



Freddie Young with Jake Polonsky.

Typically, although now in his ninety-fifth year, Freddie Young is still doing all he can to encourage young cinematographers.

Recently he presented a Scholarship in his name to **Jake Polonsky**, the 1996/97 Cinematography Scholar at the Royal College of Art. At the ceremony Freddie and Jake seemed equally delighted in, respectively, the Scholarship being in his name and being the recipient of it.

From Freddie came the observation "I think I have been very lucky. I'm afraid life is not getting any easier for the young people of today, starting in any career, so my best wishes go to them," while Jake's comment was "I could never have wished for a better start than to be linked to the name Freddie Young, a man who is generally regarded as the World's greatest Cinematographer."

The **Freddie Young Scholarship for Cinematography** has been established by a registered charity, The British Cinematography Scholarship Trust, with contributions received from the Industry. The RCA is the first school to be chosen but the aim is to generate sufficient funds to finance more scholarships in other postgraduate schools in the names of eminent British cinematographers.

JAKE POLONSKY IS FIRST FREDDIE YOUNG CINEMATOGRAPHY SCHOLAR