

DIGITAL FILM PACKAGE - Pilot Project

In an effort to encourage CSIF Production Members to begin experimenting with the CSIF's new digital filmmaking tools, the CSIF is offering its Production Members an opportunity to participate in a pilot project: **The Digital Film Package**. This project offers CSIF Production Members the opportunity to access CSIF facilities at a low cost and produce a digital film that will be completed to either 16mm or 35mm film.

The Process:

You will shoot your short, artist driven film using the CSIF's new *Panasonic AG-DVX100a* 24P mini DV camera. As well, you have access to any other CSIF production equipment that the Project requires.

You will then convert and edit your project at 24p, using one of the CSIF's *Final Cut Pro 4.5* Digital Non-linear editing suites.

Use *Adobe After Effects* to add effects and titles, as well as 'treat' the Project using the CSIF's newly acquired software *Magic Bullet Suite* to create a film look.

Then you will do a final sound edit and mix down on the CSIF's *Nuendo 2.0* Audio Suite.

The CSIF will send your Project to be transferred to film and will offset the cost of this transfer by paying up to \$1000. ie: approximately a five minute 16mm film.

What You Get:

- Access to CSIF Equipment Rental – Valued at approximately \$600
- 1 month Access to CSIF Digital Video Editing Suite - Valued at \$1800
- 1 month Access to CSIF Digital Audio Editing and Mixing Suite - Valued at \$1800
- \$1000 subsidy to transfer the Project back to film.

Digital Film Package \$1800

You as the Artist are responsible for all other material costs including video and audio tapes.

There is not a deadline to purchase this package, the only criteria are that you are a CSIF Production Member in good standing, and that your Project complies with the CSIF's Project Approval Policy.

Because this is a pilot project there will only be 5 Packages available to CSIF Production Members. Purchase is on a first come, first serve basis.

This is not a workshop – however technical support and administration will be provided by the CSIF staff.

Projects must be completed within 6 months of starting in order to be eligible for the \$1000 subsidy.

**CSIF Production Members may purchase the
Digital Film Package: \$1800**