

**Atwater Kent Museum of Philadelphia
Summer 2006 Documentary Film Series**

Confronting Change and Shaping the Future

On three summer evenings, The Atwater Kent Museum of Philadelphia's Summer Documentary Film Series explores different ways that three Philadelphia communities confronted outside threats to their neighborhoods. The films document how residents leveraged these crises into opportunities for revitalization and, in some cases, personal growth.

**Doors open at 5 p.m., film program 6-8 p.m.
Free with AKMP admission.**

❖ **Wednesday, July 26**

Gayle Isa, Executive Director, Asian Arts Initiative, introduces three short films documenting Philadelphia Chinatown community history.

"Look forward and carry on the past": Stories from Chinatown

InvAsian

Chinatown Life Stories

❖ **Wednesday, August 2**

Miriam Camitta, Ph.D., filmmaker and folklorist, introduces a film about South Street.

Crosstown

❖ **Monday, August 7**

Anula Shetty, Philadelphia-based independent filmmaker, introduces two films about North Philadelphia's American Street corridor.

African Gardens

Life Stories from American Street

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For further information, call 215.685.4830 or visit

www.philadelphiahistory.org

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