2010

The GLBT Historical Society in 2010

THE ARCHIVES PROGRAM

• Kept safe one of the largest GLBT archives in the world
• Assisted over 150 researchers
• Accessioned over 100 linear feet of new materials
• Digitized over 1,500 items—including hundreds of hours of audio, moving images, and still images
• Received National Historical Publications and Records Commission two-year grant for $131,000 to process 50 percent of the institution’s unprocessed collections

EXHIBITS

We hosted two major exhibits at our downtown galleries:

• Passionate Struggle Re-launch opened in January with new materials from our archives
• Man-i-Fest: FTM Mentorship in San Francisco opened in March

Before closing in September, both exhibits were visited by a few thousand people, including several student and community group docent-led tours.
**Public Programming**

We organized numerous unique public programming events including:

- Passion Plays-Queers of Color and Performance
- Dan Nicoletta’s Public Works Gallery Talk
- State of Local Gay Media Forum
- Queer Fattitude panel discussion
- Ericka Huggins in Conversation with Ronald K. Porter at the Museum of the African Diaspora
- Bettina Aptheker in Conversation with Ianna Owen at La Pena Cultural Center

**Awards**

The GLBT Historical Society was honored this year by the following institutions for our work:

- San Francisco Bay Guardian Reader’s Choice: Best Local Nonprofit
- Alice B. Toklas GLBT Democratic Club: Community Service Award
- Golden Gate Business Association Award

**Silver Anniversary Gala**

Over 300 people attended our extraordinary Silver Anniversary Gala, including our honored guests. A good time was had by all and we raised tens of thousands of dollars for the Historical Society.