

Sexual Representation Collection
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Carlyle Jansen Collection
Feminist Porn Awards & Toronto's Women & Trans Bathhouse
Collection Description and Finding Aid

Accession numbers:

Feminist Porn Awards - digital textual materials:

2013.002.001.001-2013.002.001.160

Feminist Porn Awards - digital photos:

2013.002.002.001-2013.002.002.969

Women & Trans Bathhouse - digital materials:

2013.002.003.001-2013.002.003.080

Feminist Porn Awards - physical materials:

2013.002.004.001-2013.002.004.072

Feminist Porn Awards - audiovisual materials:

2013.002.005.001-2013.002.005.021

Women & Trans Bathhouse - physical materials:

2013.002.006.001-2013.002.006.032

Feminist Porn Awards - trophies:

2013.002.007.001-2013.002.007.005

System of Arrangement & Housing:

This collection was arranged into seven series based on event and type of materials, as demonstrated by the above accession numbers. The two events are: the Feminist Porn Awards (FPAs) and the Toronto Women & Trans Bathhouse. The types of materials include digital textual materials, digital photos, physical materials, and audiovisual materials.

Oversize posters are in oversize storage, and the trophies are stored in the oversize ephemera box. All other documents are stored in one Neutracor box.

Extent:

240 digital files

969 digital photos

109 physical items

21 audiovisual items (includes DVD-R and mini DV cassettes)

Format:

- Feminist Porn Awards: contains materials from first event in 2006 until and including materials from the 2013 events and the 2014 sponsorship package; materials mainly reflect advertisement/announcement materials and visual documentation from the awards ceremony.
- Toronto Women & Trans Bathhouse: contains few materials from its inception in 1998 and the 2000 Raid, but with the majority of the materials reflecting events

from 2004-2013; materials mainly reflect advertising, event rules/regulations, and news articles, as well as meeting minutes from 1998-2001.

Biographical History:

This collection was donated by Carlyle Jansen, the founder and owner of *Good for Her*, a sex-positive sex toy store near Harbord and Bathurst in Toronto since 1997. Prior to opening the store, Carlyle initially became interested in sexuality, especially female sex education, due to personal experience. Upon making personal discoveries about how to orgasm, she first gave a workshop to her sister, a Unite Church Minister, and her friends in 1995. After doing workshops for a while at the YMCA, Carlyle noticed that many women desired a comfortable, safe space in which to explore such intimate topics, as well as the growing demand for these types of sex-positive workshops. Thus, *Good for Her* was established. Originally, it opened in 1997 at 181 Harbord St., just three doors down from its current (2014) location at 175 Harbord St. The original store contained only a dozen styles of vibrators, five adult DVD titles, a handful of books, and a staff of one, Carlyle. It was open only 5 days a week. In 1999, after a positive review in *Chatelaine Magazine*, the store became much busier and, therefore, moved to its larger, current location. Since then, *Good For Her* has expanded to include the widest variety of sexuality workshops in Canada, a much larger staff base, and a comprehensive website shop.

In 2001, Chanelle Gallant, *Chatelaine's* sex expert of over three years, joined *Good For Her* as its first manager. Gallant, in 2006, started the Feminist Porn Awards in collaboration with and support of *Good for Her*. Upon Gallant's departure, Jansen continued to support the event whilst the subsequent managers of the shop spearheaded its organization, becoming the *Good for Her* Feminist Porn Awards in 2008. Alison Lee took over as the manager of *Good for Her* and the Director of the Feminist Porn Awards in 2008 til 2011, developing the awards into a much larger, international scale along with procuring extensive sponsorships. In 2012, Carla Henderson co-directed the awards along with Lorraine Hewitt, a longtime employee of *Good for Her* and burlesque performer under the pseudonym CoCo La Crème. Hewitt then co-directed the awards with JP Robichaud in 2013. *Good for Her* maintained as the core organizing body for the FPAs throughout, which also formed a committee, which executes the event's organization and the jury panel.

Jansen not only runs a successful sex toy store and the Feminist Porn Awards and affiliated events, but is also involved in the Toronto Women's Bathhouse Committee (TWBC) since its inception in 1998, as per the original proposal done in collaboration with the AIDS Committee of Toronto. *Good for Her* was a sponsor for most of the events, and Jansen is still an active committee member – now called the Toronto Women's and Trans Bathhouse Committee.

Carlyle Jansen is extensively connected to the sex-positive and queer community within Toronto and at large. Her partner, Helen Kennedy, runs Égale Canada. *Good for Her* has also sponsored subsidiary events in affiliation with the Feminist Porn Awards, such as the

Feminist Porn Conference with Tristan Taormino, and workshops/events with Madison Young and Buck Angel.

All people mentioned above are frequently represented within the digital photo files.

Custodial History:

These items were strictly property of Carlyle Jansen and *Good for Her*. They do not reflect these events in the entirety or various perspectives/collection practices. In light of the anonymity required of the Bathhouse Committee, the minutes and other related documents, which were deemed sensitive, were approved by the available former and current committee members, resulting in the respective restrictions policy. The Feminist Porn Awards trophies were donated to the collection based on direct consent by the winners of said trophies.

Scope & Content:

This collection addresses two major Toronto, ON events that are catered to sex-positive, feminist, and queer women/trans* communities, and are, significantly, affiliated with a prevalent sex toy store in Toronto. The materials (digital and physical) range from poster/advertising, call for sponsors/submissions, guidance/rules, event program booklets, committee minutes, news articles, and photos/audiovisuals.

In relation to the Feminist Porn Awards, the majority of the materials represent the public side of the event – its events, promotion, major attendees, etc. They provide a glimpse into the who/what/where of the events, and how this changed over time. The events' association with feminist porn is discussed explicitly, as well as the diversity therein, as reflected in the award attendees/winners. Yet, there are limited items demonstrating its organization and production.

In relation to the Toronto Women and Trans Bathhouse, the materials reflect both the public advertisement and legal issues faced, but also the private committee meeting minutes and the volunteers' rules. Therefore, the materials provide a strong textual glimpse into the event and its organization, with documentation being more thorough from the mid 2000s onwards. This event also demonstrates some important changes over time, especially in relation to sexual and gender diversity politics and legal implications.

Subject Access Points:

- Toronto, ON
- Pornography:
 - o Feminist
 - o Awards
 - o Celebrity
 - o Queer/Trans*/POC/Ableism
 - o Canadian

- Academic Discussion (Feminist Porn Conference)
- Sex-Positive
- Bathhouses
 - Women/Queer/Trans*
 - Toronto, Canada
 - Rules/Regulations
 - Legal Issues
- Community-led Events and Promotional Materials
- Sex Toy Stores

Restrictions:

This collection has some restricted access, which is dependent on approval from the Curator of the Sexual Representation Collection. The bulk of the collection is available freely for access, except patrons interested in accessing the Bathhouse meeting minutes need to consult with the curator for access.

Links to Other Collections:

The Carlyle Jansen Collection is the largest collection within the SRC that reflects feminist pornography. Two other collections, also donated to the SRC, are relevant and directly related to this collection though in various ways.

- Tristan Taormino Collection: Not only does this collection reflect that of a feminist pornographer and sex-positive educator, but Taormino has been directly involved in the Feminist Porn Awards for many years, attending and winning at the awards since its inception in 2006 as well as organizing the affiliated Feminist Porn Conference in 2013 onwards.
- Annie Sprinkle Collection: This collection can be investigated in relation to the Jansen Collection because it reflects materials donated by a prominent feminist sex educator and pornographer. Yet, Sprinkle has not been involved in the Feminist Porn Awards or Bathhouse.

Jansen Collection, Series 6: Bathhouse- Physical Files

Accession #	Item	Year	Descriptive Notes
2013.002.006.00 1	handbill	1998	for Pussy Palace: A Woman's Bath House Night on September 14th; contains basic event info
2013.002.006.00 2	poster	1998	Oversize Storage; for Pussy Palace: A Woman's Bath House Night on September 14th; contains basic event info/sponsors
2013.002.006.00 3	handbill	2008	advertising the TWBC's "Packing the Mansion: A Queer Women and Trans Bathhouse" on June 18th; contains basic event info/sponsors
2013.002.006.00 4	handbill	2008	advertising the TTWBC's "DD: 10 Years of Decadence & Debauchery" on September 25th; contains basic event info/sponsors
2013.002.006.00 5	handbill	2010	advertising TTWBC's "Get Fogged Up: A Queer Women and Trans Bathhouse" on June 22nd; contain basic event info/sponsors
2013.002.006.00 6	handbill	post- 2009 (gleaned from	"Being an Ally": defines ally, discusses what allies of the Pleasure Palace do, and the framework of the Toronto Women's Bathhouse
2013.002.006.00 7	poster	post- 2009 (gleaned from	"Being an Ally": defines ally, discusses what allies of the Pleasure Palace do, and the framework of the Toronto Women's Bathhouse; in addition to the handbill text, mentions ableism and accessibility
2013.002.006.00 8	backgrounder	2007	historical background of Good For Her

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2013.002.006.009	guidelines		Bathhouse etiquette: 4 guidelines for all committee members, volunteers, and attendees - anti-oppressive space, confidentiality, consent, respect
2013.002.006.010	bathhouse game ballots		"Ask ten different people that you do not already know the following questions" - icebreaker gam ballot forms (4/sheet)
2013.002.006.011	article	2000 (gleaned from article)	article clipping entitled "The New Spin: Cops might have been set up, says police officer - Pussy Palace" by Eleanor Brown; about the raid of Pussy Palace in 2000; contains discussion of conspiracy theories by cops, how 'pussies fight back', and charges laid in regard to liquor license
2013.002.006.012	article	2004	article clipping from (presumably) Xtra on December 23, 2004 by James Dubro entitled "Pussies take a bite out of the cops: Settlement includes money, more sensitivity training"; contains image of several Bathhouse committee members
2013.002.006.013	proposal	1998	Original proposal for the Women and Trans Bathhouse entitled "Proposal: Women's Night at the SPA"; outlines rationale, entertainment, space, promotion, cost, staffing, date/time, and sponsorship; contains notes on back that may be confidential
2013.002.006.014	meeting minutes	1998	"Women's Bathhouse Night Committee", including map 'from memory'
2013.002.006.015	meeting minutes	1998	"Women's Bath House Project"
2013.002.006.016	meeting minutes	1998	"April 6 Volunteer Committee Meeting"
2013.002.006.017	meeting minutes	2000	"Women's Bath House Committee Meeting, July 5 2000"

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2013.002.006.01 8	meeting agenda	2001	"Women's Bathhouse Committee, February 27, 2001"
2013.002.006.01 9	meeting agenda	2001	"Toronto Women's Bathhouse Committee Agenda April 4, 2001"
2013.002.006.02 0	meeting minutes	2001	2 copies; "Minutes from Committee Meeting April 4th, 2001"
2013.002.006.02 1	meeting agenda	2001	"Fundrasing Update - April 4 01"
2013.002.006.02 2	meeting agenda	2001	"Toronto Women's Bathhouse Committee Agenda April 15, 2001"
2013.002.006.02 3	meeting minutes	2001	"Bathhouse Committee Meeting Wednesday April 25, 2001"
2013.002.006.02 4	meeting minutes	2001	"Minutes for Meeting May 7, 2001"
2013.002.006.02 5	meeting minutes	2001	"Minutes of Women's Bathhouse Committee May 16, 2001 at ACT's Offices"
2013.002.006.02 6	meeting minutes	unknown	"Women's Bath House Project, Promotion & Perofrmance Committee - Meeting 1: March 18 at Good for Her"

Accession #	Item	Year	Descriptive Notes
2013.002.006.02 7	meeting minutes	unknown	same as above - "Women's Bath House Project, Promotion & Performance Committee - Meeting 1: March 18 at Good for Her" plus "italics indicate discussion at March 16 core committee meeting"
2013.002.006.02 8	meeting minutes	unknown	"Volunteer Committee Meeting Minutes March 25th"
2013.002.006.02 9	job description	unknown	"Job Description - Legal Issues Contact Person"
2013.002.006.03 0	training sheet	unknown	2 copies; "Sensitivity / Awareness Training by Transwomen & Transmen"
2013.002.006.03 1	filled out feedback form	unknown	"Thanks for participating in The Sugar Shack. How did we do?"
2013.002.006.03 2	filled out feedback form	unknown	"Thanks for participating in The Sugar Shack. How did we do?"

Name	Role	Year(s) Involv	email/phone	other notes/source	entered by
Carlyle Jansen	Owner of GFH/primary organizer?	1997-now?		discussions, etc.	Nick Matte
Lorraine Hewitt / Coco La Crème	Ran the panel at the 1st FPAs (may be same Lorraine working at Good for Her?); moderated 2006 & 2007 roundtable; facilitated 2008 Q&A & 2009; Good for Her's porn reviewer; performed at events as well; senior member on jury	2006-now		confirmed show know in PR 2009 FPAs; 2006 documents; 2007 Media Release; 2008 doublebill_bleed; 2009 handbill; 2009 jury letter (hard copy)	Nicole Ritchie
Candida Royalle	Featured Star in 2006;				Nicole Ritchie
Deb "Dirk" Pearce	Hosted 1st FPAs; ran Q&A portion; hosted 4th FPAs	2006; 2009		2009>handbill_awards	Nicole Ritchie
Chanelle Gallant	FPA event organizer 2006-2007; manager of Good for Her 2001-2007; Chatelaine sex expert for nearly 3 years; recognized as the founder of the FPAs	2001-2007		store evolution document (FPAs>2007); 2008 - Feminist Porn Awards Po	Nicole Ritchie
Trey Anthony	hosted 2nd FPAs & 3rd	2007		doublebill_bleed	Nicole Ritchie
Anna Span	important figure in the field; guest in 2007				Nicole Ritchie
Alison Lee	Manager of Good for Her starting in 2008; organized the 2008 FPAs event, & 2009; listed as Director of the FPAs in 2010/2011; senior member on jury	2008-2011		2008/2009; 2010>program layout; 2011>full sponsor package 2011 (2	Nicole Ritchie
Madison Young	Won for Hottest Kink Film in 2008 3rd FPAs; ran DIY porn workshop during 2009 4th FPA, and participated in the filmmaker Q&A	2008-		2008>Script for Loree & Jorge; 2009>11x17 poster/handbill_screening	Nicole Ritchie
Chase Joynt	Media Contact for the Emerging Filmmaker Award and assistant director of the FPAs in 2010	2010-		Emerging Filmmaker Award PR	Nicole Ritchie
Tristan Taormino					Nicole Ritchie
Carla Henderson	director of the FPAs in 2012 along with Lorraine Hewitt	2012		full sponsor package 2012; program	Nicole Ritchie

JP Robichaud	Co-Director of 8th FPAs along with Lorraine Hewitt	2013		2013 physical program	Nicole Ritchie
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Carlyle Jansen	Owner of GFH/primary organizer?	1997-now?	discussions, etc.	Nick Matte
Davina Cooper	Wrote about Bathhouse		Carlyle said she never actually attended one though	Nicole Ritchie
Yan Li	contact for the 2013 Pride event photoshoot	2013	BE IN OUR SEXY PRIDE POSTER	Nicole Ritchie
Toronto Women's Bookstore	sponsors many bathhouse events			Nicole Ritchie
Deb Pierce	MC at "Pussies Prevail" - celebration that the legal battles are over for the Pussy Palace	2005	flyer2005	Nicole Ritchie
DJ Cozmic Cat	DJ	2???-2013		

Event Date	Event Description	Location	Source of info	Notes	Entered by
01-Jun-06	1st Annual FPA	Gladstone Ballroom, Toronto	2006 documents	Not yet branded as the FPAs - was called "Vixens+Visionaries: Female Erotic Directors Revolutionizing Porn"; physical award called "2006 Emma Awards for Feminist Porn"; hosted a rountable and Q&A, as well as the awards and an after-party; Feature star was Candida Royalle; got National Post coverage; 300 guests from USA & Canada; 11 award winners; organized by Chanelle Gallant	Nicole Ritchie
01-Jun-07	2nd Annual FPA & 10th Anniversary of Good for Her	Gladstone Ballroom, Toronto	2007 documents	Now branded as the FPAs; trophy still called the Emma's after Emma Goldman; included performances, roundtable, screenings; all winners were American, except Anna Span; got Nat'l Post coverage; over 350 guests; involved pornographers from Canada, USA, and UK; 12 award winners; more explicitly oriented to representing not only women but also people of colour; hosted by Trey Anthony; organized by Chanelle Gallant	Nicole Ritchie

04-Apr-08	3rd Annual FPA ceremony	Gladstone Hotel, Toronto	Congratulations nominee letter; doublebill_bleed; Feminist Porn Awards Post-Event Release	First time that the FPAs events are split into two nights - first night is the Awards ceremony and performances; first explicit discussion of there being travel subsidies and accommodations available on a first-come first-serve basis; hosted by Trey Anthony again; now charging for tickets to two events - presumably increased revenue; organized by Alison Lee; over 300 guests; pornographers from Canada, Europe, and USA; 12 award winners; event sold out; still recognize Emma Goldman as the name-sake for the trophy, "the Emma"; called the "Good for Her Feminist Porn Awards"	Nicole Ritchie
05-Apr-08	3rd Annual FPAs "Feist Feminist Porn on the Big Screen" screening & Q&A	Revue Cinema, Toronto	Congratulations nominee letter; doublebill_bleed; Feminist Porn Awards Post-Event Release	2nd night - screening of clips from nominated and honoured films, and filmmaker Q&A facilitated by Coco La Crème; event dubbed "Feisty Feminist Porn on the Big Screen"; organized by Alison Lee; event sold out; event now explicitly acknowledged not only women and people of colour, but also marginalized communities within adult films	Nicole Ritchie

24-Apr-09	4th Annual FPAs ceremony	The Berkeley Church Heritage Event Venue, Toronto	11x17 poster; FPA ad - 5x2.5; handbill_ awards; Post FPA release 2009; PR 2009 FPAs; 2009 jury letter (hard copy)	Held at a different location for the first time in order to have a higher capacity; includes ASL interpretation now; has several ticket options including "super-deluxe vip" tickets that include both events, pre-party, priority seating, and valuable gift bag, and early-bird specials; now have an official buttplug logo; hosted by Deb "Dirk" Pearce; performances, raffle, and silent auction - proceeds will go to the Sexual Health, Education and Pleasure Project, which is aimed at giving youth and marginalized communities access to pleasure-based, rather than to abstinence-based sex education; stipulated 19+ only; 12 award winners and 5 honourable mentions; more than 400 guests; jury members receive \$150 gift certificate	Nicole Ritchie
25-Apr-09	4th Annual FPAs DIY Porn Workshop	Good for Her	11x17 poster; PR 2009 FPAs	a registered workshop run during the FPAs weekend with writer, director and performer Madison Young; covers financing and distribution to capturing your fantasies on film; extra cost to event tickets	Nicole Ritchie
25-Apr-09	4th Annual FPAs "Feisty Feminist Porn on the Big Screen"	Royal Theatre, Toronto	11x17 poster; FPA ad - 5x2.5; handbill_screening; Post FPA release 2009	2nd night screening event of nominated films plus a panel discussion/Q&A with 5 filmmakers facilitated by Coco La Crème; 18+only event; over 350 guests; selections from 5 FPA winning films and upcoming films were screened	Nicole Ritchie

06-Nov-09	ArtCore	Bread and Circus, Toronto	PR ArtCore November 6	Fundraising event for the 5th FPAs; featuring clips from new directors and new work from winning directors at the FPAs, the event investigates the differences and similarities of art and porn; includes performances and installations, raffles, and art surprises	Nicole Ritchie
08-Apr-10	Good for Her's "Public Provocative Porn: The Year's Best in Feminist Film" for the 5th Annual FPAs	Bloor Cinema, Toronto	Copy of screening-handbill; Nominees 2010 PR v2; Post Event Release April 10, 2010; full sponsor package 2011 (2)	Renamed screening event from the last two years; discussion facilitated by Coco La Crème again; involved a voting component by audience members for the first ever "Viewers' Choice Award; 427 guests; watched selections from 5 FPA nominated films	Nicole Ritchie

09-Apr-10	5th Annual FPAs ceremony	The Berkeley Church Heritage Event Venue, Toronto	awards-poster; Emerging Filmmaker Award PR; Nominees 2010 PR v2; Post Event Release April 10, 2010; PR Nomination Period; winners list; full sponsor package 2011 (2)	Good for Her partnered with Good Releasing for the first Emerging Filmmaker Award as part of the 5th Anniversary of the FPAs - it consists of a \$750 cash award to help emerging filmmakers of porn that challenges mainstream conventions complete their film or to explore distribution options; received record-breaking quantity of nominees of 47 films and 7 websites; submissions were from the UK, Spain, Netherlands, France, Sweden, Australia, New Zealand, USA, and Canada; brand new category of "Hottest Website", and first ever Viewer's Choice Award that is based on audience votes at the screening event on April 8th; includes raffle prizes and a silent auctions of sex toys, dvds, and art in support of the Sexual Health Education and Pleasure Project; hosted by Morgan Brayton, actor and comic from Vancouver; record-breaking 512 guests; qualifications for eligible films are now 1 out of 3 criteria, rather than 2/3 previously; 15 award winners and 4 honourable mentions	Nicole Ritchie
21-Jan-11	Delicious: A Celebration of People of Colour in Erotic Film	Bread and Circus, Toronto	Delicious web flyer; Delicious_poster	Fundraising event for the 6th FPAs presented by Good for Her; hosted by CoCo La Crème; featured screenings from 4 porn films and 2 performances;	Nicole Ritchie
08-Apr-11	Public.Provocative.Porn: Amateur Night	Bloor Cinema, Toronto	full sponsor package 2011 (2)	First Amateur Screening Night in affiliation with the FPAs	Nicole Ritchie

13-Apr-11	FPAs Launch Party	Gladstone Hotel, Toronto	2011 Feminist Porn Awards Nominees	First Launch Party for the FPAs; free admissions; FPAs took over the 'Granny Boots' event on Wednesdays at the Gladstone, an event providing entertainment for queers; event included screenings of pron by local and emerging filmmakers, drinks, and dancing	Nicole Ritchie
14-Apr-11	Public.Provocative.Porn: The Years' Best in Feminist Film	Bloor Cinema, Toronto	2011 Feminist Porn Awards Nominees; post-event release April 18 2011	4th FPAs screening event featuring clips from featured directors; included introduction by Tristan Taormino and a Q&A session moderated by Coco La Crème; over 300 guests	Nicole Ritchie
15-Apr-11	6th Annual FPAs ceremony	The Berkeley Church Heritage Event Venue, Toronto	2011 Feminist Porn Awards Nominees; full sponsor packager 2011 (2); handbills 4up (2); post-event release April 18 2011; program_paginated	special VIP party prior to general doors; 40 nominated films and 11 websites; have an "official rules" document for submissions, including licensing issues and related; "Platinum" sponsorship package sold prior to advertising sponsorship packages (\$6000); event included film clips, burlesque performances, and silent auction; 20 award winners, including 4 Honourable Mentions and 4 Honoured Websites; hosted by Jane Luk and Ryan G. Hinds; over 450 guests; by the end of this event, Good For Her will have handed out 90 trophies in 6 years; ~67 nominations	Nicole Ritchie
25-Jan-12	Luscious: Celebrating Trans & Genderqueer Pornography	The Gladstone Melody Bar, Toronto	luscious-poster	A Good for Her Feminist Porn Awards Fundraiser hosted by Emmet Outlaw, featuring screenings of scenes and live performances; a chance to win a date with Buck Angel at the 2012 FPAs	Nicole Ritchie

18-Apr-12	Public.Provocative.Porn: Amateur Night		full sponsor package 2012		
18-Apr-12	Sexing the Transman with Buck Angel	Muzzo Family Alumni Hall, Toronto	BuckAngelFlyer	Good for Her event co-sponsored by Sexual Diversity Studies and Cinema Studies at U of T; screening of Buck Angel's new documentary entitled "Sexing the Transman" followed by a talk by Buck Angel; focus is on re-defining gender and enjoying the fluidity of sexuality and individual expression of identity; \$15	Nicole Ritchie
19-Apr-12	Public.Provocative.Porn: The Years' Best in Feminist Film	Bloor Cinema, Toronto	full sponsor package 2012; handbills; full sponsorship package 2013	screening and Q&A facilitated by CoCo La Crème with directors; 373 attended	Nicole Ritchie
20-Apr-12	7th Annual FPAs Gala	The Berkeley Church Heritage Event Venue, Toronto	Call for submissions 2011; FPA 2012 Complete Submissions & Nominee Lists; full sponsor package 2012; handbills; trophy template; full sponsorship package 2013e	submissions must now meet only 1 of 2 criteria to be feminist porn, according to just one document; received 54 submissions, of which 41 got nominated; "Platinum" sponsorship package sold prior to advertising sponsorship packages (\$6000) again; \$20 early bird tickets (limited then \$25 advance & \$30 at the door; hosted by Elvira Kurt and Ryan G. Hinds; 12 award winners plus 4 honourable mentions and 4 honoured websites; 459 attended	Nicole Ritchie

21-Apr-12	Switch: Queer Porn Play Party, Feminist Porn Awards Edition	Oasis, Toronto	Switch-Fpa#@_2012 copy	An event in affiliation with the FPAs including a porn stars bondage performance and a live porn shoot; encouraged to watch, play, and party from 9pm -3am; \$30 advanced, \$35 door tickets; sponsored by Aslan Leather	Nicole Ritchie
04-Apr-13	Public.Provocative.Porn: The Years' Best in Feminist Film	The Bloor Hot Docs Cinema, Toronto	FPA 2013 Nominees Press Release	screening plus directors' Q&A moderated by CoCo La Crème	Nicole Ritchie
05-Apr-13	Fifty Shades of Porn	Holiday Inn Yorkville, Toronto	Media Advisory April 4, 2013	Q&A talk entitled "Fifty Shades of Porn, in which producers of the 8th Annual FPAs and the 1st Feminist Porn Conference discussed their passion for feminist porn, the significance of their work, and their involvement with the 2013 FPAs and 2013 Conference; featuring Tristan Taormino, Carlyle Jansen, Jz Lee and other performers/directors	Nicole Ritchie
05-Apr-13	8th Annual FPAs	Capitol Theatre, Toronto	Call for submissions - FPA 2013; FPA 2013 Nominees Press Release; FPA2-13handbills; post-event release April 8 2013; PR 2013 Feminist Porn Awards Nominees;Website Submissions Table	nicknamed "Fifty Shades of Porn"; 3 criteria of which 2 must be fulfilled in order to be eligible for the FPAs; hosted by Lex Vaughn with Ryan G. Hinds; 51 nominees plus 14 website nominations; special VIP Party prior to doors at 8pm; 23 award winners; more than 1000 combined attendance; 41 film nominations and 16 website nominations; 109 film submissions and 24 website submissions	Nicole Ritchie

				exploring the intersections between sex-positive feminism and pornography as well as the emergence of feminist porn as a genre, industry, and movement; included 40+ presenters plus 8 panelists, including Mireille MillerYoung and Tristan Taormino at the Keynote Luncheon; sponsored by the Mark S. Bonham Centre for Sexual Diversity Studies, Good for Her, The Feminist Porn Awards, and The Feminist Press;	
06-Apr-13	1st Annual Feminist Porn Conference	University of Toronto	Backgrounder for Feminist Porn Conference & Good for Her Feminist Porn Awards		Nicole Ritchie
03-Apr-14	2014 Screening				Nicole Ritchie
04-Apr-14	9th Annual FPAs				Nicole Ritchie
05-Apr-14	2nd Annual Feminist Porn Conference	University of Toronto			Nicole Ritchie
06-Apr-14	2nd Annual Feminist Porn Conference	University of Toronto			Nicole Ritchie

Event Date	Event Description	Location	Source of info	Notes	Entered by
24-Sep-98	Pussy Palace: A Woman's Bath House Night	Club Toronto, Toronto	2013.002.004.045-.046	First Bathhouse event; presented by The Women's Bath House Committee and the Aids Committee of Toronto; 19+, clothing optional, BYO toys, rooms/lockers available, transgendered women welcome, not wheelchair accessible, and latex/lube supplied; sponsors listed	Nicole Ritchie
14-Sep-00	Raid of Bathhouse	231 Mutual St	Notice of Proposed Settlement	September 14/15, 2000	Nicole Ritchie
18-Nov-04	Women and Trans Strip Night	Remington's, Toronto	strip night&call for volunteers	slogan of "Back by Popular Demand"; "Admission \$10 includes \$6 in 'tip money'; use tip money throughout the evening and buy more in \$2 denominations"; 19+; all women and trans people welcome	Nicole Ritchie

01-Dec-04	Deadline for applying to be on the Toronto Women's Bathhouse Committee (TWBC)	The Pussy Palace	strip night&call for volunteers	the TWBC "is a not-for-profit group that plans and produces women and trans bathhouse events in Toronto (the Pussy Pslae). Our consensus-based collection is open to all womena dn trans visionaries who are committed to the politics of enjoyment and queer pleasure. We are politically committed to social change through strategies of inclusion and critical diversity"; looking for new members; apply with resume or summar of related committee/queer/sex acitism experience and a cover letter; "we particulary welcome applications from marginalized communities (such as but not limited to epople of colour, sex orkers, trans folkds and people with disabilities) and encourage applicant to self-identify on their applications"	Nicole Ritchie
13-May-05	Settlement Approval Hearing	Court House, Toronto	Notice of Proposed Settlement; Notice of Settlement Approval	in regards to Bathhouse Raid on September 14/15, 2000; provides summary of events that caused action suit; police no admit to any wrongdoing or liability, yet judge ruled that \$350,000 shall be paid in full; this sum was allocated in 4 venues - donation to the Bill 7 Award (a fund theat financially supports LGBT student in postsecondary education in ON), to the Toronto Prostitutes' Community Service Projects under "Maggie's", to the lawyer(s) on the case, and to the lawfirm involved in the related complaints filed with the Ontario Human Rights Commission and related	Nicole Ritchie

16-Jun-05	Pussies Prevail: We Came, We Fought, We Con-queered!		flyer2005	presented by the Toronto Women's Bathhouse Committee in celebration of The Pussy Palace finally finishing court; includes massages, dry sauna, heated pool, jacuzzi, steamroom, dancing; \$20 tickets, w/ limited at door; not licensed; 18+; for women and trans people	Nicole Ritchie
29-Jun-05	Pussies Prevail	Barn Complex, Toronto but moved to Zipperz	flyer2005; PP Xtra 12u ad - new location	"The Pussy Palace is finally out of court! Come celebrate 5 years of human rights victories! We want to say thank YOU for your emotional, financial and activist support"; 19+; MC is Deb Pierce; licensed event	Nicole Ritchie
28-Sep-05	Community Consultation on Policing in Queer Communities	519 Community Centre Auditorium, Toronto	Communityflyer	Event held as part of the Pussy Palace settlement agreement and focuses on police training, their policies on search, arrest and detention of trans persons, and the use of the Liquor License Act; also notes contact for a survey	Nicole Ritchie
14-Oct-05	Pussy Palace "Lite"	Central Spa, Toronto	volunteers and lite sept 05	presented by the Toronto Women's Bathhouse Committee; all women and trans folk welcome; "all the flavour, non of the additives: create your own fun"; no advanced tickets; \$15 lockers, \$20 limited private rooms	Nicole Ritchie

17-Oct-05	Deadline for applying to be on the Toronto Women's Bathhouse Committee (TWBC)	The Pussy Palace	Dirty Girls and Trans Folk Needed; call for volunteers 05	2005 call to committee members to expand our consensus-based committee with passionate new women and trans visionaries who are committed to the politics and enjoyment of queer pleasure. We particularly welcome applications from marginalized communities (such as but not limited to people of colour, two-spirited folks, sex workers, trans folks and people with disabilities)"; sponsored by Xtra	Nicole Ritchie
24-Nov-05	Women and Trans Strip Night	Remington's, Toronto	strip_night_flyer_05	presented by the Toronto Women's Bathhouse Committee; hosted by MC D-lishus and DK TLC; \$10 admission includes \$6 'tip money', which you can use throughout the evening and buy more in \$2 denominations; all women and trans people welcome; 19+	Nicole Ritchie
22-Feb-06	Women and Trans of Colour: Strip Night	Remington's, Toronto	06_Feb.PP_e_flyer_3	presented by the Toronto Women's Bathhouse Committee; all performers of colour; \$10 admission which includes \$6 in 'tip money'; all women and trans people welcome; 19+	Nicole Ritchie
03-Mar-06	Women and Trans of Colour: Bathhouse	Central Spa Bathhouse	06_Feb.PP_e_flyer_3	presented by the Toronto Women's Bathhouse Committee; event nicknamed the Sugar Shack; admissions is \$15-20 sliding scale; women and trans event only; people of colour, two-spirited people and their guests; 18+	Nicole Ritchie

27-Apr-06	Kinky Kitty: It's Purrrvy	Central Spa, Toronto	Apr06_e_flyer	presented by The Toronto Women's Bathhouse Committee at The Pussy Palace; SM friendly for all women and trans folk; no advance tickets; limited lockers/spac; 18+	Nicole Ritchie
15-Jun-06	Pussies in Heat	Club Toronto, Toronto	pussies in heat	presented by the Toronto Women's Bathhouse Committee; erotic masseus, G-Spotters, Butt exploreres, Temple Priestess, and more; \$20 tickets; 18+; all women and transpeople welcome; not licensed	Nicole Ritchie
14-Aug-06	Passport to Safer Sex at the Women's Bathhouse	LGTB/Queer Netowrking Zone at the AIDS 2006 Conference	Aug_PP_print_flyer_NEW	a precursor to those interested in attending the Global Pussies bathhouse on August 16th	Nicole Ritchie
16-Aug-06	Global Pussies: a special welcome to AIDS 2006 participants	Club Toronto, Toronto	Aug_PP_print_flyer_hi_res	presented by the Toronto Women's Bathhouse Committee through The Pussy Palace; includes "lap dancers, G-spot room, butt play, photos, and other wordly delights"; part of the proceeds were donated to Voice of Positive Women; limited advance tickets; \$20 w/ sliding scale available; 18+	Nicole Ritchie

27-Apr-07	Deadline for both logo/web page template submissions and applications for new membership		xtra march 2007	Toronto Women's Bathhouse Committee advertising for "Old Pussy seeking new look \$500 Reward" - seeking graphic designer/artist, and "Purrrvy Grrrls and Trans Folk Needed: Be a part of the Pussy Palace"; contains details on how to apply and requirements / info about the TWBC, who meets the first Tuesday of every month; seeking applications from women and trans folk of colour and two-spirited	Nicole Ritchie
14-Jun-07	Pleasure Palace: More than Pussy	Club Toronto, Toronto	pleasure palace	presented by the Toronto Women's Bathhouse Committee; all women and trans people welcome; \$20 tickets with sliding scale; 18+; not licensed; event included lap dancers, g-spot room, butt play room, and more	Nicole Ritchie
28-Dec-07	A Festive Bathhouse Lite: A No-Frills Women & Trans Bathhouse Night	Central Spa, Toronto	Ad_Dec_28_bathhouse	presented by the Toronto Women and Trans Bathhouse Committee; "Calling all Sexy Grinches"; \$12 advance tickets, with limited sliding scale; limited lockers and space; 18+	Nicole Ritchie
18-Jun-08	Packin' the Mansion: A Queer Women and Trans Bathhouse	Club Toronto, Toronto	2013.002.004.048	presented by the Toronto Women's Bathhouse Committee; all cis and trans women and trans men welcome; \$20 tickets w/sliding scale available; 18+; unlicensed event; lap dancers, g-spot room, butt-play room, chocolate play and other delights;	Nicole Ritchie

21-Sep-08	10th Anniversary event: A Women and Trans Stripnight	Remington's, Toronto	10th ann Bathhouse & Stripnight admit one	10th Anniversary event; presented by the Creators of the Pussy Palace, Toronto Trans and Women's Bathhouse Committee; ticket price includes \$6 'tip money'; a women and trans only event - no cis men allowed; 19+	Nicole Ritchie
25-Sep-08	DD: 10 Years of Decadence and Debauchery	Club Toronto, Toronto	10th ann Bathhouse & Stripnight admit one	10th Anniversary Event; A Women and Trans Bathhouse presented by the Creators of the Pussy Palace, Toronto Trans and Women's Bathhouse Committee; tickets have a sliding scale available; no cis men allowed; 18+; the event is not licensed; ASL interpretation available for part of the evening	Nicole Ritchie
12-Jun-09	BAD like you've never seen it before: A Women and Trans Strip Night	Remington's, Toronto	june 09 admit one	presented by the Creators of the Pussy Palace, Toronto Trans and Women's Bathhouse committee; \$12 advance, \$15 door, includes \$6 "Tip money"; a queer women and trans event - no cis men; 19+	Nicole Ritchie
18-Jun-09	CUMming out since '69: A Queer Women and Trans Bathhouse	Club Toronto, Toronto	june 09 admit one	presented by the Creators of the Pussy Palace, Toronto Trans and Women's Bathhouse committee, as a celebration of 40 years since the decriminalization of homosexuality; \$20 tickets w/ sliding scale available; no cis men; 18+; not licensed	Nicole Ritchie

22-Jun-10	Get Fogged Up: A Queer Women and Trans Bathhouse	St. Mark's Spa, Toronto	4x6	presented by the Pleasure Palace, Toronto Trans and Women's Bathhouse Committee - change in name from Pussy Palace to Pleasure Palace; ticket pricing has a sliding scale available; no CIS men allowed; 18+; ASL interpretation for part of the event	Nicole Ritchie
24-Apr-11	A Queer Women and Trans Bathhouse	The Pleasure Palace at Oasis AquaLounge, Toronto	April 2011 tix	presented by the Toronto Women and Trans Bathhouse Committee; \$20 advance tickets, \$25 at door with limited sliding scale; limited lockers and space; 18+	Nicole Ritchie
14-Dec-11	A Queer Women and Trans Bathhouse	The Pleasure Palace at Oasis AquaLounge, Toronto	Dec 2011 eflyer	presented by the Toronto Women and Trans Bathhouse Committee; \$20 advance tickets, \$25 at door with limited sliding scale; 19+; no cis men	Nicole Ritchie
20-Jun-12	A Queer Women and Trans Bathhouse: Pride Edition	The Pleasure Palace at Oasis AquaLounge, Toronto	bathhouse 2012	2012 Pride bathhouse presented by the Toronto Women and Trans Bathhouse Committee; \$25 tickets, \$20 advanced, with limited sliding scale available; 19+; ASL interpretation for part of the night; no cis men; sponsored by Aslan Leather and Good for Her	Nicole Ritchie
30-Oct-12	A Queer Women and Trans Bathhouse: Sexy Dress Up Party	The Pleasure Palace at Oasis AquaLounge, Toronto	Hallowe'en 2012	Halloween bathhouse; \$25 tickets, \$20 advanced, limited sliding scale available; glitter/body paint will limit access to the pool/saunas/hot tub; 19+; ASL interpretation for part of the night; no cis men; sponsored by Aslan Leather and Good for Her	Nicole Ritchie

10-May-13	Photoshoot for the 2013 Bathhouse during Pride	The 519, Toronto	BE IN OUR SEXY PRIDE POSTER	Call for 10 individuals who identify as female, trans/women/men, and gender independent models of varieties to be on the 2013 pride event poster; presented by Pleasure Palace Toronto (Toronto's Women and Trans Bathhouse Committee); photos will be taken from the waist down, so volunteers will not be identifiable; are to wear what they would wear to a bathhouse	Nicole Ritchie
18-Jun-13	A Queer Women & Trans Bathhouse: Pride Edition	The Pleasure Palace at Oasis AquaLounge, Toronto	BE IN OUR SEXY PRIDE POSTER; Pride 2013	2013 Pride Bathhouse; \$20 advance, \$25 door tickets; no cis men; 19+; ASL interpretation for portion of the event	Nicole Ritchie