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Regent Park Film Festival fonds

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Summary information

Repository:	York University Archives & Special Collections (CTASC)
Title:	Regent Park Film Festival fonds
Reference code:	F0743
Date:	2005-2019 (creation)
Physical description:	ca. 8 cm of textual records 29 prints : poster and postcard 1 film reel : si. ; 8 mm
Language:	English
Dates of creation, revision and deletion:	2023/07/25 KCP. Created.

Administrative history / Biographical sketch

Note

The Regent Park Film Festival is Toronto's longest running free-of-charge community film festival, dedicated to showcasing local and international independent works relevant to inner-city life. In 2003, Chandra Siddan, a filmmaker and student in the York University's "Regent Park Community Education Program", founded the RPF as an alternative educational setting for an assignment with support from her instructor Jeff Kugler, principal of Nelson Mandela Park Public School, who offered his school as the venue for the event, and Prof. Harry Smaller who garnered broadly-based support from the University. For seven years, the festival screened at the Nelson Mandela Park Public School before moving to the Lord Dufferin Public School for 2010 and 2011. On the tenth anniversary in 2012, the festival and its offices moved into the Daniels Spectrum cultural hub and started delivering year-round programming such as workshops and community screenings.

In 2007, a year after RPF incorporated, Siddan stepped down as Festival Director and was replaced by Karin Haze until 2010, Richard Fung in 2011, Ananya Ohri from 2012 to 2018, and Tendisai Cromwell as of 2018.

In 2017, the RPF embarked on a three-year home movie archive project titled "Home Made Visible" after receiving funding from the Canadian Council for the Arts New Chapter. The three-part nationwide project digitized home movies from the Indigenous and visible minority communities and donated a selection of clips for preservation, commissioned six artist films, and exhibited the artworks and selected home movie clips across Canada to encourage discussions around diverse histories and futures.

Scope and content

Fonds consists of administrative and promotional material documenting the Regent Park Film Festival's outreach programs including the annual film festival, the Home Made Visible project, and outdoor summer screenings.

Notes

Immediate source of acquisition

Donated by Executive Director Angela Britto on behalf of the RPF in August 2019.

Restrictions on access

No restrictions.

Note [General]

CTASC acknowledges the initial work performed by Shannon Gagnon who, as part of her role as Archives and Evaluations Coordinator at the RPF, prepared a detailed listing of the accession's contents.

Other notes

- **Publication status:** Published
 - **Level of detail:** Full
 - **Status description:** Final
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Access points

- Textual record (documentary form)
 - Graphic material (documentary form)
 - Moving images (documentary form)
 - Object (documentary form)
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Collection holdings

Item: 2019-043/001(01) - Regent Park Film Festival November 8-13 : Focus East Asia

Title: Regent Park Film Festival November 8-13 : Focus East Asia

Reference code: 2019-043/001(01)

Date: 9-13 Nov. 2005 (date of creation)

Scope and content: File contains Regent Park Film Festival 2005 poster. The poster also has programming information. Poster was distributed in the Regent Park area of Toronto

Physical description: 1 print : poster ; 28 x 42 cm

Language of the material:

English

Note [generalNote]: Scope and content note provided by Regent Park Film Festival.

Restrictions on access: No restrictions.

Publication status:

Published

Access points:

- Graphic material (documentary form)
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File: 2019-043/001(02) - Regent Park Film Festival November 8-12, 2006

Title: Regent Park Film Festival November 8-12, 2006

Reference code: 2019-043/001(02)

Date: 8-12 Nov. 2006 (date of creation)

Scope and content: Folder contains Regent Park Film Festival's 2006 festival poster and postcard, distributed in the Regent Park area of Toronto.

Physical description: 2 prints : poster and postcard

Language of the material:

English

Note [generalNote]: Scope and content note provided by Regent Park Film Festival.

Restrictions on access: No restrictions.

Publication status:

Published

Access points:

- Graphic material (documentary form)
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File: 2019-043/001(03) - 6th Annual Regent Park Film Festival : Community Cinema From Distant Lands , Nov 5-8 2008

Title: 6th Annual Regent Park Film Festival : Community Cinema From Distant Lands , Nov 5-8 2008

Reference code: 2019-043/001(03)

Date: 5-8 Nov. 2008 (date of creation)

Scope and content: Folder contains Regent Park Film Festival's 2008 (6th annual) festival poster and programme, distributed in the Regent Park area of Toronto.

Physical description: 1 file of textual records

1 print : poster

Language of the material:

English

Note [generalNote]: Scope and content note provided by Regent Park Film Festival.

Restrictions on access: No restrictions.

Publication status:

Published

Access points:

- Textual record (documentary form)
 - Graphic material (documentary form)
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Item: 2019-043/001(04) - 7th Annual Regent Park Film Festival : Reel Images. Real Communities. November 4th-7th 2009

Title: 7th Annual Regent Park Film Festival : Reel Images. Real Communities. November 4th-7th 2009

Reference code: 2019-043/001(04)

Date: 4-7 Nov. 2009 (date of creation)

Scope and content: Folder contains Regent Park Film Festival's 2009 (7th annual) festival poster distributed in the Regent Park area of Toronto.

Physical description: 1 print : poster ; 28 x 42 cm

Language of the material:

English

Note [generalNote]: Scope and content note provided by Regent Park Film Festival.

Restrictions on access: No restrictions.

Publication status:

Published

Access points:

- Graphic material (documentary form)
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File: 2019-043/001(05) - 8th Annual Regent Park Film Festival : Reel Images. Real Communities. November 3rd-6th, 2010

Title: 8th Annual Regent Park Film Festival : Reel Images. Real Communities. November 3rd-6th, 2010

Reference code: 2019-043/001(05)

Date: 3-6 Nov. 2010 (date of creation)

Scope and content: Folder contains Regent Park Film Festival's 2010 (8th annual) festival poster and postcard distributed in the Regent Park area of Toronto.

Physical description: 2 prints : poster and postcard

Language of the material:

English

Note [generalNote]: Scope and content note provided by Regent Park Film Festival.

Restrictions on access: No restrictions.

Publication status:

Published

Access points:

- Graphic material (documentary form)
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File: 2019-043/001(06) - 9th Annual Regent Park Film Festival : Reel Images. Real Communities. Nov. 2-5, 2011

Title: 9th Annual Regent Park Film Festival : Reel Images. Real Communities. Nov. 2-5, 2011

Reference code: 2019-043/001(06)

Date: 2-5 Nov. 2011 (date of creation)

Scope and content: Folder contains Regent Park Film Festival's 2011 (9th annual) festival poster and postcard distributed in the Regent Park area of Toronto.

Physical description: 2 prints : poster and postcard

Language of the material:

English

Note [generalNote]: Scope and content note provided by Regent Park Film Festival.

Restrictions on access: No restrictions.

Publication status:

Published

Access points:

- Graphic material (documentary form)
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File: 2019-043/001(07) - 10th Annual Regent Park Film Festival November 7-10, 2012

Title: 10th Annual Regent Park Film Festival November 7-10, 2012

Reference code: 2019-043/001(07)

Date: 7-10 Nov. 2012 (date of creation)

Scope and content: Folder contains Regent Park Film Festival's 2012 (10th annual) festival folding flyer and program distributed in the Regent Park area of Toronto.

Physical description: 1 file of textual records

1 print : poster

Language of the material:

English

Note [generalNote]: Scope and content note provided by Regent Park Film Festival.

Alternative form available: A digital copy of the festival program is available at <https://rpff.ca/festival/festival-archives/>.

Restrictions on access: No restrictions.

Publication status:

Published

Access points:

- Textual record (documentary form)
 - Graphic material (documentary form)
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File: 2019-043/001(08) - 11th Annual Regent Park Film Festival November 13-16, 2013

Title: 11th Annual Regent Park Film Festival November 13-16, 2013

Reference code: 2019-043/001(08)

Date: 13-16 Nov. 2013 (date of creation)

Scope and content: Folder contains Regent Park Film Festival's 2013 (11th annual) festival poster and folding flyer distributed in the Regent Park area of Toronto.

Physical description: 1 file of textual records

1 print : poster

Language of the material:

English

Note [generalNote]: Scope and content note provided by Regent Park Film Festival.

Alternative form available: A digital copy of the festival program is available at <https://rpff.ca/festival/festival-archives/>.

Restrictions on access: No restrictions.

Publication status:

Published

Access points:

- Textual record (documentary form)
 - Graphic material (documentary form)
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File: 2019-043/001(09) - 12th Annual Regent Park Film Festival November 19-22, 2014

Title: 12th Annual Regent Park Film Festival November 19-22, 2014

Reference code: 2019-043/001(09)

Date: 19-22 Nov. 2014 (date of creation)

Scope and content: Folder contains Regent Park Film Festival's 2014 (12th annual) festival programme, poster, folding flyer and postcard distributed in the Regent Park area of Toronto.

Physical description: 1 file of textual records

1 print : poster and postcard

Language of the material:

English

Note [generalNote]: Scope and content note provided by Regent Park Film Festival.

Alternative form available: A digital copy of the festival program is available at <https://rpff.ca/festival/festival-archives/>.

Restrictions on access: No restrictions.

Publication status:

Published

Access points:

- Textual record (documentary form)
 - Graphic material (documentary form)
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File: 2019-043/001(10) - 13th Annual Regent Park Film Festival November 18-21, 2015

Title: 13th Annual Regent Park Film Festival November 18-21, 2015

Reference code: 2019-043/001(10)

Date: 18-21 Nov. 2015 (date of creation)

Scope and content: Folder contains Regent Park Film Festival's 2015 (13th annual) festival poster and folding flyer distributed in the Regent Park area of Toronto.

Physical description: 1 file of textual records

1 print : poster

Language of the material:

English

Note [generalNote]: Scope and content note provided by Regent Park Film Festival.

Alternative form available: A digital copy of the festival program is available at <https://rpff.ca/festival/festival-archives/>.

Restrictions on access: No restrictions.

Publication status:

Published

Access points:

- Textual record (documentary form)
 - Graphic material (documentary form)
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File: 2019-043/001(11) - 14th Annual Regent Park Film Festival November 23-26 2016

Title: 14th Annual Regent Park Film Festival November 23-26 2016

Reference code: 2019-043/001(11)

Date: 23-26 Nov. 2016 (date of creation)

Scope and content: Folder contains Regent Park Film Festival's 2016 (14th annual) festival programme, poster, and folding flyer distributed in the Regent Park area of Toronto.

Physical description: 1 file of textual records

1 print : poster

Language of the material:

English

Note [generalNote]: Scope and content note provided by Regent Park Film Festival.

Alternative form available: A digital copy of the festival program is available at <https://rpff.ca/festival/festival-archives/>.

Restrictions on access: No restrictions.

Publication status:

Published

Access points:

- Textual record (documentary form)
 - Graphic material (documentary form)
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File: 2019-043/001(12) - Regent Park Film Festival : Celebrating 15 Years of Storytelling in 2017

Title: Regent Park Film Festival : Celebrating 15 Years of Storytelling in 2017

Reference code: 2019-043/001(12)

Date: 15-18 Nov. 2017 (date of creation)

Scope and content: Folder contains Regent Park Film Festival's 2017 (15th annual) festival programme, poster, and folding flyer distributed in the Regent Park area of Toronto.

Physical description: 1 file of textual records

1 print : poster

Language of the material:

English

Note [generalNote]: Scope and content note provided by Regent Park Film Festival.

Alternative form available: A digital copy of the festival program is available at <https://rpff.ca/festival/festival-archives/>.

Restrictions on access: No restrictions.

Publication status:

Published

Access points:

- Textual record (documentary form)
 - Graphic material (documentary form)
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File: 2019-043/001(13) - 16th Annual Regent Park Film Festival : Toronto's Longest Running Free Community Film Festival : November 14-17 2018

Title: 16th Annual Regent Park Film Festival : Toronto's Longest Running Free Community Film Festival : November 14-17 2018

Reference code: 2019-043/001(13)

Date: 14-17 Nov. 2018 (date of creation)

Scope and content: Folder contains Regent Park Film Festival's 2018 (16th annual) festival programme, poster, and folding flyer distributed in the Regent Park area of Toronto.

Physical description: 1 file of textual records

1 print : poster

Language of the material:

English

Note [generalNote]: Scope and content note provided by Regent Park Film Festival.Alternative form available: A digital copy of the festival program is available at <https://rpff.ca/festival/festival-archives/>.Restrictions on access: No restrictions.Publication status:

Published

Access points:

- Textual record (documentary form)
 - Graphic material (documentary form)
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File: 2019-043/001(14) - Under the Stars: Regent Park Film Festival : Outdoor Summer Screenings. 2014-2019Title: Under the Stars: Regent Park Film Festival : Outdoor Summer Screenings. 2014-2019Reference code: 2019-043/001(14)Date: 2014-2019 (date of creation)Scope and content: Folder contains Regent Park Film Festival's printed matter for the Under The Stars Annual event, initiated in 2013. Posters distributed in the Regent Park area of Toronto.Physical description: 1 file of textual records

5 prints : poster

Language of the material:

English

Note [generalNote]: Scope and content note provided by Regent Park Film Festival.Restrictions on access: No restrictions.Publication status:

Published

Access points:

- Textual record (documentary form)
 - Graphic material (documentary form)
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File: 2019-043/001(15) - Home Made Visible : outreach materials, iteration 1Title: Home Made Visible : outreach materials, iteration 1

Reference code: 2019-043/001(15)

Date: 2017 (date of creation)

Scope and content: Folder contains outreach materials for the Home Made Visible Project, created by the Regent Park Film Festival. Included are drafts and final versions for the first stage of marketing materials.

Physical description: 1 file of textual records
2 prints : poster

Language of the material:

English

Note [generalNote]: Scope and content note provided by Regent Park Film Festival.

Restrictions on access: No restrictions.

Publication status:

Published

Access points:

- Textual record (documentary form)
 - Graphic material (documentary form)
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File: 2019-043/001(16) - Home Made Visible : outreach materials, iteration 2

Title: Home Made Visible : outreach materials, iteration 2

Reference code: 2019-043/001(16)

Date: 2018-2019 (date of creation)

Scope and content: Folder contains outreach materials for the Home Made Visible Project , created by the Regent Park Film Festival. Included, are the outreach materials used between 2018-2019.

Physical description: 1 file of textual records
5 prints : poster

Language of the material:

English

Note [generalNote]: Scope and content note provided by Regent Park Film Festival.

Restrictions on access: No restrictions.

Publication status:

Published

Access points:

- Textual record (documentary form)
 - Graphic material (documentary form)
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File: 2019-043/001(17) - Home Made Visible : Textual Records, 2018-19

Title: Home Made Visible : Textual Records, 2018-19

Reference code: 2019-043/001(17)

Date: 2018-2019 (date of creation)

Scope and content: Folder contains textual records for the Home Made Visible project, created by the Regent Park Film Festival. Included, are a newspaper clipping, poster for an associated workshop, and a handmade zine made at the "What Is Home?" workshop, facilitated by Alejandra Higuera at the Toronto Reference Library, Toronto, ON.

Physical description: 1 file of textual records

Language of the material:

English

Note [generalNote]: Scope and content note provided by Regent Park Film Festival.

Restrictions on access: No restrictions.

Publication status:

Published

Access points:

- Textual record (documentary form)
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Item: 2019-043/001(18) - Home Made Visible : 8 mm fest workshop

Title: Home Made Visible : 8 mm fest workshop

Reference code: 2019-043/001(18)

Date: 3 Dec. 2018 (date of creation)

Physical description: 1 film reel : si. ; 8 mm

Language of the material:

Restrictions on access: No restrictions.

Publication status:

Published

Access points:

- Moving images (documentary form)
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File: 2019-043/001(19) - Regent Park Film Festival : assorted documents, 2016-2019

Title: Regent Park Film Festival : assorted documents, 2016-2019

Reference code: 2019-043/001(19)

Date: 2016-2019 (date of creation)

Scope and content: Folder contains assorted printed matter for the Regent Park Film Festival.

Physical description: 1 file of textual records

1 print : poster and postcard

Language of the material:

English

Note [generalNote]: Scope and content note provided by Regent Park Film Festival.

Restrictions on access: No restrictions.

Publication status:

Published

Access points:

- Textual record (documentary form)
 - Graphic material (documentary form)
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File: 2019-043/001(20) - Home Made Visible : report

Title: Home Made Visible : report

Reference code: 2019-043/001(20)

Date: 2019 (date of creation)

Physical description: 1 folder of textual records

Language of the material:

English

Restrictions on access: No restrictions.

Publication status:

Published

Access points:

- Textual record (documentary form)
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