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Collection Overview

Repository:	Archives of American Art
Title:	Thomas Gaetano Lo Medico papers
Date:	ca. 1939-1980
Identifier:	AAA.lomethom
Creator:	Lo Medico, Thomas Gaetano, 1904-1985
Extent:	1.3 Linear feet
Language:	English .

Administrative Information

Acquisition Information

Donated 1993 by Leonora L. Lo Medico, widow of Thomas G. Lo Medico.

Restrictions

Use of original papers requires an appointment and is limited to the Archives' Washington, D.C., Research Center. Contact Reference Services for more information.

Biographical / Historical

Sculptor; New York, N.Y.; d. 1985; Lo Medico studied at the Beaux Arts Institute of Design in New York. He is best known for his architectural sculpture for federal, public and private buildings throughout the United States and as a designer of medals.

Scope and Contents

Correspondence with William Zorach, Margaret French Cresson, Theodore Barbarossa, the Medallic Art Company, the American Numismatic Society, and others; files concerning commemorative medals designed and sculpted by Lo Medico including various medals issued by the International Fraternal Commemorative Society; files concerning sculpture competitions for a bas-relief portrait of Charles W. Goodyear, sculpture at The National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception in Washington, D.C., and other projects; sketches for medals and sculpture; financial records including bills for professional services such as modeling and casting in plaster; photographs of Lo Medico and works of art; exhibition catalogs and other printed material.

Names and Subject Terms

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

Subjects:

Medals

Sculptors -- New York (State) -- New York -- Interviews
Sculpture, American
Sculpture, Modern -- 20th century -- United States

Occupations:

Medalists -- New York (State) -- New York