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Oral history interview with Emily Mason Kahn

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Collection Overview

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| Repository: | Archives of American Art |
| Title: | Oral history interview with Emily Mason Kahn |
| Date: | 1965 Jan. 27 |
| Identifier: | AAA.kahn65 |
| Creator: | Kahn, Emily Mason (Interviewee) Phillips, Harlan B. (Harlan Buddington), 1920-1979 (Interviewer) New Deal and the Arts Oral History Project |
| Extent: | 1 Sound cassette (Sound recordings: 1 sound cassette (45 min.); analog) 40 Pages (Transcript) |
| Language: | English . |
| Digital Content: | Audio: Oral history interview with Emily Mason Kahn, 1965 Jan. 27, Digital Sound Recording (Excerpt) Digital Content: Oral history interview with Emily Mason Kahn, 1965 January 27, Transcript |

Administrative Information

Acquisition Information

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.

Available Formats

Transcript is available on the Archives of American Art's website.

Restrictions

This interview is open for research. Contact Reference Services for more information.

Biographical / Historical

Emily Mason Kahn was an administrator on the Federal Music Project from New York, N.Y.

Scope and Contents

An interview of Emily Mason Kahn conducted 1965 Jan. 27, by Harlan Phillips, for the Archives of American Art.

General

Transferred from original acetate tape reel.

General

The recording ends before the conclusion of the interview.

General

Sound quality is poor.

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 Music Project (N.Y.)

New Deal and the Arts Oral History Project

Sokoloff, Nikolai, 1886-1965

Occupations:

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