

VISION ON

DIGITAL VIDEO AND ORAL HISTORY



**Study day, Saturday 20 November 2010, 10.15am – 5pm,
Museum of London**

A partnership between the Oral History Society and the Museum of London

This lively study day will explore and reflect upon the uses, benefits, challenges and implications of digital video technologies for oral history. The day could not be more timely, with an increasing number of people using digital video to collect and share oral history interviews, but reservations about the medium still holding sway for some, and with a need for more discussion about what digital video actually means for oral history.

People using oral history in a range of ways – including those working in museums, community-based groups, schools and higher education – are invited. A mix of debates, presentations by people experienced in the use of digital video

for oral history, plenty of screenings, and small workshop sessions should ensure a lively and thought-provoking day.

Questions to be addressed include:

- What are the arguments for and against the use of digital video for oral history?
- What is the impact of video on the makers, interviewees and audiences?
- What makes good video oral history?

The study day will be held at the Museum of London. In its brand new Galleries of Modern London, 7,000 objects, show-stopping interactives, film and oral history exhibits transport visitors through London's tumultuous history, rich with drama, triumph and near disaster.

Fee: £40 full rate and £25 concessions (including Oral History Society members), which includes lunch



Registration details

I would like to book for the 'Vision On' Study day on 20th November 2010 and have ticked the appropriate boxes below and provided the necessary payment. (one copy of form per person)

Name.....

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Address..... Postcode.....

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Please tell us if you have any special access, mobility or dietary requirements and contact our administrator if you require any further information: Belinda Waterman, belinda@essex.ac.uk tel 01206 872313

£40.00 Standard Fee (see below for special offer)

£25.00 Concessions including OHS members

Special Offer – Pay £42.00 to have admission to the study day and join the Oral History Society for a year as well (separate fees £60.00).

I wish to join the Oral History Society as an individual member (normally £20.00) - offer only open to individuals*.

£42.00

I enclose total payment of £_____ Cheques made payable to the 'Oral History Society'

OR

Charge the above amount to my credit card. Card type Visa/Mastercard/American Express

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Please return this form to Belinda Waterman, Vision On, Department of History, University of Essex, Wivenhoe Park, Colchester CO4 3SQ.

Please retain a copy of this form. Final programme will be available on the Oral History Society website www.ohs.org.uk from the end of August.

*Please note all subscriptions run yearly from January 1st. Late 2010 applications will be rolled over to 2011