**Cal Humanities Announces Guidelines for the 2015 California Documentary Project Grant**

**Deadline: October 15, 2015**

The **California Documentary Project (CDP)** is a competitive grant program of Cal Humanities that supports documentary film, radio, and new media productions that enhance our understanding of California and its cultures, peoples, and histories. Projects should use the humanities to provide context, depth, and perspective and be suitable for California and national audiences through broadcast and/or distribution. CDP grants support documentary projects at the research and development and production stages and grant amounts range from $10,000 to $50,000. A cash or in-kind match is required. California residency is not a requirement for eligibility.

For complete program guidelines, application instructions, and a list of previously supported projects, please visit: [www.calhum.org/grants/california-documentary-project-grant](http://www.calhum.org/grants/california-documentary-project-grant)

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Cal Humanities is an independent non-profit and a state partner of the National Endowment for the Humanities. Since 2003, we have awarded over $4 million to projects that document the California experience, including *The Case Against 8*, *Dorothea Lange: Grab a Hunk of Lightning*, *Seeking Asian Female*, *We Were Here: The AIDS Years in San Francisco*, *Everyday Sunshine: The Story of Fishbone*, *Romeo is Bleeding*, Ruben Salazar: Man in the Middle*,* and many more.

**INFORMATIONAL GRANT WORKSHOPS**

Cal Humanities will conduct informational grant workshops and an online webinar on how to apply to the 2015 California Documentary Project grant program on the following dates and times. The workshops and webinar are free but space is limited and an RSVP is required to attend. **Please be sure to review the CDP grant guidelines in advance at and bring your questions with you.**

**San Francisco**

Thursday, September 3

6:00-8:00pm

Ninth Street Independent Film Center

Co-presented by San Francisco Film Society

To attend, please [register here](https://actionpage.causeview.com/actionpage/63320201512072929)

**San Diego**

Wednesday, September 9

6:00-8:00pm

Media Art Center San Diego

To attend, please [register here](https://actionpage.causeview.com/actionpage/86720201556072932)

**Los Angeles**

Thursday, September 10

7:00-9:00pm

International Documentary Association

To attend, please [register here](https://actionpage.causeview.com/actionpage/67018201509072111)

**Webinar**

Thursday, September 15

10:30am—noon PDT

To participate, please [register here](https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/2979465773221282818)