Call for Applications: Graduate Student Summer School in Disability Studies

Theme:
Arts Inclusion: Disability, Design, Curation

Location and Dates:
University of California Humanities Research Institute (UCHRI) at UC Irvine
June 12-20, 2012

Program Details:
A one-week residency for 6 artists and 10-12 graduate students. Graduate students from Davis are invited to apply. There is funding for two. Leading scholars in disability studies will offer daily workshops on disability and access in the arts. Other events include film screenings, performances, and open studios with artists-in-residence. The summer school will culminate in a final day of informal public presentations, with participants sharing their questions and findings.

Travel, accommodations (shared hotel rooms), and most meals will be provided for graduate student attendees.

Participating scholars include Patrick Anderson, Georgina Kleege, Catherine Kudlick, Heather Love, Mara Mills, Susan Schweik, and others still to be announced. (We are hoping that Graham Pullin will be joining us.)

Participating artists include Terry Galloway, Jürg Koch, Sarah Hendrin, Victoria Ann Lewis, Catherine Lord, Darrin Martin, Victoria Marks, Alison O’Daniel, and others still to be announced.

Application Details:
Davis graduate students should submit the following via e-mail to Darrin Martin, <dtmartin@ucdavis.edu>, by February 15, 2012:

- a 1-page c.v.
- a 1-2 page written statement regarding your interest/experience in disability, access, and the arts

Awards will be announced by the end of March.
Marc Quinn’s sculpture Alison Lapper Pregnant in Trafalgar Square, London.