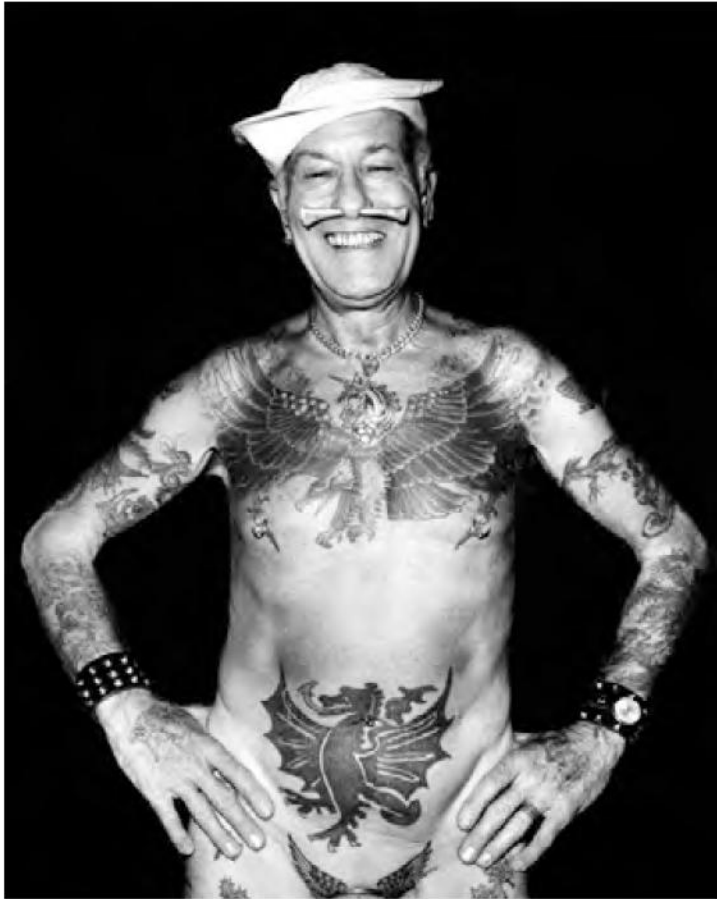


OUR 2016 APP CONFERENCE EXHIBITION!

THE SAILOR SID ARCHIVE

PRESENTED BY THE APP BODY PIERCING ARCHIVE
& THE LEATHER ARCHIVE & MUSEUM

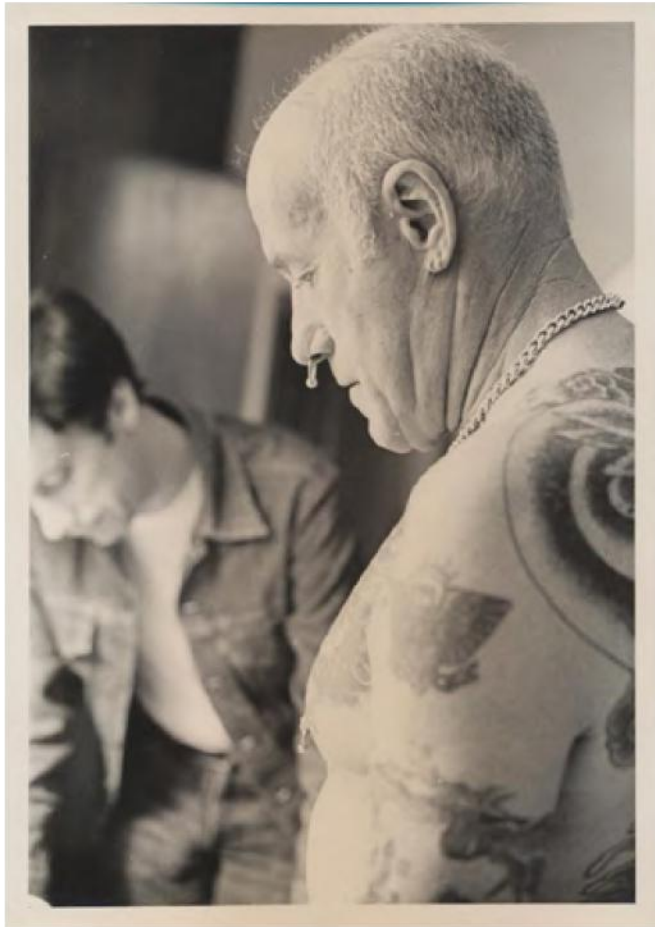


The Leather Archives and Museum will curate the Sailor Sid Archive. LA&M's archivists/collections librarian, Jakob VanLammeren, will host and give tours of this exhibition. Come check out the fragile history that YOUR contributions helped to save!

Besides Sid, the collection includes images of some of our greatest piercing pioneers such as Fakir Musafar, Mr. Sebastian, Jim Ward, Doug Malloy, Ethel Granger, and more! You'll be amazed to see the sometimes innovative and sometime ghastly, well-documented piercing procedures! Please visit the Body Piercing Archive in Bronze 4.

Tuesday 10:00-6:30 pm
Wednesday 10:00-6:00 pm
Thursday 9:00-5:00 pm





LEATHER ARCHIVES & MUSEUM LAUNCHES SAILOR SID DILLER DIGITAL COLLECTION ONLINE



[View the Digital Collection](#)



When Sailor Sid passed away in 1990, his piercing collection—personal papers and effects related to his piercing career—was entrusted to Jim Ward, founder of the original piercing studio Gauntlet. Ward donated the collection to LA&M in 1997, where it has remained in climate-controlled storage ever since, largely inaccessible due to lack of processing resources.

Thanks to a large community response to a 2015 [crowdfunding campaign](#) and a generous contribution from the [Association of Professional Piercers](#) this amazing collection is now easily accessible to adults around the world.