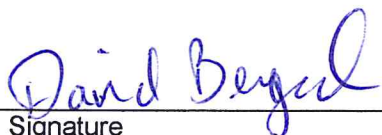


**APPLICANT INFORMATION**

Name of Organization or Individual: Berkeley FILM Foundation		501(c)(3) Certification: (attach) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO	
Location Address / Business Address 2600 10th Street, Suite 408		City: Berkeley	State: CA Zip Code: 94710
Program or Project: Documentary film grant program	Phone No.: (510) 705-1481	Website: www.berkeleyfilmfoundation.org	
Contact Name: David Bergad			
Street Address: (if different from above)		City:	State: Zip Code:
Phone No.:		Email: david@berkeleyfilmfoundation.org	

**FUNDING REQUEST INFORMATION**

Amount Requested: \$ 10,000.00	No. of Residents Served: TBD	Other Sources of Review/Matching Funds: BFF up to \$5,000
<p><b>Reason for Request:</b> (Please explain in detail your request for funding. Why is this project needed? How will funds/project improve the quality of life for Emeryville residents?)</p> <p>BFF has been in existence for seven years and during that time we have awarded over \$1 million to local filmmakers, including several who live in Emeryville. In addition, our grants have supported craft people who live and work in Emeryville such as sound designers, editors, etc. We are asking the Emeryville City Council to consider making a grant of \$10,000 to the Berkeley Film Foundation to fund an Emeryville filmmaker(s) in 2017. This Emeryville-designated grant will be advertised and promoted during the time that the application process is underway and the recipient of such a grant will know that it was funded by the Emeryville City Council.</p> <p>Recent grant winners from Emeryville:  Rick Tejada-Flores, 'My Bolivia, Remembering What I Never Knew'  Ryan Lee- (Student Grant winner), 'Home'  Joel Pincosy- Goatherder  BFF awarded a grant to Kyung Lee for her acclaimed documentary-'Telos'- about Emeryville architect, Eugene Tssui.  Funding is challenging for independent filmmakers and BFF is trying to fill that gap in the Eastshore filmmaking community. Your grant is crucial for us to continue funding filmmakers from Emeryville and inviting them to share their poignant films with audiences worldwide.</p>		
<p>Supporting Documents: (Please indicate supporting documents and attach with the completed application)</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Detailed Budget      <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Brochures      <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify):  <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Flyers      <input type="checkbox"/> Samples</p>		



Signature

David Bergad

Print Name

01/23/16

Date

RETURN FORMS TO:  
**COMMUNITY SERVICES DIRECTOR**  
**4727 San Pablo Avenue. Emeryville, CA 94608**

Processing of your request may take 45-60 days. A representative will be requested to appear and discuss the requests on behalf of the individual or organization. Incomplete applications may delay the process.



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City of Emeryville  
4727 San Pablo Avenue  
Emeryville, CA 94608

January 23, 2017

Dear Mr. Jimenez,

Enclosed is the Berkeley FILM Foundations (BFF) application for an Emeryville Community Grant.

BFF is requesting \$10,000. This year, BFF is anticipating that its grants will range between \$12,000 and \$15,000. If Emeryville requires that BFF match any grant it gives, we would request a grant of \$7,500 that BFF would match for a filmmaker and the remaining \$2,500 would be matched and used to fund a student residing in Emeryville.

The application packet includes:

- Community Grant Application
- BFF 501c3 letter
- 2016 approved budget
- PR packet

Please let me know if you or anyone on the committee has any questions.

Best regards,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "David Bergad". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "David" and last name "Bergad" clearly visible.

David Bergad | Program Director

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STATE OF CALIFORNIA  
FRANCHISE TAX BOARD  
PO BOX 1286  
RANCHO CORDOVA CA 95741-1286

In reply refer to  
755:AFF:ARJ

June 2, 2009

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BERKELEY FILM FOUNDATION  
2015 CENTER ST  
BERKELEY CA 94704-1204

Purpose : CHARITABLE  
Code Section : 2370ld  
Form of Organization : Corporation  
Accounting Period Ending: December 31  
Organization Number : 3107915

#### EXEMPT ACKNOWLEDGEMENT LETTER

This letter acknowledges that the Franchise Tax Board (FTB) has received your federal determination letter that shows exemption under Internal Revenue Code (IRC) Section 501(c)(3). Under California law, Revenue and Taxation Code (R&TC) Section 2370ld(c)(1) provides that an organization is exempt from taxes imposed under Part 11 upon submission of the federal determination letter approving the organization's tax-exempt status pursuant to Section 501(c)(3) of the IRC.

The effective date of your organization's California tax-exempt status is 03/09/2009.

R&TC Section 2370ld(c)(1) further provides that the effective date of an organization's California tax-exempt status is the same date as the federal tax-exempt status under IRC Section 501(c)(3).

Under R&TC Section 2370ld(c), any change to your organization's operation, character, or purpose that has occurred since the federal exemption was originally granted must be reported immediately to this office.

June 2, 2009  
BERKELEY FILM FOUNDATION  
ENTITY ID : 3107915  
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Additionally, organizations are required to be organized and operating for nonprofit purposes to retain California tax-exempt status.

For filing requirements, see FTB Pub. 1068, Exempt Organizations - Requirements for Filing Returns and Paying Filing Fees. Go to our website at [ftb.ca.gov](http://ftb.ca.gov) and search for 1068.

Note: This exemption is for state franchise or income tax purposes only. For information regarding sales tax exemption, contact the State Board of Equalization at 800.400.7115, or go to their website at [boe.ca.gov](http://boe.ca.gov).

A JENKINS  
EXEMPT ORGANIZATIONS  
BUSINESS ENTITIES SECTION  
TELEPHONE (916) 845-4605  
FAX NUMBER (916) 845-9029

RTF:  
CC : THOMAS H. BURCHAM

<b>Bereley FILM Foundation 2016 BUDGET 2/26/16</b>		
<b>INCOME</b>		
Restricted Income-Rent	8,683.00	
Restricted Income-BFF Funders	120,000.00	
Restricted Income-Program Director	48,000.00	
LeFetra Foundation Grant	30,000.00	
East Bay Community Foundation	15,000.00	
Fleishaker Foundation Grant	9,000.00	
Screenings	650.00	
<b>TOTAL INCOME</b>	<b>231,333.00</b>	
<b>EXPENSES</b>		
Public Relations/Community Outreach	500.00	
Travel & Mileage	600.00	
<b>TOTAL DEVELOPMENT</b>	<b>1,100.00</b>	
<b>EVENTS</b>		
Screenings	600.00	
<b>TOTAL EVENTS</b>	<b>600.00</b>	
<b>GRANT AWARD PAYMENTS &amp; FEES</b>		
Grant Review Misc.	200.00	
Grant Review Panel Honoraria	1,500.00	
Workshops & Consultations - Fleishacker	18,000.00	
La Fetra Foundation Grant - Oakland	12,000.00	
East Bay Community Foundation Grant-Oakland	12,000.00	
Grant Award Payments	123,000.00	
<b>TOTAL GRANT AWARD PAYMENTS &amp; FEES</b>	<b>166,700.00</b>	
<b>ADMINISTRATIVE</b>		
Bank Fees	200.00	
Printing & Publications	2,000.00	
Web Site	2,000.00	
Social Media	5,000.00	
Graphic Designer	1,500.00	
IT Support	500.00	



Bookkeeper/Prof. Services	5,000.00	
Donor Perfect Database	395.00	
Communication Software	600.00	
Dues & Subscriptions	100.00	
Postage & Shipping	300.00	
Board Meeting Lunches	600.00	
LeFetra Foundation - Administration	15,000.00	
LaFetra Foundation - Outreach	3,000.00	
East Bay Community Foundation - Outreach	3,000.00	
Office Supplies	1,500.00	
Program Director	48,000.00	
<b>TOTAL ADMINISTRATIVE</b>	<b>88,695.00</b>	
<b>OCCUPANCY EXPENSE</b>		
Insurance	600.00	
Payroll & Professional Fees	700.00	
Telephone & DSL	1,500.00	
Rent	8,683.00	
<b>TOTAL OCCUPANCY EXPENSE</b>	<b>11,483.00</b>	
<b>TOTAL EXPENSE</b>	<b>268,578.00</b>	
<b>NET INCOME</b>	<b>-37,245.00</b>	