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Oral history interview with Nassos Daphnis

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## Collection Overview

<b>Repository:</b>	Archives of American Art
<b>Title:</b>	Oral history interview with Nassos Daphnis
<b>Identifier:</b>	AAA.daphni68
<b>Date:</b>	1968 April 9
<b>Creator:</b>	Daphnis, Nassos, 1914-2010 (Interviewee) Cummings, Paul (Interviewer)
<b>Extent:</b>	51 Pages (Transcript)
<b>Language:</b>	English .
<b>Digital Content:</b>	<a href="#">Digital Content: Oral history interview with Nassos Daphnis, 1968 April 9, Transcript</a> <a href="#">Audio: Oral history interview with Nassos Daphnis, 1968 April 9, Digital Sound Recording (Excerpt)</a>

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## 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.

### Restrictions

Transcript available on the Archives of American Art website.

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## Biographical / Historical

Nassos Daphnis (1914-) is a painter and sculptor in New York, New York.

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## Scope and Contents

An interview of Nassos Daphnis conducted 1968 April 9, by Paul Cummings, for the Archives of American Art.

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## General

Originally recorded on 1 sound tape reel. Reformatted in 2010 as 4 digital wav file. Duration is 2 hr., 14 min.

## Names and Subject Terms

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

### Subjects:

- Art -- Philosophy
- Art, American
- Artists' materials
- Painters -- New York (State) -- Interviews
- Painting -- Technique
- Sculptors -- New York (State) -- New York -- Interviews
- Tree peony
- World War, 1939-1945

### Types of Materials:

- Interviews
- Sound recordings