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Manuel Neri papers

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## Collection Overview

<b>Repository:</b>	Archives of American Art
<b>Title:</b>	Manuel Neri papers
<b>Identifier:</b>	AAA.nerimanu
<b>Date:</b>	1940-1980
<b>Creator:</b>	Neri, Manuel, 1930-
<b>Extent:</b>	300 Items (on 3 microfilm reels)
<b>Language:</b>	English .

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## Administrative Information

### Acquisition Information

Material on reels 2290 & 2291 lent for microfilming by Neri through his agent, Anne Kohs, 1982. Material on reel 3161 was donated by Neri, 1977.

### Location of Originals

Reels 2290 & 2291: Originals returned to the lender, Manuel Neri through his agent, Anne Kohs, after microfilming.

### Available Formats

35mm microfilm reels 2290, 2291 and 3161 available for use at Archives of American Art offices and through interlibrary loan.

### Restrictions

Use of original papers requires an appointment and is limited to the Archives' Washington, D.C., Research Center. Microfilmed materials must be consulted on microfilm. Contact Reference Services for more information.

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## Biographical / Historical

Sculptor; Benecia, California.

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## Scope and Contents

Correspondence, printed material, photographs, sketches, notes and financial material.

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REELS 2290-2291: Biographical material; personal and business correspondence; bills, receipts and other financial material; 2 sketches; teaching notes; a grant proposal for "Sculpture Materials in their Environment";

printed material, minutes and reports on the Benecia Art Center in Benecia, California; 32 postcards collected by Neri; and photographs of Neri, his friends, family, models and sculpture.

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## Scope and Contents

REEL 3161: Two exhibition announcements for shows at the Six Gallery in San Francisco.

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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:

Latino and Latin American artists  
Sculpture, Modern -- 20th century -- California -- San Francisco

Occupations:

Sculptors -- California