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A Finding Aid to the Daphne Mumford Papers, 1969-1980, in the Archives of American Art

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Collection Overview

Repository:	Archives of American Art
Title:	Daphne Mumford papers
Date:	1969-1980
Identifier:	AAA.mumfdaph
Creator:	Mumford, Daphne, 1934
Extent:	0.2 Linear feet
Language:	English .
Summary:	The scattered papers of painter Daphne Mumford measure 0.2 linear feet and date from 1969 to 1980. Included are biographical materials on Mumford's parents, photographs of an exhibition and slides of works of art, poetry by Mumford, and printed material.

Administrative Information

Acquisition Information

Donated 1980 by Daphne Mumford.

Processing Information

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Preferred Citation

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Restrictions

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Biographical / Historical

Daphne Mumford (1935-) is a painter and poet in New York City, New York. She studied at Skowhegan School of Painting and Sculpture in the early 1950s and exhibited at Area Gallery, among many others.

Scope and Contents

The scattered papers of painter Daphne Mumford measure 0.2 linear feet and date from 1969 to 1980. Included are biographical materials on Mumford's parents, photographs of an exhibition and slides of works of art, poetry by Mumford, and printed material.

Arrangement

Due to the small size of this collection the papers are arranged as one series.

Names and Subject Terms

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

Subjects:

Women artists
Women painters

Occupations:

Painters -- New York (State) -- New York
Poets -- New York (State) -- New York

Container Listing

Series 1: Daphne Mumford Papers, 1969-1980

0.2 Linear feet (Box 1)

Scope and Contents: Biographical materials include genealogical charts for Mumford's parents and the Mumford and Bedford families as well as biographical sketches for Mumford's father. Photographs depict an exhibition and slides are of works of art. Printed materials include clippings, exhibition announcements and catalogs, and press releases. Also found are poems written by Daphne Mumford.

Box 1, Folder 1	Biographical Material, 1975-1976
Box 1, Folder 2	Photographs and Slides, 1974-1980
Box 1, Folder 3	Poetry, 1969
Box 1, Folder 4	Printed Material, 1972-1980

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