

# 2009



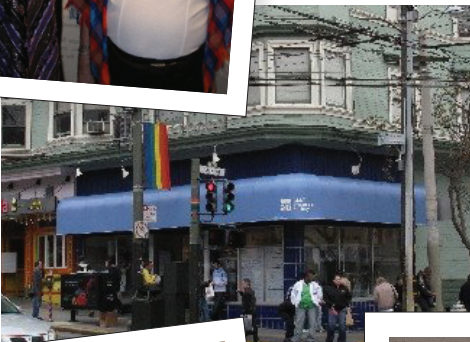
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## GLBT Historical Society Program Review

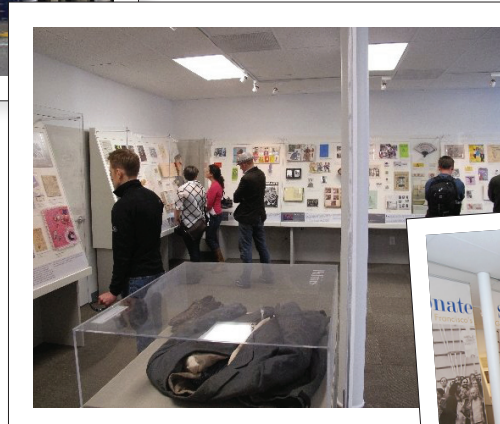
### THE ARCHIVES PROGRAM

- Assisted over 150 researchers, some working for weeks at time, in our offices.
- Accessioned over 130 linear feet of new materials.
- Processed over 30 linear feet of existing archival materials, including major work on ephemera collections.
- Kept safe one of the largest collections of GLBT historic materials in the world.



### PASSIONATE STRUGGLE

Between November 08 thru October 2009, Passionate Struggle, our temporary exhibit on Castro Street, attracted 25,000 visitors and hosted many special events. For most of the year, it was open seven days a week.





## EXHIBITS

Four exhibits rotated through our downtown galleries, attracting thousands of visitors:

- Polk Street: Lives in Transition
- Fabric of our Lives
- Lineage: Matchmaking in the Archives
- Keepin' On: Images of African American Lesbians



## LECTURES, DISCUSSIONS, & EVENTS

Throughout the year we hosted dozens of panel discussions, author talks, private tours, and other events at our downtown galleries, Castro exhibit, and other locations.

## GALA

This year we held UnMasked, our annual gala, as a costume event just before Halloween. It raised over \$45,000, and we and our guests had a wonderful time.



**A staff of 3 and over 100 volunteers organized these activities. We surveyed our patrons, and 85% of them rate our 2009 activities as well done or extremely well done.**