The Magic Lantern: Illuminating a Bygone Era

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The C.E. Smith Museum of Anthropology

Exhibition Location:

CSU East Bay - Hayward Campus Meiklejohn Hall - Fourth Floor - Room 4047

Opening Reception:

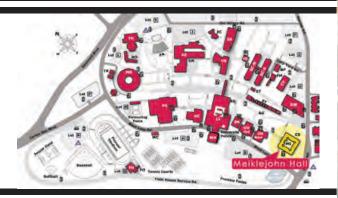
Friday - March 9, 2012 - 4-7 p.m.

Exhibition Dates and Times:

March 12 through June 15, 2012 Monday through Friday 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Closed: March 26 though 30, May 28

Free Admission

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Once upon a time there was a world without moving pictures or even color photographs, where the oil-fired Magic Lantern revealed images of far-off lands and famous tales. Let us take you back to the era of lantern shows to experience the charm of the hand-colored glass slides.

The exhibition, designed by students, includes interactive displays, antique Magic Lanterns, and glass slides from the turn of the 20th century. Collections featured are on loan from our Library's Special Collection, and private collections including the Island City Masonic Lodge. Topics include Victorian fashion, fairy tales, phantasmagoria, and historic events such as the 1893 Chicago Worlds Fair and 1906 San Francisco Earthquake.

Step back in time to an age when steam-power replaced horse-power and treat yourself to a show in our traveling lanternist's tent!



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