



# Smithsonian

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Geoffrey Clements photographic negatives and papers

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## Collection Overview

<b>Repository:</b>	Archives of American Art
<b>Title:</b>	Geoffrey Clements photographic negatives and papers
<b>Date:</b>	circa 1950-2004
<b>Identifier:</b>	AAA.clemgeof
<b>Creator:</b>	Clements, Geoffrey
<b>Extent:</b>	34 Linear feet (ca. 60,000 items) 0.6 Linear feet (Addition)
<b>Language:</b>	English .

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## Administrative Information

### Acquisition Information

Donated 2000 by Geoffrey Clements and in 2004 by Kraushaar Galleries. In 1999 Kraushaar Galleries purchased Clements' negatives for images of works of art which were in the gallery's collection.

### Restrictions

Negatives and slides are currently unavailable for research. Contact the Archives reference staff for more information.

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## Biographical / Historical

Fine art photographer; New York, N.Y.

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## Scope and Contents

60,000 negatives and slides of photographs of works of art taken by Clement's and others for art galleries and artists' portraits. Included are ledger books presumably corresponding to the negatives, listing artist, title, gallery and other miscellaneous information. Also found are photographs taken of Whitney Museum of American Art exhibitions; Clement's correspondence with artists (ca. 250 items); and negatives purchased by Clements of works of art taken by Oliver Baker, a colleague of Clements.

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## Scope and Contents

ADDITION: 634 negatives of works of art taken by Clements and Oliver Baker for Kraushaar Galleries in New York.

## Names and Subject Terms

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

Subjects:

Art, Modern -- 20th century -- Photographs  
Artists -- Photographs

Names:

Baker, Oliver  
Kraushaar Galleries  
Whitney Museum of American Art

Occupations:

Photographers