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Collection Overview

Repository:	Archives of American Art
Title:	Siri Berg papers
Identifier:	AAA.bergsiri
Date:	1966-1998
Creator:	Berg, Siri B.
Extent:	1.2 Linear feet
Language:	English .

Administrative Information

Acquisition Information

Donated 1998 by Siri Berg.

Other Finding Aids

Box inventory available.

Restrictions

Use of original papers requires an appointment and is limited to the Archives' Washington, D.C., Research Center. Contact Reference Services for more information.

Biographical / Historical

Siri Berg is a collage artist, painter, and art instructor in New York, New York. Born in the 1930s in Stockholm, Sweden. Siri Berg is on the faculty of The New School, Parsons School of Design in New York.

Scope and Contents

Files include correspondence, commissions, studies for paintings, printed material, announcements, exhibition catalogs, photographs, and a videocassette. Studies for paintings include Berg's The Black series, 1976; Collograph, 1980; Cosmic Veil, prints 439-441, 1983; Cycle of 5, 1973-1974; Environmental Boxes, 1979-1981; Four Elements, 1978-1979; Four Faculties, 1974; Kabala series, 1975-1986, undated; Kinneret, undated; La Ronde and La Ronde Shadow series, 1972-1984; Patterns, various, 1980, undated; Prints, #390-393, 396, 1980; Through a Looking Glass Series, 1973; Tops of Kites, 610-613, undated; Triangle, black/Triangle, white, #77-268 and #77-269, 1977; The White series, 1977-1978; and works on paper, 1974-1975. Photographs consist of works of art, 1966-1996, undated; and exhibition shots and personal photographs, 1970-1997, undated. Video cassette of Siri Berg in her studio in SoHo, New York, undated. Also is artwork, undated, consisting of cut out circles; paint and color samples; Klaidoscope story; La Ronde study, and La Ronde, #76; circle sketches; palette and four faculties study; preliminary work; and studies for artwork.

Names and Subject Terms

This collection is indexed in the online catalog of the Smithsonian Institution under the following terms:

Subjects:

- Painting, Modern -- United States
- Women artists
- Women educators
- Women painters

Types of Materials:

- Video recordings

Occupations:

- Collagists -- New York (State) -- New York
- Educators -- New York (State) -- New York
- Painters -- New York (State) -- New York