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Oral history interview with Jacob Lawrence

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Collection Overview

Repository:	Archives of American Art
Title:	Oral history interview with Jacob Lawrence
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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.

Location of Originals

Item is a transcript. Location of original audio recording is unknown.

Available Formats

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

Restrictions

This interview transcript is open for research. No audio exists. Contact Reference Services for more information.

Biographical / Historical

Jacob Lawrence (1917-2000) was a painter and educator in Seattle, Washington and New York, New York.

Scope and Contents

Interview of Jacob Lawrence conducted 1968 October 26, by Carroll Greene, for the Archives of American Art.

Names and Subject Terms

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

Subjects:

- African American artists
- African American educators
- African American painters
- Art, American

Types of Materials:

- Interviews

Occupations:

- Educators -- Washington (State) -- Seattle
- Painters -- New York (State) -- New York
- Painters -- Washington (State) -- Seattle