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Oral history interview with Henry W. Hough

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## Collection Overview

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| <b>Repository:</b>      | Archives of American Art   |
| <b>Title:</b>           | Oral history interview with Henry W. Hough   |
| <b>Identifier:</b>      | AAA.hough64  |
| <b>Date:</b>            | 1964 June 11   |
| <b>Creator:</b>         | Hough, Henry W. (Interviewee)<br>Doud, Richard Keith (Interviewer)<br>New Deal and the Arts Oral History Project   |
| <b>Extent:</b>          | 1 Sound tape reel (Sound recordings: (30 min.); 7 in.)<br>14 Pages (Transcript)                                    |
| <b>Language:</b>        | English .  |
| <b>Digital Content:</b> | <a href="#">Audio: Oral history interview with Henry W. Hough, 1964 June 11, Digital Sound Recording (Excerpt)</a> |

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## Administrative Information

### Acquisition Information

This interview conducted as part of the Archives of American Art's New Deal and the Arts project, which includes over 400 interviews of artists, administrators, historians, and others involved with the federal government's art programs and the activities of the Farm Security Administration in the 1930s and early 1940s.

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## Biographical / Historical

State Director of Federal Writers' Project, Colorado.

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## Scope and Contents

An interview of Henry W. Hough conducted by Richard Doud 1964 June 11, for the Archives of American Art.

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Hough speaks of his journalism background; his involvement with the WPA Federal Writers' Project writing a guidebook for the state of Colorado; and the lasting benefits of the WPA's programs.

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## Names and Subject Terms

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

Subjects:

Federal aid to the arts

Types of Materials:

Interviews

Sound recordings

Names:

Federal Writers' Project (Colo.)

New Deal and the Arts Oral History Project

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