SIKHlens Sikh Arts & Film Festival November 18-21, 2021

№ DAY 1 : THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 18TH, 2021 • 7 PM — 9 PM PST (HOSTED BY PAVNEET MAC)

- Welcome Message by Daniele Struppa, President, **Chapman University**
- » Remarks by Essraa Nawar, Development Librarian, Leatherby Libraries, Chapman University
- Remarks by Kevin Ross, Dean, Leatherby Libraries, Chapman University
- » Keynote Speaker: Shivi Singh Legha: **Vanishing Traces**
- » Launch of Virtual Art Exhibit with Jag Reyatt
- Presentation of Annual Sikhlens Art Calendar
- Remarks by Dr. Gail Stearns, Fish Interfaith Center, **Chapman University**
- » Jahandad Khan Maharaja Ranjit Singh's Durbar: Five Folktales from The Walled City of Lahore
- Message from Anjum Dara
- Message from Dr. Robina Yasmin
- » Closing Remarks by Gurpreet Singh

NOVEMBER 19TH, 2021 • 7 PM - 10 PM PST (HOSTED BY SUMITA BATRA)

» Welcome Message by Dean Stephen Galloway

KEYNOTE SPEAKER: Valarie Kaur -Seeing No Stranger: The Power of Storytelling in Social Change with Valarie Kaur and Angad Singh

KEYNOTE SPEAKER: Harmeet Kaur –

Telling Our Own Stories: Why We Need Sikhs in **Journalism**

» Q & A Session with Ojaswwee Sharma

FILMS TO BE SCREENED:

- » Art Finds Its Way
- **Kites: Beyond Boundaries**
- Allegory Episode 1: Light of Oneness

N DAY 3: SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 20[™], 2021 • 9 PM — 9 PM PST (HOSTED BY NIKKI GILL)

SIKHLENS TALKS I: 9 AM - 10:30 AM PST (IN PUNJABI)

» Dr. Asma Qadri — Oneness

Fagir Saifuddin — The Glorious Sikh Empire and Maharaja Ranjeet Singh

- SIKHLENS TALKS II: 11 AM 1:30 PM PST
- Anjum Dara History and Introduction of Lahore Fort
- Dr. Robina Yasmin Muslims Under the Rule of Ranjit Singh
- Pawan Singh Arora What We Missed: The Long-Forgotten Sikh Heritage in the Walled City of Lahore

CREATIVE SIKHS: 1:30 PM - 4:45 PM PST

- **Top Knot or Not**
- Have You Forgotten Me?
- Sab Rab De Bande
- No Beloved

- » 51 States
- Waleed
- Masahiro Maeda's World of Ceramics
- Dark Wisdom (in Punjabi)

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Harmeet Kaur — Telling Our Own Stories: Why We Need Sikhs in Journalism

- Identity
- SEVA
- » Panja Sahib
- SATURDAY NIGHT AT THE MOVIES: 7 PM 9 PM PST
- Sikhs Serving Humanity
- Silver Lining: The Journey of Rashpal Singh
- Allegory-Episode 3: Ruhani Rawangi, Spiritual Departure
- » Hoshiarpur Langar Sewa
- Seva at Sri Harmandir Sahib
- » The Stone That Hit Maharaja Ranjit Singh (animated)

NOVEMBER 21ST, 2021 • 9:30 AM — 6 PM PST (HOSTED BY NIKKI GILL)

SIKHLENS TALKS III: 9:30 AM - 10:30 AM PST (IN PUNJABI)

- Parminder Singh Keeping the Heritage Alive with Artifacts
- Dr. Varinderpal Sikh The Education System During the Rule of the Great Maharaja Ranjit Singh

SIKHLENS TALKS IV: 11 AM - 1:00 PM PST

- Swarn Singh Khalon Sikh Diaspora Map of Sikhs in Non-English Speaking Countries
- Khalsa Lakvir-Singh Explaining the Fall of the Sikh Raj by Today's Scenarios

BEST OF SIKHLENS FILMS: 1 PM - 4 PM

- The Stone That Hit Maharaja Ranjit Singh (animated)
- Peaceful Mind (animated)
- All Quiet on the Home Front
- Style with Kaur

- » Drawn From Life
- » Shades of Indigo
- Jutti Kasoori
- The Singh Twins

SIKHLENS VIRTUAL CONCERT: 4 PM - 6 PM

- Kiran Ahluwalia and Rez Abbasi
- **Dhol King Gurcharan Mall**

Parvyn Kaur Singh

- Jas and Kamaljeet Ahluwalia
 - Pavan Kaur Mudhar Ramneek Singh

- » Peaceful Mind (animated)

WATCH ALL 4-DAYS FREE AT YouTube.com/Sikhlens

SCHEDULE SUBJECT TO CHANGE WITHOUT NOTICE.

- » Jallianwala: Repression and Retribution
- She Who Questions
- **Proud Mother**
- Himmat Singh
- **Agamjot Singh**
- Dr. Neelamjit Dhillon