

PROJECT ARCHIVE: ART 2004-2005

- GRADUATE FELLOW **MATT BRYANT**

Project Title:	Who Wants To Be an Artist?
Project Description:	The goal of this project was to introduce high school students to the idea that being an artist is possible for everyone. Matthew diffused misconceptions about the definition of an artist, and opened a dialogue with the students about the possibilities of art and being an artist through lectures, video presentations, and discussion. The students created their own art proposals and shared their ideas with their peers.
Site/# of Presentations:	Moreno Valley High School – 5 Sherman Indian High School – 5
Site/Audience Reached:	Moreno Valley High School – 150 Sherman Indian High School – 150
Total # of Presentations:	10
Total Audience Reached:	300
Fellow's Bio:	Matthew Bryant is a graduate student pursuing his MFA in Visual Arts. He received his BFA in Art from the University of Minnesota. He has taken courses in engineering/drafting, theatre, filmmaking and photography.

- GRADUATE FELLOW **CHERYL GILGE**

Project Title:	The Photogram
Project Description:	Cheryl led students on an exploration of creating photography without the use of a camera. By introducing various techniques of using light sensitive material to create a latent image in the darkroom, students were able to explore photography without being held to the documentary and literal nature of traditional camera-work. Students were introduced to historical and contemporary examples of "photograms" through slide lectures, discussion, and investigation. Students displayed their photograms, critiqued their peers' work, and discussed their experiences collectively.
Site/# of Presentations:	Sherman Indian High School – 10
Site/Audience Reached:	Sherman Indian High School – 80
Total # of Presentations:	10
Total Audience Reached:	80
Fellow's Bio:	Cheryl Gilge is a graduate student pursuing her MFA in Visual Arts, and holds a BFA from the University of Minnesota. Her primary medium is photography.

- GRADUATE FELLOW **JASON LUTZ**

Project Title:	Murals for the Classroom
Project Description:	Jason introduced students to visual art through investigating public muralists and their works. Students explored works by Jose Clemente Orozco, Diego Rivera, David Alfaro Siqueiros and Assume Vivid Astro Focus. They developed an understanding of the various design elements of a mural such as color, composition, technique, and social commentary. Students had an open discussion and took part in a hands-on activity, creating a collaborative mural to be displayed in their classroom.
Site/# of Presentations:	Moreno Valley High School – 5 Sherman Indian High School - 5
Site/Audience Reached:	Moreno Valley High School – 140 Sherman Indian High School - 45
Total # of Presentations:	10
Total Audience Reached:	185

Fellow's Bio:

Jason Lutz is a graduate student pursuing his MFA in Visual Arts. His primary mediums are painting and drawing. Jason received his BA in Painting from California State University, San Bernardino.

- GRADUATE FELLOW JOHN SISLEY**Project Title:****The Sweeney Film Series****Project Description:**

This film series was a showcase of art and experimental films that are not easily found elsewhere. John led a pre-screening discussion about the films and a post-screening question-and-answer session to allow the audience to engage with the films and leave with a better understanding of film and film as art. The screenings were free and open to the public.

Site/# of Presentations:

Arts Screening Room - 17

Site/Audience Reached:

Arts Screening Room - 340

Total # of Presentations:

17

Total Audience Reached:

340

Fellow's Bio:

John Sisley is a graduate student pursuing his MFA in Visual Arts. He received his BA in English Literature and Art Photography/Art History from UCLA.