Event Schedule

February 5th

3pm

Workshop DIY Filmmaking from Home Presented by FilmNorth

5:30pm

Workshop Re-imagining Storytelling in Minnesota Presented by Sergio Rapu

7pm

Panel Women Filmmakers of Color

February 6th

10am

Workshop The Story Between Your Fingers / Las Historia Entre Tus Dedos Presented by Tahiel Jimenez

11:15am

Panel Documentary Filmmaking Finding Your Story Presented by DocuClub

1pm

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Screening Curated by APIA MN Film Collective

3pm

Panel Filmmaking in 2020







CONNECT MEDIA FESTIVAL

February 7th

11am

Workshop Digital Photography Presented by In Progress

12:15pm

Workshop Digital Storytelling for Youth Presented by In Progress

4pm

Panel Black Filmmakers





FRIDAY, FEB. 5TH

WORKSHOP: DIY FILMMAKING FROM HOME & FINAL CUT PRO CAIT MCCLUSKIE AND JEREMY WILKER BY FILMNORTH

This workshop will focus on using the technology and software you have at home to create compelling films. Topic areas include filming, lighting, audio recording/sound design, and editing.

WORKSHOP: RE-IMAGINING STORYTELLING IN MINNESOTA SERGIO RAPU

This keynote conversation will examine how we can use the lessons learned from the past year to forge ahead as filmmakers and documentarians in Minnesota by expanding our networks, our comfort zones, and our story's impact in the world.

PANEL: WOMEN FILMMAKERS OF COLOR

Women of color filmmakers discuss their experience working in the field and their hopes for this industry. Facilitated by Naomi Ko.

SATURDAY, FEB. 6TH

WORKSHOP: THE STORY BETWEEN YOUR FINGERS / LAS HISTORIA ENTRE TUS DEDOS

TAHIEL JIMENEZ

This workshop welcomes participants to reflect on their past and self awareness with the intention to grow storytelling skills. It is a simple exercise to dive into your own story and see it from a new perspective. Please bring different color markers / pens!

PANEL: DOCUMENTARY FILMMAKING: FINDING YOUR STORY

DOCU CLUB (FT: ANDRES PARRA, PAM COLBY, DA HEE KIM)

A panel discussion featuring an inspiring group of Minnesota documentary filmmakers who bring their own very personal experiences and perspectives to their films. We'll talk about the decision-making behind bringing a personal story to the screen and the lessons learned along the way. 10:00AM

5:30PM

3:00PM

7-8:30PM

11:15AM

SCREENING

APIA MN FILM COLLECTIVE

10 films produced by local Asian and Pacific-Islander American filmmakers, curated by the APIA MN Film Collective. More details to come.

PANEL: FILMMAKING IN 2020

Filmmakers share their experiences actively working throughout 2020, amidst the pandemic, uprisings and elections. Facilitated by Hlee Lee-Kron.

SUNDAY, FEB. 7TH

WORKSHOP: DIGITAL PHOTOGRAPHY

IN PROGRESS

Artist Tomas Leal shares his expertise, experiences, and story working as an independent commercial photographer and teaching artist that provides mentorships in photography, videography, and music. He'll share his thoughts on the power of storytelling using photography and how important it is to support others as they find their own voice through photography. This is a 45 minute session with 15 minutes of Q&A at the end.

WORKSHOP: DIGITAL STORYTELLING FOR YOUTH

IN PROGRESS

Tiana LaPointe will share how her experiences as a youth media intern shaped her career as a teaching artist. She will show examples of her artwork and discuss the values she brings with her as a mentor to youth in the digital media field.

SCREENING: BLACK-MADE FILMS

CURATED BY SPNN

More information to come!

PANEL: BLACK FILMMAKERS

What is the experience of being Black in the filmmaking industry look like? What may it look like moving forward? Here from five phenomenal filmmakers as they share their insights and experiences: D.A. Bullock, Alison Guessou, Adja Gildersleve, E.G. Bailey, Victor V. Hogan, II. Moderated by Bianca Rhodes. 12:15-1:15 P M

TBD

4-5:30PM

1-2:30PM

3-4:30PM

11-12:00PM