



## **Annie Sprinkle's Herstory of Porn: Reel to Real** **Friday April 27th, 4-7 PM** **CCA/SF Production Stage**

**Join Professor Cheryl Dunye and the Sex In American Cinema Class in welcoming Visiting Artist and Lecturer ANNIE SPRINKLE for a screening and discussion of acclaimed film.**

### **About Annie Sprinkle:**

Annie Sprinkle became a porn star at 18 years old in 1973 appearing in dozens of "golden era" 8mm, 16mm and 35mm XXX films. In 1982 she directed *Deep Inside Annie Sprinkle*, a feature film which became a sex film classic and the 2nd best selling VHS tape that year. Bridging into the art world she made her own brand of "post porn" films, which played at many galleries and museums, including at the Guggenheim Museum. She pioneered feminist porn, docu-porn, trans-porn, and edu-porn. Currently she is exploring ecosexuality and environmentalism with her partner/collaborator, Elizabeth Stephens. Currently Sprinkle is co-producing a new film with Stephens, *Goodbye Gauley Mountain—An Ecosexual Love Story*, due to be released May 2012. Sprinkle has been in sexually oriented media and art for almost 40 years, and was the first porn star to earn a Ph.D. She also works in theater, visual art, and performance. She is based in San Francisco. For more: [Anniesprinkle.org](http://Anniesprinkle.org), [loveartlab.org](http://loveartlab.org), and [sexecology.org](http://sexecology.org)

**This lecture is open to CCA Graduate Students**