

1974 - 1994 CELEBRATING 20 YEARS OF FEMINIST FILMMAKING

The National Film Board of Canada's Studio D proudly celebrates its 20th birthday as the only publicly funded feminist film studio in the world.

Since its founding in 1974,

Studio D has dared to break new ground, challenge perspectives and foster feminist cinema. During its first 20 years, Studio D has produced over 120 films, including award-winning productions such as

Forbidden Love: The Unashamed Stories of Lesbian Lives, If You Love This Planet, Sisters in the Struggle, Not a Love Story, The Burning Times, and Toward Intimacy.

Exciting Studio D releases to watch for:

Hands of History

A profile of four aboriginal women artists whose work ranges from traditional to contemporary. Director:

Loretta Todd
Producer:
Margaret
Pettigrew

Motherland:

Tales of Wonder

Experiences of mothering from the 1950's to the present.

Director:
Helene
Klodawsky
Associate
director:
Sidonie Kerr
Producer: Signe
Johansson



Keepers of the Fire

How aboriginal women have been instrumental in resisting cultural assimilation.

Director: Christine Welsh
NFB producers:
Signe Johansson, Joe MacDonald
Independent producers:
Christine Welsh and Ian Herring of
Omni Film Productions Ltd.

