

A Finding Aid to the Senga Nengudi Papers, 1947, circa 1962-2017 in the Archives of American Art

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Collection Overview

Repository: Archives of American Art

Title: Senga Nengudi papers

Date: 1947

circa 1962-2017

Identifier: AAA.nengseng

Creator: Nengudi, Senga, 1943-

Extent: 12.8 Linear feet

11.24 Gigabytes

Language: English .

Summary: The papers of African American conceptual and performance artist Senga

Nengudi measure 12.8 linear feet and 11.24 gigabytes and date from circa 1962 to 2017, with a folder of printed material dating from 1947. The collection contains biographical material including education and family records, the kimono Nengudi wore during her wedding to Ellioutt Fittz, certificates, interview transcripts, and address books; calendars and journals chronicling Nengudi's appointments, thoughts, and artistic practice; and correspondence with friends and other artists including Maren Hassinger, Cheryl Banks, and David Hammons. Also included is family correspondence, including letters between Senga Nengudi (then Sue Irons) and her mother when Nengudi was living in Japan. The collection also contains writings by Senga Nengudi and others; material related to professional activities including teaching files, gallery files, and files related to exhibitions, projects, and performances; printed material including exhibition and event

announcements and catalogs, clippings, magazines, and other published material; a scrapbook primarily containing photographs and printed material; photographic material depicting Senga Nengudi, works of art, and other individuals; artwork by Nengudi and others, including Maren Hassinger; and

audio and video recordings, including recordings of performances.

Administrative Information

Acquisition Information

The Senga Nengudi papers were donated to the Archives of American Art in 2018 and 2019 by Senga Nengudi.

Related Materials

The Amistad Research Center also holds 4.5 linear feet of the Senga Nengudi papers, 1966-2017.

Processing Information

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Restrictions

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Biographical / Historical

Senga Nengudi (1943-) is an African American conceptual and performance artist in Colorado Springs, Colorado. Born Sue Irons in Chicago, Illinois, she earned a bachelor's degree in art with a minor in dance from California State University, Los Angeles. From 1966 to 1967 she studied Japanese culture at Waseda University in Tokyo, Japan. This study deeply influenced her artistic practice. Upon her return from Japan in 1967, she pursued her master's degree in sculpture at California State University, which she received in 1971.

After receiving her master's degree, she moved to New York to continue her career as an artist, showing at Just Above Midtown Gallery and teaching at the Children's Art Carnival in Harlem. Throughout her career, Nengudi has collaborated and shown with Maren Hassinger, David Hammons, Barbara McCullough, Suzanne Jackson, John Outterbridge, and Bettye Saar. Nengudi is best known for "stationary performance objects," particularly her *RSVP* series, objects composed of nylon mesh and sand that refer to the flexibility of the female figure. The series debuted in the 1970s and Nengudi returned to it, adding on *A.C.Q.* to exhibit it at the 57th Venice Biennale in 2017. Also in 2017, *Senga Nengudi: Improvisational Gestures* opened at the DePaul Art Museum. This was the first solo museum survey for the artist and featured work from the 1970s to 2017.

Scope and Contents

The papers of African American conceptual and performance artist Senga Nengudi measure 12.8 linear feet and 11.24 gigabytes and date from circa 1962 to 2017, with a folder of printed material dating from 1947. The collection contains biographical material, including education and family records, the kimono Nengudi wore during her wedding to Ellioutt Fittz, certificates, interview transcripts, and address books; calendars and journals chronicling Nengudi's appointments, thoughts, and artistic practice; and correspondence with friends and other artists including Maren Hassinger, Cheryl Banks, and David Hammons. Also included is family correspondence, including letters between Senga Nengudi (then Sue Irons) and her mother when Nengudi was living in Japan. The collection also contains writings by Senga Nengudi and others; material related to professional activities including teaching files, gallery files, and files related to exhibitions, projects, and performances; printed material including exhibition and

event announcements and catalogs, clippings, magazines, and other published material; a scrapbook primarily containing photographs and printed material; photographic material depicting Senga Nengudi, works of art, and other individuals; artwork by Nengudi and others, including Maren Hassinger and Barbara McCullough; and audio and video recordings, including recordings of performances.

Arrangement

This collection is arranged as ten series.

- Series 1: Biographical Material, 1962-2006, 2017 (Box 1, Box 14; 0.5 linear feet)
- Series 2: Calendars and Journals, 1967-2016 (Boxes 1-6; Box 15; 5.7 linear feet)
- Series 3: Correspondence, 1966-2017 (Boxes 6-8; 1.7 linear feet)
- Series 4: Writings, 1964-2010 (Box 8; 0.3 linear feet)
- Series 5: Professional Activities, 1966-2017 (Boxes 8-10, Box 15; 1.9 linear feet, ER01-ER06; 11.10 GB)
- Series 6: Printed Material, 1947, 1963-2017 (Boxes 10-12, Box 15; 1.4 linear feet, ER07; 0.143 GB)
- Series 7: Scrapbook, 1974-1976 (Box 15; 1 folder)
- Series 8: Photographic Material, circa 1962-2007 (Box 12, Box 15; 0.1 linear feet)
- Series 9: Artwork, circa 1960s-2004, 2014, undated (Box 12, Box 15; 0.5 linear feet)
- Series 10: Audio and Video Recordings, circa 1974-1998 (Boxes 12-13; 0.4 linear feet)

Names and Subject Terms

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

Subjects:

African American art -- African influences African American artists Women artists Women performance artists

Types of Materials:

Diaries
Drawings
Scrapbooks
Sketchbooks
Sound recordings
Video recordings

Names:

Banks, Cheryl Hammons, David, 1943-Hassinger, Maren McCullough, Barbara

Occupations:

Conceptual artists -- Colorado -- Colorado Springs Performance artists -- Colorado -- Colorado Springs

Container Listing

Series 1: Biographical Material, 1962-2006, 2017

0.5 Linear feet (Box 1, Box 14)

| Scope and | |
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| Contents: | |

Included in the biographical material series are education records; family records including "Sanza and Oji's Book" and material documenting Senga Nengudi's name change from Sue Irons; the kimono Nengudi wore to wed Ellioutt Fittz: certificates; interview transcripts; and address books.

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| Box 1, Folder 1 | Education Records, 1962-1970 Notes: Includes Veterans Administration notice of educational assistance allowance an program for master of arts degree. |
| Box 1, Folder 2 | Assorted Material from Time in Japan, 1965-1968 Notes: Also includes one photograph, notes, receipts, Waseda University ID, and a fan. |
| Box 14 | Wedding Kimono and Accessories, 1976 Notes: Included accessories are two fans. |
| Box 1, Folder 3 | Senga Nengudi/Sue Irons Resumes and Biographies, circa 1970s-circa 1990s |
| Box 1, Folder 4 | Material Documenting Name Change and Passport Application, 1981, 1996 |
| Box 1, Folder 5 | Sanza and Oji's Book, 1984-1985 |
| Box 1, Folder 6 | 50th Birthday Banner, 1993 |
| Box 1, Folder 7 | "Who's Who Among Blacks in Colorado Springs" Certificate, 1993 |
| Box 1, Folder 8 | University of Colorado at Colorado Springs Distinguished Service Award, 1994-1995 Notes: Includes correspondence and printed material. |
| Box 1, Folder 9 | Senga Nengudi Interview with O. Donald Odita, 1995-1997 Notes: Includes resumes, correspondence, article drafts, and printed material. |
| Box 1, Folder 10 | Easter Seals Certificate of Appreciation, 1999 |
| Box 1, Folder 11 | Address Lists and Contact Information, 1990s, undated |
| Box 1, Folder 12 | American Red Cross Hurricane Katrina Relief Certificate, 2006 |
| Box 1, Folder 13 | Senga Nengudi Interview with Alex Gartenfeld, circa 2017 |

| Box 1, Folder 14 | Address Book, undated |
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| Box 1, Folder 15 | Address Book, undated |

Series 2: Calendars and Journals, 1967-2016

5.7 Linear feet (Boxes 1-6, Box 15)

Scope and Contents:

This series consists of wall calendars, planners, organizers, and journals in which Senga Nengudi chronicled her appointments, to do lists, thoughts, and artistic practice. Some notebooks are decorated with collages and include sketches or other artwork.

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| Box 1, Folder 16 | Journal, 1967 |
| Box 1, Folder 17 | Journal, Japan, 1967 Notes: Entries from Nengudi's time in Japan fill only a few pages. Also includes letters received while in Japan. |
| Box 1, Folder 18 | Journal, 1972-1973 |
| Box 15, Folder 1 | The Children's Art Workshop Calendar, 1973 |
| Box 1, Folder 19 | Calendar Pages, 1974 |
| Box 1, Folder 20 | 1975 Year Book, 1975 |
| Box 1, Folder 21 | 1976 Desk Diary, 1976 |
| Box 1, Folder 22 | I Ching: Taoist Book of Days Calendar-Diary, 1977 |
| Box 1, Folder 23 | Journal, 1977 |
| Box 1, Folder 24 | I Ching: Taoist Book of Days Calendar-Diary, 1978 |
| Box 1, Folder 25 | I Ching: Taoist Book of Days Calendar-Diary, 1979 |
| Box 1, Folder 26 | I Ching: Taoist Book of Days Calendar-Diary, 1980 |
| Box 2, Folder 1 | I Ching: Taoist Book of Days Calendar-Diary, 1981 Notes: Includes folded December 1982 calender at front. |
| Box 2, Folder 2 | Journal, 1981-1982, 1986 |
| Box 2, Folder 3 | Daily Journal/Calendar, 1982 |
| Box 2, Folder 4 | Daily Journal/Calendar, 1982 |
| Box 2, Folder 5 | Spiritual Diary, 1982, 1997-1999 |
| Box 2, Folder 6 | Daily Journal/Calendar, 1983 |
| Box 2, Folder 7 | Journal, 1983 |
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| Box 2, Folder 8 | Journal, 1983 |
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| Box 2, Folder 9 | Organizer, 1986 Notes: Includes business cards, addresses, and notes. |
| Box 2, Folder 10 | Time Maker, 1987 Notes: Includes calendar and addresses. |
| Box 2, Folder 11 | Smithsonian Engagement Calendar, 1988 |
| Box 2, Folder 12 | The 1989 Gardener's Desk Calendar, 1989 Notes: Includes notes from Senga Nengudi's son, Oji Fittz. |
| Box 2, Folder 13 | Journal, 1989 |
| Box 2, Folder 14 | Daily Journal, 1989 |
| Box 2, Folder 15 | Journal, 1989-1990 |
| Box 2, Folder 16 | Time to Love Wall Calendar, 1990 |
| Box 2, Folder 17 | Love: A Book of Days Calendar and Journal, 1990 |
| Box 3, Folder 1 | Journal, 1990 |
| Box 3, Folder 2 | Meditations Wall Calendar, 1991 |
| Box 3, Folder 3 | The Essence Book of Days Journal and Calendar, 1991 |
| Box 3, Folder 4 | Journal, 1991 |
| Box 3, Folder 5 | Journal, 1991-1992 |
| Box 3, Folder 6 | Journal, 1992 |
| Box 3, Folder 7 | Journal, 1992 |
| Box 3, Folder 8 | Weekly Desk Planner, 1992 |
| Box 3, Folder 9 | Journal, 1992-1993 |
| Box 3, Folder 10 | Journal, 1992-1995 |
| Box 3, Folder 11 | Easter Seal Society Wall Calendar, 1993 |
| Box 3, Folder 12 | Journal, 1993 |
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| Box 3, Folder 13 | Journal, 1993 |
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| Box 3, Folder 14 | Wall Calendar, 1994 |
| Box 3, Folder 15 | Journal, 1994 |
| Box 3, Folder 16 | A Year of Change Weekly Engagement Calendar, 1994 |
| Box 3, Folder 17 | Journal, 1994 |
| Box 3, Folder 18 | Journal, 1994 |
| Box 3, Folder 19 | Daily Journal/Calendar, circa 1994 |
| Box 3, Folder 20 | Wall Calendar, 1994-1995 |
| Box 3, Folder 21 | Journal, 1994-1995 |
| Box 3, Folder 22 | Daily Calendar, 1995 April 24-30 |
| Box 3, Folder 23 | Journal, 1995 |
| Box 4, Folder 1 | Journal, 1995 |
| Box 4, Folder 2 | Journal, 1995-1996 |
| Box 4, Folder 3 | Journal, 1996 |
| Box 4, Folder 4 | International Calendar Wall Calendar, 1996 |
| Box 4, Folder 5 | Journal, 1996 |
| Box 4, Folder 6 | Daily Journal/Calendar, 1996-1997 |
| Box 4, Folder 7 | Journal, 1996-1997 |
| Box 4, Folder 8 | Journal, 1996-1997 |
| Box 4, Folder 9 | Daily Journal/Calendar, 1997 |
| Box 4, Folder 10 | Easter Seal Society Wall Calendar, 1997 |
| Box 4, Folder 11 | The Victoria & Albert Museum Indian Animals Daybook, 1997 |
| Box 4, Folder 12 | Dream Journal, 1997-1998 |
| Box 4, Folder 13 | Journal, 1997-2001 |
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| Box 4, Folder 14 | Journal, 1998 |
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| Box 4, Folder 15 | Daily Journal/Calendar, 1998-1999 |
| Box 15, Folder 1 | Wall Calendar, 1999 |
| Box 4, Folder 16 | Daily Journal/Calendar, 1999 |
| Box 4, Folder 17 | Daily Journal/Calendar, 1999 |
| Box 4, Folder 18 | Journal and "Morning Pages", 1999 |
| Box 4, Folder 19 | Food Journal, 1999-2000 Notes: Also includes dream journal entries at back. |
| Box 4, Folder 20 | Journal, 1999-2003 |
| Box 4, Folder 21 | Journal Pages, 2000 |
| Box 4, Folder 22 | Daily Journal/Calendar, 2000 |
| Box 4, Folder 23 | The Home Team Wall Calendar, 2000 |
| Box 4, Folder 24 | Journal, 2000 |
| Box 4, Folder 25 | Journal, 2000-2002 |
| Box 5, Folder 1 | Daily Journal/Calendar, 2001 |
| Box 5, Folder 2 | Monthly Planner, 2001 |
| Box 5, Folder 3 | Journal, 2001-2002 |
| Box 5, Folder 4 | Dream Journal Pages, 2001-2002 |
| Box 5, Folder 5 | Monthly Planner, 2002 |
| Box 5, Folder 6 | Planner, 2002 |
| Box 5, Folder 7 | Daily Journal/Calendar, 2002-2003 |
| Box 5, Folder 8 | Journal, 2002-2003 |
| Box 5, Folder 9 | Journal, 2003 |
| Box 5, Folder 10 | Daily Journal/Calendar, 2003 |

| Box 5, Folder 11 | Journal, 2004 |
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| Box 5, Folder 12 | Journal, 2004-2007 |
| Box 5, Folder 13 | Daily Journal/Calendar, 2004-2005 |
| Box 5, Folder 14 | Planner, 2005 |
| Box 5, Folder 15 | Daily Journal/Calendar, 2005-2006 |
| Box 5, Folder 16 | Planner, 2006 |
| Box 5, Folder 17 | Calendar/Journal, 2006-2007 |
| Box 5, Folder 18 | Journal, 2006-2011 |
| Box 5, Folder 19 | Planner, 2007 |
| Box 5, Folder 20 | Daily Planner, 2007-2009 |
| Box 5, Folder 21 | Journal, 2008-2009 |
| Box 5, Folder 22 | Journal, 2008-2010 |
| Box 6, Folder 1 | Journal, 2009 |
| Box 6, Folder 2 | Daily Journal/Calendar, 2009-2010 |
| Box 6, Folder 3 | Journal, 2010 |
| Box 6, Folder 4 | Daily Journal/Calendar, 2011-2012 |
| Box 6, Folder 5 | Journal, 2011-2016 |
| Box 6, Folder 6 | Planner, 2012 |
| Box 6, Folder 7 | Daily Journal/Calendar, 2012-2013 |
| Box 6, Folder 8 | Monthly Planner, 2013 |
| Box 6, Folder 9 | Daily Journal/Calendar, 2013-2014 |
| Box 6, Folder 10 | Monthly Planner, 2014 |
| Box 6, Folder 11 | The Sayings of Buddha Daily Journal/Calendar, 2014-2015 |
| Box 6, Folder 12 | Weekly Agenda, 2015 |

| Box 6, Folder 13 | Daily Planner, 2016 |
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| Box 6, Folder 14 | Activities, Ideas, and Money Notebooks, undated |

Series 3: Correspondence, 1966-2017

1.7 Linear feet (Boxes 6-8)

Scope and Contents:

This series consists of both personal and professional correspondence with family, friends, galleries and institutions, and other artists. Of note are letters between Senga Nengudi (then Sue Irons) and her mother while Nengudi was studying in Japan. Other notable correspondents include Maren Hassinger, David Hammons, Jill Crane, and Cheryl Banks.

| Box 6, Folder 15 | A.I.R. Gallery, 1980 |
|-------------------|--|
| Box 6, Folder 16 | Eileen Anderson/Nelson, Alphonso and Maisha Nelson, 1971-1993, 2000-2006 |
| Box 6, Folder 17 | Artists Space, 1993 |
| Box 6, Folder 18 | Maya Aviña, 2000-2012 |
| Box 6, Folder 19 | Cheryl Banks, undated, 1974-1983 |
| Box 6, Folder 20 | Cheryl Banks, 1984-1998 |
| Box 6, Folder 21 | Helen Bell, 1995-1996 |
| Box 6, Folder 22 | Liz Bougatses, 1997 |
| Box 6, Folder 23 | Mary Ellen Burciago, 1991-1995 |
| Box 6, Folder 24 | Ujazi Andrea Calomeé, 1994-2000 |
| Box 6, Folder 25 | Regarding Judge Theresa Cisneros, 2000 |
| Box 6, Folder 26 | City of Los Angeles, 1995, 2004 |
| Box 7, Folder 1 | Colorado Council on the Arts, 1994 |
| Box 7, Folder 2 | Committee for the Visual Arts, Inc., 1974 |
| Box 7, Folder 3 | Corporation for Public Broadcasting, 1990 |
| Box 7, Folder 4-6 | Jill Crane, 1981-2004 |
| Box 7, Folder 7 | Ami and Danny Davis, 1984 |
| Box 7, Folder 8 | Janice/Jan Day, 1983-1999 |
| Box 7, Folder 9 | Stacy Dyson Recommendation Letter for Senga Nengudi, 1994 |
| Box 7, Folder 10 | Linda Evans, 1974-1975 |

| Box 7, Folder 11 | Karen Everhart, 1992 |
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| Box 7, Folder 12 | Family Correspondence, 1966-1995 |
| Box 7, Folder 13 | Lin Fife, 2001, 2006 |
| Box 7, Folder 14 | First Names, 1970-2006 |
| Box 7, Folder 15 | First Names, 1970-1971, 1984-1993, 2001-2006 |
| Box 7, Folder 16 | Ellioutt Fittz, 1985-1991, undated Notes: Also includes a greeting card from Rosetta Harris, Ellioutt's mother. |
| Box 7, Folder 17 | Oji Fittz, 1971, undated |
| Box 7, Folder 18 | Tom Gates, 1988-1994 |
| Box 7, Folder 19 | Henri Ghent, 1971-1978 |
| Box 7, Folder 20 | Geraldine Gorum, 1970, 1997-2004 |
| Box 7, Folder 21 | Alicia Griffin, 1976-1995, 2009 |
| Box 7, Folder 22 | Leslie King Hammond, 1994 |
| Box 7, Folder 23 | David Hammons, 1976, 1989, 2002 Notes: Includes inkjet photographs and photocopies. |
| Box 7, Folder 24 | Maren Hassinger, 1978-2008 |
| Box 7, Folder 25 | Havana Biennial, 1993 |
| Box 7, Folder 26 | Jane Hillberry, 1998, undated |
| Box 7, Folder 27 | Kaoru Hirabayashi, 1997 |
| Box 7, Folder 28 | Elois Irons to Sue Irons/Senga Nengudi, 1966 |
| Box 7, Folder 29 | Elois Irons to Sue Irons/Senga Nengudi, 1967, 1971, 1989 |
| Box 7, Folder 30 | Samuel Irons, 1995, 2007 |
| Box 7, Folder 31 | Sue Irons/Senga Nengudi, 1967-1973, 1990-2017 |
| Box 7, Folder 32 | Sue Irons/Senga Nengudi, Job Inquiries, 1973, 1987, undated |
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| Box 7, Folder 34 | Jackson Family, 1966-1971 |
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| Box 7, Folder 35 | Ulysses Jenkins, 1986, undated |
| Box 7, Folder 36 | Jackie Johnson, 2005 |
| Box 7, Folder 37 | James O. Jones, 1966-1967 |
| Box 7, Folder 38 | James O. Jones, 1972, 1992-1998 |
| Box 7, Folder 39 | Rosemary Kennedy, 1974-1976, 1992-1996 |
| Box 7, Folder 40 | Rosemary Kennedy, 1974-1979, 1993-1999, 2011 |
| Box 7, Folder 41 | Rosemary Kennedy, 1976-2007 |
| Box 8, Folder 1-2 | Nancy Kress, 1989-1998 |
| Box 8, Folder 3 | Joan C. Kleihauer, 1978, 1993-1999 |
| Box 8, Folder 4 | Joseph Lemvo, 1966-1971 |
| Box 8, Folder 5 | Roscoe Lindsey, 1989-1994 |
| Box 8, Folder 6 | Stephen and Courtney Maddox, 1994-2006 |
| Box 8, Folder 7 | Barbara and David McCullough, 1979, circa 1995 |
| Box 8, Folder 8 | Peter Norton and Family, 1994 |
| Box 8, Folder 9 | Enid Odo, circa 1970s-1980s |
| Box 8, Folder 10 | Howardena Pindell, 1977, 1988-1994 |
| Box 8, Folder 11 | Pittman Family, 1984 |
| Box 8, Folder 12 | Jill Rasmussen, 1999, undated |
| Box 8, Folder 13 | Donita Rolle-Jackson, 1991-1992, 1999-2003 |
| Box 8, Folder 14 | Kenneth S., 1976, undated Notes: Possibly Kenneth Severin. |
| Box 8, Folder 15 | Kaylynn TwoTrees, 1993-1997 |
| Box 8, Folder 16 | University Artwork Requests, 1990 |

| Box 8, Folder 17 | University of Colorado System, 2000 |
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| Box 8, Folder 18 | University of Illinois at Chicago, 1997 |
| Box 8, Folder 19 | University of Pennsylvania, Institute of Contemporary Art, 1993 |
| Box 8, Folder 20 | US/Japan Creative Artists' Program, 2000-2001 |
| Box 8, Folder 21 | Richard/Rick Walker, 1986 |
| Box 8, Folder 22 | Washington International School, 1995 |
| Box 8, Folder 23 | Michelle-Lee White, 1994, 2000 |
| Box 8, Folder 24 | Berna Williams, 1991 Notes: Correspondence interspersed with Senga's Overeaters Anonymous notes. |
| Box 8, Folder 25 | Lily Young, 1986 |
| Box 8, Folder 26 | Elvan Zabunyan, 1997-2000 |
| Box 8, Folder 27 | Assorted Correspondence, A, 1966, 1976, 1988-1996 |
| Box 8, Folder 28 | Assorted Correspondence, B, 1971-1999 |
| Box 8, Folder 29 | Assorted Correspondence, C, 1979-1998, 2007 |
| Box 8, Folder 30 | Assorted Correspondence, D, F, 1971, 1986-2005 |
| Box 8, Folder 31 | Assorted Correspondence, G, 1966-1972, 1990-1996, 2007 |
| Box 8, Folder 32 | Assorted Correspondence, H, 1966-1967, 1988, 1996-1997, 2010 |
| Box 8, Folder 33 | Assorted Correspondence, I, 1970, 1978, 1994-1996 |
| Box 8, Folder 34 | Assorted Correspondence, J, 1966-1975, 1995-2005 |
| Box 8, Folder 35 | Assorted Correspondence, K-M, 1966, 1978-1995, 2006, 2017 |
| Box 8, Folder 36 | Assorted Correspondence, N, 1969, 1981-2001 |
| Box 8, Folder 37 | Assorted Correspondence, O-R, 1971-2001, 2017 |
| Box 8, Folder 38 | Assorted Correspondence, S, 1966-2005 |
| Box 8, Folder 39 | Assorted Correspondence, T-Z, 1966-2006, 2014 |

Box 8, Folder 40

Unidentified Correspondence, 1964-1976, 1997-2006

Series 4: Writings, 1964-2010

0.3 Linear feet (Box 8)

Scope and Contents:

This series consists of writings by Senga Nengudi and others. Writings by Nengudi include academic papers, as well as wedding planning notes and artist statements, including one for Propecia Leigh, one of Nengudi's personas. Other writings are by Maren Hassinger, Kellie Jones, Joan Kleihauer,

and others.

Arrangement: Nengudi's writings in this series are arranged chronologically. The writings by others are arranged

alphabetically by author.

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| W | ritings by Senga Nengudi/Sue Irons |
| Box 8, Folder 41 | "Ruth St. Denis: A Biography", 1964 |
| Box 8, Folder 42 | "A Dance Production Layout", 1965 |
| Box 8, Folder 43 | "Evaluations of Dance Compositions", 1965 |
| Box 8, Folder 44 | "Music Analysis" and "A Libretto for Dance", 1965 |
| Box 8, Folder 45 | "A Report on Observation of the Technical Rehearsal of Three Penny Opera", 1965 |
| Box 8, Folder 46 | "The Minoans and Myceneans", 1966 |
| Box 8, Folder 47 | "Sculpture of the Primitive Peoples of the Western Congo and Gabon", 1966 |
| Box 8, Folder 48 | Assorted Statements and Notes, circa 1966-circa 2000s, 2010, undated |
| Box 8, Folder 49 | "Japan and Italy: A Comparative Chronology", 1967 Portions of this folder were not digitized due to condition. |
| Box 8, Folder 50 | "The Garden of Earthly Delights", 1970 |
| Box 8, Folder 51 | Proposal for the Free Art Supply and Information Service for East and West Harlem, 1973 |
| Box 8, Folder 52 | CAPS Grant Statement on Work, circa 1970s |
| Box 8, Folder 53 | Statement of Master's Project, circa 1970s |
| Box 8, Folder 54 | Wedding Planning Notes, circa 1970s |
| Box 8, Folder 55 | Kimbo and Ketata Book Proposal, 1994, 1997 |
| Box 8, Folder 56 | Propecia Leigh Statement, circa 1998 Notes: Includes photograph. |

Series 4: Writings

Senga Nengudi papers

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| Box 8, Folder 57 | Interview Questions, undated |
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| | Writings by Others |
| Box 8, Folder 58 | Assorted Notes and Writings by Maren Hassinger, 1996-1997, 2003-204 |
| Box 8, Folder 59 | Maren Hassinger Notes, "Month Activity Exchange", 2001-2005 |
| Box 8, Folder 60 | Flying and Touching Down: Abstraction, Metaphor, and Social Concern Dissertation Prospectus by Kellie Jones, 1993 |
| Box 8, Folder 61 | Writings by Joan Kleihauer, 1978, 1990 Notes: Includes <i>41 Sketches</i> , <i>Green River Utah Mineral Bottom to Spanish Bottom</i> , and letter. |
| Box 8, Folder 62 | Assorted Writings by Others, 1982-1992, 2010, undated Notes: Includes writings by Maya Aviña, Kae Bell, Maria Clare, Jill Crane, Francine Farr, Jill Nelson, Greg Angaza Pitts, as well as an unidentified sketch/note. |

Series 5: Professional Activities, 1966-2017

1.9 Linear feet (Boxes 8-10, Box 15)

11.24 Gigabytes (ER01-ER06)

Scope and Contents:

Included in the professional activities series are class evaluations and materials related to dance and movement workshops Nengudi taught; gallery files; and files related to exhibitions, projects, and performances. These files may include correspondence, printed material, budget and financial information, contracts and agreements, planning notes, photographic material, and born-digital and audiovisual material. Also included is a dress worn by Maren Hassinger in a performance piece

choreographed by Senga Nengudi.

Arrangement: This series is arranged chronologically. Material related to other artists appears at the end of the

series and is arranged alphabetically by artist.

Box 8, Folder 63 Financial Records, 1966-1998, 2007

> Also includes personal financial information including forms from Notes:

> > California welfare agency and UCA tuition invoices.

| Box 8, Folder 64 | Fine Arts Community Workshop, MacLaren Hall, 1968-1970 |
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| Box 8, Folder 65 | Pasadena Art Museum Workshops, 1970 |
| Box 8, Folder 66 | Creative Artists Public Service Program, 1972-1973 |
| Box 8, Folder 67 | 7 Loaves NEA Project Proposal, 1973 |
| Box 8, Folder 68 | Children's Art Carnival, 1973 Notes: Includes printed material and works of art by students. |
| Box 8, Folder 69 | Other Exhibitions, Projects, and Professional Activities, 1974-2005 |
| Box 9, Folder 1 | Newcomers 1976 Exhibition, Municipal Art Gallery, 1976 |
| Box 9, Folder 2 | Pico Blvd Freeway Proposal, 1977 |
| Box 9, Folder 3 | Exhibition Catalog Material, circa 1977 Notes: References to RSVP X, RSVP XI, Inside/Outside, and Hanging On. Includes Photographs, draft statements, and lists. |
| Box 9, Folder 4 | Brockman Gallery Productions CETA Program, 1977-1978 |
| Box 9, Folder 5 | Just Above Midtown Gallery Records, 1977-1987 |
| Box 14 | Black Beaded Dress, circa 1970s-1980s Notes: Dress worn by Maren Hassinger in a performance choreographed by Senga Nengudi. |
| Box 9, Folder 6 | The Opened Eye/Opened I, Inc., 1980-1983, 1990 |
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| Box 9, Folder 7-8 | Community School, Community Artists Program, 1980-1986 Notes: Includes Community School publications and material related to Go-Cart Art Workshops. |
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| Box 9, Folder 9 | Community School Parents Group, 1985 |
| Box 9, Folder 10 | Afro American Abstraction, The Art Museum Association and Oakland Museum, 1982-1984 |
| Box 9, Folder 11 | The Woman's Building, 1984-1985 |
| Box 9, Folder 12 | Notes and Material Related to Yellow Springs Institute Residency Fellowship, circa 1987 Notes: Materials relate to Senga Nengudi and Vinsula Kara. |
| Box 9, Folder 13 | Coast to Coast: A Woman of Color National Artist's Book Project and Exhibition, 1987-1989 |
| Box 9, Folder 14 | Art as Verb, Maryland Institute College of Art, 1988-1989, 1996 |
| Box 9, Folder 15 | Mouth to Mouth: Conversations on Being — Doublethink/Bulemia Radio Program, 1988-1989 |
| Folder ER01 | Mouth to Mouth: Conversations on Being — Doublethink/Bulemia Radio Program, (1988-1989), Digital Audio Recording, undated 0.2 Gigabytes (1 computer file) |
| Box 9, Folder 17 | Performing Arts for Youth Organization Records, 1990-1993 |
| Box 9, Folder 18 | Sankofa, 1900-1993 |
| Box 9, Folder 19 | Workshop Flyers, Notes, and Related Material, 1991-1994 |
| Box 9, Folder 20 | Video Fest, Colorado Springs Fine Arts Center, 1991-1996 Notes: Event referred to as "Video Fest" on contracts and in correspondence is Whisper! Stomp! Shout! A Salute to African American Performance Art at Colorado Springs Fine Arts Center (1996). |
| Box 9, Folder 21 | Whisper! Stomp! Shout! A Salute to African American Performance Art, Colorado Springs Fine Arts Center, 1996 |
| Box 9, Folder 22 | The Kennedy Center Imagination Celebration, Community Leaders, 1992-1993 |
| Box 9, Folder 23 | New Observations Magazine, 1992-1997 |
| Box 9, Folder 24 | Workshop Ideas and Handouts, 1993, 2005 |
| Box 9, Folder 25 | Singing the Circle: Four Women Creating Themselves, 1994-1997 |

| Box 9, Folder 26 | Singing the Circle: Four Women Creating Themselves Audio and Video Recordings, 1995 1 Videocassettes (VHS) 2 Sound cassettes |
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| Box 9, Folder 27 | Muhlenberg College, 1995-1996 |
| Box 9, Folder 28 | NowHere, Louisiana Museum of Modern Art, Denmark, 1995-1996 |
| Box 15, Folder 1 | Oversize Material Related to NowHere Exhibition, Louisiana Museum of Modern Art, Denmark, 1996 |
| Box 9, Folder 29 | "Senga — Denmark" Recording, 1996 1 Videocassettes (VHS) Notes: "Documented by Barbara McCullough" |
| Box 9, Folder 30 | Thomas Erben Gallery Records, 1995-1997, 2003-2005 |
| Box 9, Folder 31 | Publication Requests, 1996 |
| Box 9, Folder 32 | Banff Centre for the Arts Artist Residency, 1996-1998 |
| Box 9, Folder 33 | Adolph and Esther Gottlieb Foundation, Inc. Grant Application, 1996-1998 |
| Box 9, Folder 34 | Colorado Springs Fine Arts Center, 1996-2001 |
| Box 10, Folder 1 | Not For Sale: Feminism and Art in the USA During the 1970s by Laura Cottingham, 1997-1998 1 Videocassettes (VHS) Notes: Not For Sale: Feminism and Art in the USA During the 1970s by Laura Cottingham, music by Yoko Ono, editing by Sally Sasso and Leslie Singer |
| Box 10, Folder 2 | Out of Actions: Between Performance and the Object, 1949-1979, Museum of Contemporary Art, 1997-1998 |
| Box 10, Folder 3 | Kira Lynn Harris Artist File, 1997-2009 1 Electronic discs (DVD) Includes born-digital material, see ER02. |
| Folder ER02 | Kira Lynn Harris Powerpoint Presentation, 2006 0.096 Gigabytes (1 computer file) |
| Box 10, Folder 4 | Sixteen Pieces, Ifá-Yoruba Contemporary Arts Trust, 1999-2001 |
| Box 10, Folder 5 | 16 Pieces Recording, 2001 |

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| Box 10, Folder 6 | Car Windshield Project/Workshop Material, circa 1990s |
| Box 10, Folder 7 | Bibliographies and Resources, circa 1960s |
| Box 10, Folder 8 | Humanities 317, Art History Course Questionnaires, 2000 |
| Box 10, Folder 9 | Love Supreme, La Criée Centre d'Art Contemporain, 2000-2001 |
| Box 10, Folder 10 | Senga Nengudi, Masing: A Solo/Group Show, Colorado Springs Fine Arts Center, 2000-2002 |
| Box 10, Folder 11 | Material Related to Senga Nengudi and Maren Hassinger Seminar, 2002 |
| Box 10, Folder 12 | Les Soirées Nomades, Fondation Cartier Pour l'Art Contemporain, 2004-2006 |
| Box 10, Folder 13 | Side by Side by Senga Nengudi and Maren Hassinger, Les Soirées Nomades, Fondation Cartier pour l'Art Contemporain, 2006-2007 Includes born-digital material, see ER03. |
| Folder ER03 | Side by Side Paris Performance, Digital Video Recording, 2004 6.78 Gigabytes (2 computer files) |
| Folder ER04 | Senga Nengudi & Maren Hassinger Side by Side for 35 years Digital Video Recording, 2013 3.56 Gigabytes (1 computer file) |
| Box 10, Folder 15 | Acadia Summer Art Program, 2005 |
| Box 10, Folder 16 | Nonverbal Communication in Art Guest Speaker Sheets, 2005 |
| Box 10, Folder 17 | Artist-in-Residence, The Fabric Workshop and Museum, 2005-2007 Includes born-digital material, see ER05. |
| Folder ER05 | "The Threader" by Senga Nengudi, Looping Digital Video Recording, 2010 0.451 Gigabytes (1 computer file) |
| Box 10, Folder 18 | Warp Trance, Pennsylvania Academy of Fine Arts, 2007-2008 Notes: Warp Trance was created in collaboration with the Fabric Museum and Workshop. This file also includes material related to the Second Lives: Remixing the Ordinary (2008-2009) exhibition at the Museum of Art and Design which included Warp Trance. |
| Box 10, Folder 19 | Wack! Art and the Feminist Revolution, Museum of Contemporary Art, 2006-2007 |
| Box 10, Folder 20 | Artist Statement and Related Material in Consideration for the Joyce Alexander Wein Prize, 2007 |

| Box 10, Folder 21 | Pollock-Krasner Foundation Grant Application Material, 2008 |
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| Box 10, Folder 22 | Love Be Love Definitions Project, 2012 |
| Box 10, Folder 23 | A. C. Q., 2017 Notes: Includes inkject photographs of work, notes on installation and deinstallation, and a shipping invoice. |
| Box 10, Folder 24 | Smithsonian American Art Museum, 2017 |
| Box 10, Folder 25 | Material Related to Other Artists, circa 1970s-1990s |
| Box 10, Folder 26 | Material Related to Other Artists, David Hammons, 1974, 1984, 2007 |
| Box 10, Folder 27 | Material Related to Other Artists, Barbara McCullough, circa 2011, undated |
| Box 10, Folder 28 | Material Related to Other Artists, Lawrence D. "Butch" Morris, 1989, 2007 |
| Box 10, Folder 29 | Material Related to Other Artists, Kaylynn Sullivan TwoTrees, 1994-2006 Includes born-digital material, see ER06. |
| Folder ER06 | Portfolio, Kaylynn S. TwoTrees, Digital Photographs, 2000 0.012 Gigabytes (4 computer files) |

Series 6: Printed Material, 1947, 1963-2017

1.4 Linear feet (Boxes 10-12, Box 15)

0.143 Gigabytes (ER07)

Scope and Contents:

This series includes exhibition and event announcements, catalogs, and programs; clippings; flyers and posters; newsletters; magazines; press releases; postcards and collected images; maps; and a variety of published material, including born-digital exhibition catalogue materials.

| Box 10, Folder 30 | An Architectural Expression of the Reorganization of the Solar System, undated |
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| Box 10, Folder 31 | Art International, 1971 Notes: "Notes to the Young Black Artist" by Henri Ghent marked. |
| Box 10, Folder 32 | Artist Themed Coloring Books, 1972-1973 |
| Box 10, Folder 33 | Bad Girls Poems by Jane Hilberry and Nona Lynn Richardson, 1997 |
| Box 10, Folder 34 | "Black Inventors" List, undated |
| Box 11, Folder 1 | Clippings, 1969-1981, 1996-1997, 2003-2005, 2016 |
| Box 11, Folder 2 | Clippings, Art Criticism, circa 1996, 2004-2015 |
| Box 11, Folder 3 | Clippings Regarding Artists, Curators, and Writers of Color, 1963-2015 |
| Box 11, Folder 4 | The Dances of Haiti by Katherine Dunham, 1947 |
| Box 11, Folder 5 | Event and Performance Programs, 1963-2009 Notes: Includes material related to performances by Senga Nengudi and others. |
| Box 11, Folder 6 | Exhibition and Event Announcements and Invitations, 1976-2017 |
| Box 11, Folder 7 | Exhibition and Event Announcements and Invitations, 1976-2017 |
| Box 11, Folder 8 | Exhibition and Event Catalogs, 1962, 1972-1997 |
| Box 11, Folder 9 | Exhibition and Event Catalogs, 2004-2005 |
| Box 11, Folder 10 | Exhibition Catalog Photocopy, The Theater of Refusal: Black Art and Mainstream Criticism, 1993 |
| Box 11, Folder 11 | Flyers and Posters, 1978-1996, 2007 |
| Box 11, Folder 12 | Foundations Research, 2002 |
| Box 11, Folder 13 | Maps, circa 1960s-1970s, circa 1992, undated |

| Box 11, Folder 14 | Newsletters and Brochures, 1962-2004, 2013 |
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| Box 11, Folder 15 | Newsletters and Brochures, 1965-1996, 2017 |
| Box 11, Folder 16 | "Optical Illusions" by Judith Wilson in American Art, 1991 |
| Box 11, Folder 17 | Origami: Japanese Paper Folding by Florence Sakade, 1979 |
| Box 11, Folder 18 | Other Assorted Printed Material, circa 1990s |
| Box 11, Folder 19 | Our Town, 1973 February 16 |
| Box 11, Folder 20 | Postcards and Collected Images, circa 1970s-2000s |
| Box 11, Folder 21 | Press Releases, 1972-2006 |
| Box 11, Folder 22 | Printed Material Related to the African American Performing Arts Festival, 1994 |
| Box 11, Folder 23 | Printed Material Related to Arts International, 1993 |
| Box 11, Folder 24 | Printed Material Related to Children's Unlimited Program, 1982-1983 |
| Box 11, Folder 25 | Printed Material Related to Cinema Remixed and Reloaded: Black Women Artists and the Moving Image Since 1970 Exhibition, Spelman College Museum of Fine Art, 2007-2008 |
| Box 11, Folder 26 | Printed Material Related to The Color Line Exhibition at the Jack Shainman Gallery, 2007 Includes born-digital material, see ER07. |
| Folder ER07 | Digital Material Related to The Color Line Exhibition Catalogue, 2007 0.143 Gigabytes (108 computer files) |
| Box 11, Folder 27 | Printed Material Related to Funding Sources Service, 1973 |
| Box 11, Folder 28 | Printed Material Related to or Sent by Maren Hassinger, 1986-2006 |
| Box 11, Folder 29 | Printed Material Related to Meditation and Wellness, 1985-2006 Notes: Notes interspersed throughout. |
| Box 11, Folder 30 | Printed Material Related to the Museum for African Art, 1997-1998 |
| Box 11, Folder 31 | Printed Material Related to Nikolais and Murray Louis Dance, 1963, 1993 |
| Box 11, Folder 32 | Printed Material Related to Other Individuals, 1969, 1979-2015 Notes: Includes material related to Maya Angelou, Amiri Baraka, Cheryl Banks, Houston Conwill, Maureen Fleming, Linda Goode-Bryant, David Hammons, Maren Hassinger, Ulysses S. Jenkins, Lucy |

| | Lippard, Lawrence "Butch" Morris, John Outterbridge, Franklin Parker, Noah Purifoy, Gerry Riggs, Alison Saar, Bettye Saar, Lowery Stokes Sims, Paul Thaxter, and Floyd Tunson. Also includes interview with Maren Hassinger conducted by Lorraine O'Grady, 1993. |
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| Box 11, Folder 33 | Printed Material Related to Silk and Other Fabrics, 2005, undated Notes: Also includes notes interspersed throughout. |
| Box 11, Folder 34 | Printed Material Related to Songs of My People Exhibition, Organized by the Corcoran Gallery of Art, 1992 |
| Box 12, Folder 1 | Printed Material Related to William A. Maynard, Jr., circa 1974 |
| Box 12, Folder 2 | Realities vs. Spirits by Alicia Johnson, 1969 |
| Box 12, Folder 3 | Rise Magazine, 2000 Notes: In part by Sanza Fittz. |
| Box 12, Folder 4 | "Slave Codes and Liner Notes" by Michele Russell and "Mean Mothers: Independent Women's Blues" by Rosetta Reitz, circa 1980 |
| Box 12, Folder 5 | Sweetheart Zines by Princess Robin, 1994 Notes: Includes numbers 3, 4, and 5. |
| Box 12, Folder 6 | The Waseda Guardian, 1966 |
| Box 12, Folder 7 | What Sound Does a Color Make? by Kathleen Forde, 2005 |
| Box 15, Folder 2 | Oversized Clippings, Flyers and Posters (circa 1986, 2011), and Unidentified Zine (circa 1975), circa 1975-2014 Notes: Zine includes poetry, artwork, and photocopy of Senga Nengudi diary entry. |

Series 7: Scrapbook

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Series 7: Scrapbook, 1974-1976

1 Folder (Box 15)

Scope and Contents:

The scrapbook in this collection includes photographs of Senga Nengudi and her artwork, as well as a newspaper clipping, performance program, and flyer. Also included is a CAPS grant statement on work and handwritten receipt for the sale of one of her works of art.

Box 15, Folder 3

Scrapbook, 1974-1976

Series 8: Photographic Material, circa 1962-2007

0.1 Linear feet (Box 12, Box 15)

Scope and Contents: The photographic material series includes photographs, negatives, and snapshots depicting Senga Nengudi, other individuals, and works of art.

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| Box 12, Folder 8 | Photographs of Other Individuals, Locations, and Works of Art, circa 1962-1979, circa 1994 Notes: Also includes two transparencies and a slide of a work of art from David Hammons' <i>Pocket Art Show</i> . |
| Box 12, Folder 9 | Photographs and Snapshots of Sue Irons/Senga Nengudi and Others in Japan, 1966-1967 |
| Box 12, Folder 10 | Photographs and Negatives of Senga Nengudi, Other Artists, and Children Working on Mural at Watts Towers Arts Center, circa 1970 |
| Box 12, Folder 11 | Photographs and Contact Sheets of Works of Art, 1972, 1982 Notes: Includes a contact sheet of photographs of a performance piece. |
| Box 12, Folder 12 | Contact Sheet of Senga Nengudi Portraits for Contextures Book, 1978 Notes: Includes draft invitation to publication celebration. |
| Box 12, Folder 13 | Photographs of Chuck Davis, circa 1970s |
| Box 12, Folder 14 | Photographs of Senga Nengudi and Works of Art, circa 1970s |
| Box 12, Folder 15 | Photographs of Works in Paper, Twigs + String by Kazuko at A.I.R. Gallery, 1980 |
| Box 12, Folder 16 | Photographs and Negatives of Senga Nengudi, circa 1970s, circa 1990s Notes: Also includes photocopy image of Senga Nengudi and Maren Hassinger in performance piece. |
| Box 12, Folder 17 | Snapshots of Moment to Moment Exhibition of Works on Paper by Senga Nengudi and Maren Hassinger, 2000 |
| Box 12, Folder 18 | Photographs of Works of Art, Hands, 2001 |
| Box 12, Folder 19 | Snapshots of Maren Hassinger's Studio at MICA, 2002 |
| Box 12, Folder 20 | Inkjet Prints of Visit to Scalamandré Trimming Facility, circa 2007 |
| Box 12, Folder 48 | Photograph of Work of Art, undated |
| Box 15, Folder 4 | Oversize Contact Sheets of Images of Grand Central Station, undated |

Notes: Includes one piece of correspondence.

Series 9: Artwork, circa 1960s-2004, 2014, undated

0.5 Linear feet (Box 12, Box 15)

Scope and Artwork includes a "Textile Design" book, sketchbooks, sketches, and leather artwork by Senga Contents: Nengudi, as well as works of art by others.

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| Box 12, Folder 21 | Textile Design Book, circa 1960 Notes: Includes information about textiles, original illustrations, collages, and textile swatches. |
| Box 12, Folder 22 | Sketchbook, 1976 |
| Box 12, Folder 23 | Sketches, 1977 Notes: Includes two photocopies of other works and an invoice for photographic services. |
| Box 12, Folder 24 | Baby Book, circa 1970s |
| Box 12, Folder 25 | RSVP I Sketches, circa 1970s, 1997 Notes: Includes inkjet photographs with notes and <i>The Unseen, Inside Out: The Life and Art of Senga Nengudi</i> by O. Donald Odita with edits. |
| Box 12, Folder 26 | Oversize Photocopies of Preliminary Sketch, circa 1980 |
| Box 12, Folder 27 | Martin Luther King, Jr. Collages, 1984 |
| Box 12, Folder 28 | Food for Thought for a New Decade by May Sun, 1990 |
| Box 12, Folder 29 | Sketchbook, circa 1993 Notes: Includes one journal entry at back. |
| Box 12, Folder 30 | Sketchbook, 1996 Notes: Includes poetry, journal entries, and other writing. |
| Box 12, Folder 31 | Assorted Sketches, 2000, undated |
| Box 12, Folder 32 | "Doodles from Betty", 2001 |
| Box 12, Folder 33 | Maren Hassinger Black History Month Collages, 2001 |
| Box 12, Folder 34 | Works of Art by Maya Aviña, 2001 |
| Box 15, Folder 4 | Oversize Works of Art by Maya Aviña, 2001 |
| Box 12, Folder 35 | "30 Day Exercise, Me and Maren", 2003-2004 Notes: Includes notes, sketches, thumbnail images, and collage material. |

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| Box 12, Folder 36 | Sketches by Nancy Kress, circa 2014 |
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| Box 12, Folder 37 | Collages by David Hammons, undated |
| Box 12, Folder 38 | Leather Artwork, undated |
| Box 12, Folder 39 | Metal Plates, undated |
| Box 12, Folder 40 | Other Assorted Artwork, undated |
| Box 12, Folder 41 | Portraits, undated |
| Box 12, Folder 42 | Sketchbook, undated |
| Box 12, Folder 43 | White Cube Gallery Prints, undated |

Series 10: Sound and Video Recordings, circa 1974-1998

0.4 Linear feet (Boxes 12-13)

Scope and Contents:

This series includes sound and video recordings featuring Senga Nengudi and others including Sun Ra, Barbara McCullough, Maren Hassinger, and Butch Morris. Recordings may include

performances, as well as home video or candid recordings.

Box 12, Folder 44

Sun Ra Recordings, circa 1973-1979

1 Videocassettes (VHS)

2 Sound cassettes

Notes:

Includes video recording of Space is the Place and sound recordings of Space is the Place, Sun Ra in Egypt, Pathways to Unknown Worlds, What Planet is This, Neptune, Over the Rainbow, If You Came from Nowhere, and Sleeping Beauty.

In regards to the Sun is the Place VHS, two cuts exist of the film. The first, sometimes referred to as "Sun Ra's edit" is abridged to 64 minutes; for decades following its limited initial release, Space is the Place could only be found on VHS in this form. The second, uncut version runs 82 minutes, and was made available for the first time in 2003. The VHS copy in the Senga Nengudi papers is the first edit

with a total run time of 65 minutes.

Box 12, Folder 45

Shopping Bag Spirits and Other Video Works by Barbara McCullough, circa

1979-1980

2 Videocassettes (VHS)

Notes: VHS 1 is labeled "Shopping Bag Spirits"

VHS 2 is labeled "Shopping Bag Spirits, Fragments, World Saxophone Quartet, and Water Ritual works by Barbara McCullough"

Box 12, Folder 46

Assorted Performance and Home Video Recordings, circa 1985-1987

1 Videocassettes (VHS) ("Senga's Home Video")

3 Sound cassettes ("Nature's Way 6-1986/Dance Caro,"and "Me and Kids 3-1986" are on the same cassette-different sides, "Carnival" and "Maren in LA 6-1987")

Notes:

Includes *Carnival* featuring Barbara McCullough, Senga Nengudi, Jill Crane, Kenneth Severin, and Jill Crane; "Maren in LA;" "Me and Kids;"

Nature's Way/Dnace Caro; and "Senga's Home Video."

Box 12, Folder 47

Butch Morris Performance Recordings, 1986

1 Sound cassette

Notes: Includes "Butch Morris L.A. Loft/Butch's Performance."

Box 13, Folder 1

Senga Nengudi Performance Recording and "Senga and Maren", 1998-2000

1 Videocassettes (VHS)

1 Sound cassette

Notes:

Includes "Senga Nengudi November 1998" and "Senga and Maren,

July 2000."

Box 13, Folder 2

Unidentified Video Recording, circa 1990s

1 Videocassettes (VHS)

Notes: Shows elementary school classroom and part of a feature film.