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A Finding Aid to the Gwynn Murrill Papers, 1970-2023, in the Archives of American Art

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Collection Overview

Repository:	Archives of American Art
Title:	Gwynn Murrill papers
Date:	1970-2023
Identifier:	AAA.murrgwyn
Creator:	Murrill, Gwynn, 1942- (Creator)
Extent:	1 Linear Feet
Language:	English
Summary:	The papers of California based sculptor Gwynn Murrill measures 1 linear foot and dates from 1970 to 2023. The bulk of the collection consists of clippings, announcements, and catalogs on Murrill. Also included are a guest book for an exhibition, an appointment book, correspondence, and photographs and slides of artwork.

Administrative Information

Acquisition Information

The Gwynn Murrill papers were donated to the Archives of American Art in 2024 by the artist Gwynn Murrill.

Processing Information

The collection was processed, and a finding aid prepared by Rihoko Ueno in 2025.

Preferred Citation

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Restrictions

This collection is open for research. Access to original papers requires an appointment and is limited to the Archives' Washington, D.C. Research Center.

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Biographical / Historical

Gwynn Murrill (1942-) is a sculptor in Los Angeles, California, specializing in stylized depictions of animals.

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Arrangement

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

- Series 1: Gwynn Murrill papers, 1970-2024 (1 linear feet; Box 1)
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Names and Subject Terms

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

Subjects:

Women artists
Women sculptors -- California -- Los Angeles

Occupations:

Sculptors -- California -- Los Angeles

Container Listing

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1 Linear Feet (Box 1)

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Box 1, Folder 1	Annotated Weekly Planner, 1990
Box 1, Folder 2	Appointment Book, circa 1990-2007
Box 1, Folder 3	Exhibition Guest Book, 1997
Box 1, Folder 4	Correspondence, 1985-2002
Box 1, Folder 5	Correspondence, 2003
Box 1, Folder 6	Correspondence, 2007-2023
Box 1, Folder 7	Correspondence (Undated), circa 1990-circa 2023
Box 1, Folder 8	Printed Material - Calendars, 1995, 2013
Box 1, Folder 9-11	Printed Material - Clippings, 1970-1989
Box 1, Folder 12-14	Printed Material - Clippings, 1990-1999
Box 1, Folder 15-16	Printed Material - Clippings, 2000-2017
Box 1, Folder 17	Printed Material - Clippings (Undated), circa 1970-circa 2017
Box 1, Folder 18-20	Printed Material - Exhibition Announcements and Catalogs, 1973-1986
Box 1, Folder 21-23	Printed Material - Exhibition Announcements and Catalogs, 1987-1995
Box 1, Folder 24-26	Printed Material - Exhibition Announcements and Catalogs, 1997-2006
Box 1, Folder 27-29	Printed Material - Exhibition Announcements and Catalogs, 2007-2016
Box 1, Folder 30-31	Printed Material - Exhibition Announcements and Catalogs, 2017-2022
Box 1, Folder 32	Printed Material - Exhibition Announcements and Catalogs (Undated), circa 1973-circa 2022

Box 1, Folder 33	Printed Material - Magazines and Periodicals, 1974-1992
Box 1, Folder 34	Printed Material - Newsletters, circa 1976-2014
Box 1, Folder 35	Printed Material - Postcards, circa 1991-circa 2004
Box 1, Folder 36	Printed Material - Miscellaneous, circa 1975-circa 2010
Box 1, Folder 37	Slides and Photographs of Artwork, circa 1972-1998

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