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Oral history interview with Tobey C. Moss

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Collection Overview

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Administrative Information

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This interview is part of the Archives of American Art 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 administrators.

Available Formats

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

Biographical / Historical

Interviewee Tobey C. Moss (1928-) is an art dealer in Los Angeles, California. Interviewer Hunter Drohojowska-Philp is an art critic and writer from Beverly Hills, California.

Scope and Contents

An interview of Tobey C. Moss, conducted 2013 September 12, by Hunter Drohojowska-Philp, for the Archives of American Art at Moss' Gallery in Los Angeles, California.

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Moss speaks of growing up in Chicago and moving to Los Angeles to attend UCLA; meeting and marrying her husband, Allen; serving as docent at the LA County Museum of Art; working for Zeitlin & Ver Brugge

and then later Stephen White Gallery of Photography; opening her art gallery, Tobey C. Moss Gallery in 1979; her connection and relationships to many of the artists she displayed in her gallery.

Names and Subject Terms

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