

SOUTHERN DOCUMENTARY fund



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INFORMATION ON THE SOUTHERN DOCUMENTARY FUND

Short Description of the Southern Documentary Fund

In 2002, a collective of North Carolina-based media artists and their supporters came together to create The Southern Documentary Fund (SDF). The primary goal of the SDF is to serve as a fiscal sponsor for independent documentary media projects produced within or about the American South.

In addition to fiscal sponsorship, one of the organization's long-term objectives is to provide documentary artists with access to resources that will assist them in the production of their media projects. The SDF is committed to helping independent documentary artists produce work in sound, writing, film, video, photography, and interactive media. Working with SDF members, the organization seeks to connect regional resources in order to increase visibility and expand audiences for documentary projects.

Inclusiveness is a founding principle of SDF. Deliberate steps in this direction include the recruitment of a diverse leadership, the transparency and accessibility of the project selection process, and current projects that reflect the diversity of the American South. SDF is committed to a collaborative approach to documentary work and to documenting the lives and stories of under-represented groups.

The Southern Documentary Fund Federal Tax ID #: 75-2993148

SDF Annual Budget 2003:	Revenue \$ 247,235	Expenditures \$237,277
SDF Annual Budget 2004:	Revenue \$ 294,935	Expenditures \$285,367
SDF Annual Budget 2005:	Revenue \$ 304,147	Expenditures \$295,419
SDF Annual Budget 2006:	Revenue \$ 293,708	Expenditures \$281,727
SDF Annual Budget 2007:	Revenue \$ 349,751	Expenditures \$347,860
SDF Annual Budget 2008:	Revenue \$ 277,080	Expenditures \$276,891
SDF Estimated Budget 2009:	Revenue \$ 184,100	Expenditures \$174,895

SDF Board of Directors:

Tom Whiteside- President

Filmmaker; Community Organizer; AV Tech at Duke University

Diana Newton

Leadership and Management Consultant
Falling Apples Consulting

Jim Haverkamp- Secretary

Filmmaker; Educator

Greg Garneau- Treasurer

Retired Executive Director of the National Press Photographers Association

Beverly Meek

Assistant Director for Marketing and Audience Development for Duke Performances

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Managing Partner of the Turner Leak Agency

Scott Misner

Public relations instructor UNC Journalism School

Laurie Bley

Duke Journalism

Board Member Gender/Racial Information

Total: 8 Members

3 Female, 5 Male

6 Caucasian, 2 African American

Staff

Total: 1 part-time

SDF Advisory Council:

Steve Channing, SDF Creative Advisor & Co-Founder

President Video Dialog Inc; Filmmaker; Educator
Durham, NC

Cynthia Hill, SDF Creative Advisor & Co-Founder

Filmmaker
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