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Coming up in 2010!

- Journalism Innovations III, Apr. 30-May 1
- The ArtShare RETURNS!
- *News You Might Have Missed* goes daily
- New workshops and community forums
- New Web sites for Indy Arts & Newsdesk
- New services for sponsored affiliates

Ten Years of Dialogue, Inquiry, Culture and Community

With a decade's work behind us, 2009 was a glimpse of what lies ahead for Indy Arts as a fiscal sponsor, and as a resource for independent voices.

—2009 Milestones—

Journalism Innovations II • *May 1, University of San Francisco* • Co-produced with the Society of Professional Journalists, USF and the Public Media Collaborative • 300-plus attendees • Three panel tracks, two workshop tracks, more than 20 exhibitors

Group Therapy For Artists • *Thursday nights, May-June 2009, 1254 Mission Community Space* • "Adventures in Fun*Raising" (5/7), "Kick-Ass Events" (5/14), "Sexy Finances" (5/21), "Takin' Care of Business" (6/4), "Artist's Resume" (6/11), "Online Promotion" (6/18)

10th Annual Expo for Independent Arts • *Sept. 26, Golden Gate Park Music Concourse* • 2,500 attendees • 18 event sponsors • 100+ arts exhibitors: services, venues, collectives, etc. • Live music, performance and the large-scale "Four Corners Mural Project"

1st Symposium for Independent Arts • *Sept. 25, Brower Center, Berkeley* • Keynote: Arlene Goldbard ("New Creative Community") • Live elevator pitches • Eleven workshops and panels: "State of the Arts," "the Artist as Citizen," "Social Media Basics"

D.I.Y. Survival Series • *Fall 2009, Mission Comics & Art* • "Best of the Fests: Festival Directors Tell All" (Oct. 27), "Action Accelerator for Artists" (Nov. 10), "Small Project Survival" (Nov. 17), "Year-End Fundraising" (Dec. 1), "Holiday ArtShare w/ Shareable.net" (Dec. 8)

Newsdesk.org News You Might Have Missed
Grantee, Ethics & Excellence in Journalism Foundation • 2009 Ashoka Changemakers Finalist • Presentation at Online News Assn. national meeting • NYMHM hires veteran News Editor George Shirk

