorts and feature films, advertising and industrial films, documentaries, local and network TV programming, commercials, news and public affairs broadcasts, and 27 million feet of newsreels produced between 1919 and 1971.

- Stipend made possible by a grant from the Myra Reinhard Family Foundation –
APPLICATION FORM: ARSC Visiting Researcher Stipend (2012)

Name_____________________________________
Address_____________________________________
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Title of proposed project_____________________________________________________________________
How/where did you learn of this stipend? ________________________________________________________

Hard copies of the following supplemental materials must be submitted with the application form:

☐ Detailed narrative description of the proposed research project, including anticipated scholarly output, such as thesis, journal publication, etc. (300-500 words).

☐ Filmography of collection materials to be viewed, w/inventory numbers, as compiled via applicant’s research in the Archive’s online catalog at http://cinema.library.ucla.edu.

☐ Curriculum vitae listing current affiliations and works published (if applicable).

☐ Students only: a letter of recommendation from a faculty member or departmental advisor.

If awarded the stipend, applicant agrees to travel to the UCLA Film & Television Archive between late-August, 2012 and December 14, 2012 to conduct research as outlined in their submitted proposal. [Note that certain collection materials may require several weeks lead time to prepare for viewing; material availability subject to change].

Applicant further agrees to an exit interview with Archive staff to review the progress of their research.

DATE _______________________ Applicant _____________________________________________

Signature of Applicant

Important dates

Applications must be postmarked no later than July 9, 2012.
Recipient announced by August 31, 2012
Research visit must be completed sometime between August 2012 - December 14, 2012

Submit application and supplemental materials to:

Mark Quigley c/o
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