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Message from the National Membership Coordinator

Dear DOC Members and Friends,

Please find below the latest industry news

Thank you,

Lindsay Tibando
National Membership Coordinator

Chers membres et ami.e.s de DOC,

Veillez trouver ci-bas les dernières nouvelles et informations de l'industrie.

Cordialement,

Lindsay Tibando
Coodonnatrice nationale aux adhésions

DOC News

DOC TALK 2009 at VIFF

DOC TALK will be held Friday October 2nd at the Vancouver International Film Festival. DOC TALK day passes are discounted for all DOC members (valid membership is required) For more information regarding schedules please go to, <http://www.viff.org/forum/schedule.htm>. [Back to Top](#)

Quebecor Documentary Fellowship Program

The Quebecor Documentary Fellowship Program is designed for mid-level filmmakers from under-represented communities intending to pursue documentary production as a viable, long-term career option. Applicants must be a member of an under-represented group, such as a visible minority, aboriginal community and must reside in the Greater Toronto Area. For more information, please visit DOC Toronto's [webpage](#). [Back to Top](#)

New Website for DOC Toronto

DOC Toronto will be launching their new website on October 1st. Be sure to check it out and stay up to date on DOC Toronto activities. [Back to Top](#)

Industry News

CanWest-Hot Docs Funds

Canwest and Hot Docs have two upcoming fund deadlines. The *CanWest-Hot Docs Completion Fund* is a grant that will provide financial support of up to \$100,000 (limited to a maximum of 20% of project's budget) for production companies to complete specific projects. This is open to producers who have attracted demonstrated market interest in their documentaries. The *CanWest-Hot Docs Development Fund* is a loan program designed to help producers develop specific projects, researches, written and/or packaged and ready for market. The Fund will provide non-interest loans averaging between \$10,000-\$15,000 in early development stage. The deadline is October 28th, 2009. For more information please click [here](#). [Back to Top](#)

Upcoming Events

Call For Entries: Rotterdam International Film Festival

The International Film Festival Rotterdam (IFFR) is one of Europe's biggest and most important film events, focusing on innovative and independent cinema. Telefilm Canada is currently accepting entries on behalf of the Festival and will coordinate a consolidated shipment of screeners. Application Deadline is October 7th, 2009.

For more information, please click [here](#).

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Call For Entries: Rotterdam Lab 2010

Telefilm Canada is now accepting applications from emerging producers interested in participating in the Rotterdam Lab 2010 held during the Rotterdam International Film Festival's 27th annual edition of CineMart. The Lab is a 5 day training workshop giving producers the opportunity to develop an international network through access to CineMart's participants. For more information please contact Brigitte Hubmann, hubmanb@telefilm.gc.ca, or Marie-Claude Giroux, girouxm@telefilm.gc.ca

Application Deadline: October 23rd, 2009

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LIFT 2009 Film and Digital Workshops

Hot There will be over 45 workshops this upcoming season with a special focus on Darkroom Practices and the Bloex Camera. Registration started Monday September 14th and will continue until all classes are full.

The new facility is located at 1137 Dupont Street, at Gladstone Ave, Toronto ON. For more information, please visit <http://www.lift.on.ca/mt/workshops.html>

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Call for Entries: 33rd Goteborg International Film Festival

The Goteborg International Film Festival is currently accepting entries for its 2010 edition. Please note that all films must be submitted directly to the festival. The application deadline is September 30th 2009. For more information please click [here](#). [Back to Top](#)

Call for Entries: The Berlinale Talent Campus

As part of the Berlin International Film Festival, the Berlinale Talent Campus invites young filmmakers from all over the world to share ideas and mingle with international stars and colleagues. In addition to the

general programme, several hands-on training programmes are also included. Application Deadline is October 7th, 2009. For more information, please click [here](#).

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Call for Entries: Visions du Reel International Film Festival

The Visions du Reel Festival's objective is to show the world as it is seen and breakaway from the mainstream. For more information please click [here](#). **Back to Top**

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All DOC members are invited to join doc-discussion, our e-mail discussion group.

There are two ways to join:

1) At our Yahoo Group page:

<http://movies.groups.yahoo.com/group/doc-discussion/0>

2) By sending a blank e-mail to doc-discussion-subscribe@yahoogroups.com

You will receive a confirmation e-mail, to which you have to reply.

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DOCspace is here for you! Take advantage of the exposure to filmmakers and fans that DOCspace offers.

1) Update your Member profile or Film profile (post a film clip, add a photo, and make sure to use the handy tag feature). Need help? Email administrator@docspace.ca

2) Post a classified ad. Categories are: Barter, Equipment, For Rent, For Sale, Jobs, Services). Login to your DOCspace profile to post an ad or email administrator@docspace.ca with your ad information.

3) Publicize a News or Event item on DOCspace's homepage. This could be information about an upcoming film premiere, your company news, festival news and/or a submission call. Email administrator@docspace.ca with your News and Event information.

4) Just completed a doc or have a doc-in-progress? Want to share your expertise? Attending a film festival? Write about your personal experience for DOCspace News. For example, Andrew Munger wrote about his experiences creating Wal-Mart Nation just for DOCspace readers at www.docspace.ca/news/Why_WalMart. Email administrator@docspace.ca with your article ideas.

5) Advertise on DOCspace. Email marsha@docorg.ca for rate information.

6) Help promote DOCspace by posting a link on your website.

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