

Course literature

FV7313 - Archaeology of Film Form and Media Convergence in the 19th Century (7.5 hp)
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D. Galili, "Tom Swift's Three Inventions of Television: Media History and the Technological Imaginary" <http://journal.euscreen.eu/index.php/view/article/view/JETHC081/177>

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L. Rabinovitz, "From Hale's Tours to Star Tours: Virtual Voyages, Travel Ride Films, and the Delirium of the Hyper-Real," in Jeffrey Ruoff, ed. *Virtual Voyages: Cinema and Travel* (Durham: Duke University Press, 2006), 42-60.

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