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Oral history interview with Edgar Breitenbach

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Collection Overview

Repository:	Archives of American Art
Title:	Oral history interview with Edgar Breitenbach
Date:	1975 February 18
Identifier:	AAA.breite75
Creator:	Breitenbach, Edgar (Interviewee) Cummings, Paul (Interviewer)
Extent:	95 Pages (Transcript)
Language:	English .
Digital Content:	Audio: Oral history interview with Edgar Breitenbach, 1975 February 18, Digital Sound Recording (Excerpt)

Administrative Information

Acquisition Information

This interview is part of the Archives' Oral History Program, started in 1958 to document the history of the visual arts in the United States, primarily through interviews with artists, historians, dealers, critics and others.

Biographical / Historical

Edgar Breitenbach (1903-1977) was an art historian from Chevy Chase, Maryland.

Scope and Contents

An interview of Edgar Breitenbach conducted 1975 February 18, by Paul Cummings, for the Archives of American Art.

General

Originally recorded on 3 sound tape reels. Reformatted in 2010 as 5 digital wav files. Duration is 4 hr., 52 min.

Names and Subject Terms

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

Subjects:

Art, American

Types of Materials:

Interviews

Sound recordings

Occupations:

Art historians -- Maryland -- Chevy Chase -- Interviews