



## November 2018 Greetings from the OHC!

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California governors Pat Brown and Jerry Brown in 1992. Photo courtesy of the Associated Press.

### Director's Column, November 2018

The OHC recently announced that we'll be collaborating with KQED to record a 30-hour interview with Governor Jerry Brown. Martin Meeker discusses this exciting new project, for which we are currently fundraising. Brown's interview will be archived alongside the interview we have with his father, former California Governor Pat Brown.

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### EVENT ALERT!

Join Us on November 13 from 6-8pm at the Ruby for an Evening with San Francisco Supervisor Jane Kim & Close the Gap founder Mary Hughes!

Interested in politics? Fired up this election season? Join us as we talk with Kim and Hughes about the history of politically active women in the Bay Area! OHC Interviewer Amanda Tewes will be discussing the

challenges, successes, and history of women involved in local politics at every level with these two political leaders.

As we launch a project to record the life experiences of women from the Bay Area political scene, **this is your chance to give us input** about the questions you think we should ask and the subjects you'd like us to explore in these interviews! **Read more about the project on our blog. Get your tickets now!**



Applications are now open for our **Introductory Workshop and Advanced Oral History Summer Institute!**

Looking for a primer on oral history? **Apply now for our Introductory Workshop**, which will be held on Saturday, March 2, 2019.

Want to dig deeper into the method and practice of oral history? **Apply for our Advanced Oral History Summer Institute**, which will be held from August 5-9, 2019.

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### Advanced Oral History Summer Institute Alumni Spotlight: Kelly Navies of the Smithsonian

We recently caught up with **Kelly Navies**, who joined us in 2013 for our Summer Institute. She is now the Museum Specialist in Oral History at the Smithsonian National Museum of African American History and Culture, where she coordinates their Oral History program. We talked to her about how she came to oral history, what she learned at the Institute, and her current work with the Smithsonian.



### New Oral History Releases!

Check out the interviews that have been recently added to our collection:

- **Paul Gray**: A Career in Electrical Engineering, UC Berkeley Administration, and Private Sector Leadership ([read the blog post by interviewer Paul Burnett](#))
- **Joey Terrill**: At the Forefront of Queer Chicano Art ([read the blog post by interviewer Todd Holmes](#))
- **Joanne Corday Kozberg**: The Getty Trust from a Trustee's Perspective
- **Bill Siart**: A Life of Service in Art and Education: Bill Siart and the Board of Getty Trustees ([read the blog post by interviewer Amanda Tewes](#))
- **Marshall Krause**: ACLU of Northern California, Attorney and Civil Liberties Advocate ([read the blog post by director Martin Meeker](#))
- **Phil Freese**: Innovator and Leader in the Practice of Winegrowing ([read the blog post by director Martin Meeker](#))

Congratulations to our mining project narrator and advisor **Doug Fuerstenau** on winning the "Distinguished Service Award" from the International Mineral Processing Congress!



## WHAT WE'RE READING

*Re:Imagining Change* by Patrick Reinsborough & Doyle Canning

*Talking to Myself* by Studs Terkel

*Southern Grains* oral history interviews from the Southern Foodways Alliance

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