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UCLA Chicano Studies Research Center Event Announcement

The CSRC is pleased to welcome media artist

Willie Varela

in celebration of the DVD release

Video Art by Willie Varela



Thursday, February 20, 2014 4:30 – 6:00 p.m. CSRC Library – 144 Haines Hall

Saturday, February 22, 2014 5:00 – 6:30 p.m. Vincent Price Art Museum - Bldg. S1 East Los Angeles College

1301 Avenida Cesar Chavez, Monterey Park, 91754

Both events are free; no RSVP required

This is a rare opportunity to meet El Paso–based Willie Varela, who was a pioneer in American avant-garde film. The DVD is the first compilation of works by the Chicano filmmaker, and includes over six hours of material, from silent shorts created in the 1970s to an autobiographical feature-length film completed in 1989. Varela's films have been screened at venues around the country, including the Museum of Modern Art, the Guggenheim Museum, and the Whitney Museum of American Art.

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