

CFP: Children in Film, SWTXPCA/ACA, Albuquerque, NM, Feb 8-11, 2012

Proposals are now being accepted for the Children in Film Area of the 33rd annual SWTX PCA/ACA conference February 8-11, 2012, in Albuquerque, New Mexico. (www.swtxpca.org). We welcome proposals that explore and interrogate the representations of children in Hollywood film, independent film, foreign film, and/or children's film. Additional topics of interest concerning children in film or images of children in film may include, but are not limited to: coming-of-age; children of color; negotiations of racial/ethnic/cultural differences; negotiations by children of social, political, economic conditions; children's relationships with adults, parents, siblings, or peers as represented in film; gender and children; sexuality and children; children of the Diaspora as portrayed in film; children and technology; the child body; ideology and the child; children's education, and any other topic that explores the child image in film.

Panel suggestions are welcome!

The deadline for submissions is November 15, 2011.

Abstracts of 200-300 words should be submitted to <http://conference2012.swtxpca.org>, or debbieo@okstate.edu, or to the address below. Inquiries and panel suggestions are welcome via email. Deadline for submissions is November 15, 2011. Please include full contact information--including affiliation, and a brief, 50 word biography with your abstract submission.

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Registration for the 2011 Southwest Texas Annual Conference will begin on September 1, 2011. The 2012 SW/TX PCA/ACA Conference will be held in Albuquerque, NM, February 8 – 11, 2012 at the Hyatt Regency Hotel and Conference Center, ABQ, NM 87102.

Reservations can be made online or by calling 888-421-1442.

Further details regarding the conference (listing of all areas, hotel, registration, tours, etc.) can be found at www.swtxpca.org.