A Finding Aid to the Parish Gallery records, 1940-2013, bulk 1991-2013, in the Archives of American Art

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Collection Overview

Repository: Archives of American Art
Title: Parish Gallery records
Identifier: AAA.parigall
Date: 1940-2013
(bulk 1991-2013)
Extent: 6.4 Linear feet
11.73 Gigabytes
Creator: Parish Gallery
Language: The collection is in English.
Summary: The records of Parish Gallery, located in Washington, D.C., measure 6.4 linear feet and 11.73 gigabytes and date from 1940 to 2013, with the bulk of the collection dating from 1991 to 2013. This collection consists primarily of exhibition files, but also includes administrative files, as well as some biographical material related to Norman Parish's career before opening the gallery.

Administrative Information

Acquisition Information
The Parish Gallery records were donated in 2016 by Gwen Parish, Norman Parish's widow.

Available Formats
The bulk of the collection was digitized in 2017 and is available on the Archives of American Art website. Materials which have not been scanned include blank pages, blank versos of photographs, and duplicates. In some cases, exhibition catalogs and other publications have had their covers, title pages, and relevant pages scanned. Access copies of born-digital records are not online and are available at the Archives of American Art offices.

Processing Information
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Biographical / Historical

Parish Gallery (established 1991-closed 2013) was a gallery in Washington, D.C. Founded by artist Norman Parish (1937-2013), the gallery was known for exhibiting artwork by African American and international artists. Parish's wife Gwen co-managed the gallery from the beginning until it closed its doors. Over the course of its 22 year history, Parish gallery exhibited the works of over 170 artists from Ghana, Nigeria, Morocco, France, Spain, Greece, and many other countries. In articles and interviews, Parish underscored the gallery's dedication to showing the works of underrepresented artists of all backgrounds, though the primary focus was the members of the African diaspora, and help them promote their work.

Norman Parish was born in New Orleans in 1937 and grew up in Chicago. He graduated from the Art Institute of Chicago in 1960 and contributed to the Wall of Respect in 1967. He was a painter and was in several exhibitions. In 1988 Parish moved to Washington, D.C., and he opened Parish Gallery in Georgetown in 1991, making it one of the few galleries owned by an African American at the time. The gallery quickly grew in prominence over the years highlighting the works of major artists such as Wadsworth Jarrell, Herbert Gentry, and E. J. Montgomery, as well as artists from the United States and abroad. The final exhibition at the gallery was entitled Norman Parish: The Artist in 2013. Parish passed away that same year.

Scope and Contents

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Exhibition files include printed materials, photographic material, correspondence, loan agreements, born digital material, and other materials related to exhibitions held at Parish Gallery. In some cases exhibition files serve as artist files as well, with additional materials related to artists' work. Notable artists included within these files are Wadsworth A. Jarrell, Oggi Ogburn, Evangeline J. (E. J.) Montgomery, Bruce McNeil, Sandi Ritchie Miller, Marilyn Horrom, Samella Lewis, Herbert Gentry, and Tayo Adenaike.
Administrative files include materials related to Galleries 1054, where Parish Gallery was located; as well as a proposal from Black Artists of DC; correspondence; and clippings.

Norman Parish biographical material includes documents related to Norman Parish's art career and honors and awards he received.

Arrangement

The collection is arranged in three series.

- Series 1: Exhibition Files, 1940-1944, 1971-2013, bulk 1991-2013 (Boxes 1-6, OV 8-9, ER01-ER20; 5.9 linear feet)
- Series 2: Administrative Files, 1991-2013 (Box 6; 0.3 linear feet)
- Series 3: Norman Parish Biographical Material, 1970-2013 (Box 7, ER21; 0.2 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 artists
- Art galleries, Commercial -- Washington (D.C.)

Types of Materials:
- Photographs

Names:
- Adenaike, Tayo
- Gentry, Herbert, 1919-2003
- Horrom, Marilyn
- Jarrell, Wadsworth, 1929-
- Lewis, Samella S.
- McNeil, Bruce
- Miller, Sandi Ritchie
- Montgomery, Evangeline J.
- Ogburn, David, 1942-
- Parish, Norman, 1937-2013

Occupations:
- Gallery owners -- Washington (D.C.)
- Painters -- Washington (D.C.)
Container Listing

Series 1: Exhibition Files, 1940-1944, 1971-2013

5.9 Linear feet (Boxes 1-6, OV 8-9)
11.71 Gigabytes (ER01-ER20)

Exhibition files include printed materials, artist resumes and biographies, price lists, artist-dealer contracts, photographic material, correspondence, loan agreements, and other materials related to exhibitions held at Parish Gallery. In some cases exhibition files serve as artist files as well, with additional materials related to artists’ work. Many files also include digital images of artwork, installations, and exhibition openings.

Researchers should note that many artists showed at Parish Gallery on multiple occasions. These artists have files for every exhibition. Additionally, some files in this series sustained water damage prior to their arrival at the Archives.

This series is arranged chronologically by exhibition. A file of materials related to other exhibitions can be found at the end of the series.

The bulk of this series has been digitized. Materials which have not been digitized include blank pages, blank versos of photographs, and duplicates. In some cases, exhibition catalogs and other publications have had their covers, title pages, and relevant pages digitized.

Box 1, Folder 1  Parish Gallery Grand Opening Exhibition (1991), 1991-1992
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Box 1, Folder 2  Patience Nelson-Cole—Ughelli (1991), 1991
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Box 1, Folder 3  A Visual Interpretation of Vocalist Lou Rawls (1991), 1991
Image(s)

Box 1, Folder 4  Wendell Poindexter—Figurative Works (1991), 1991
Image(s)

Box 1, Folder 5  Alemayehou Gabremedhin—Innermost, True Feelings (1992), 1992
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Box 1, Folder 6  Exhibition of Works by Assane N'Doye (1992), 1991-1993
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Box 1, Folder 8  Colombian Artists (1992), 1984, 1992-1993
Box 1, Folder 9  Cecil Cooper, Kofi Kayiga, Bryan McFarlane— Jamaican Artists (1992), 1985-1992
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Box OV 8, Folder 1  Kofi Kayiga Poster, 1985
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     Image(s)
     Oversized clipping housed in OV 8, Folder 2.

Box OV 8, Folder 2  Naza McFarren Clipping, 1992
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Box 1, Folder 12  Exhibition of Works by Nikolai Alexiev (1992), 1992
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Box 1, Folder 14  Tim Davis— Recent Graphite Works on Paper (1993), 1992-1993
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Box 1, Folder 16  Michael Chambers— Embracing the Clouds (1993), 1993
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Box 1, Folder 17  Exhibition of Paintings by Sidney Schenck (1993), 1982-1987, 1992-1993
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     Image(s)
     Oversized clippings housed in OV 8, Folder 3.

Box OV 8, Folder 3  Wadsworth A. Jarrell Clippings, 1972-1979

Image(s)
Oversized poster housed in OV 8, Folder 4.

Box OV 8, Folder 4  Adão Pinheiro Poster, 1993

Image(s)

Box 1, Folder 20  Estella Gullatt—*Native Loves* (1993), 1993-1995

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Box 1, Folder 21  Bodil Meleney—*Once Upon a Time There Was Fantasy Furniture by Bodil* (1993), 1992-1996

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Box 1, Folder 22  *Haiti Hues* (1993), 1993-1994, 1999

Image(s)


Image(s)

Box 1, Folder 24  *The Chicago Connection* (1993), 1993

Image(s)

This group exhibition includes works of art by Estella Gullatt, Murry DePillars, Jose Williams, Wadsworth Jarrell, Keith Morrison, Hughie Lee Smith, Phyllis Thompson, Orisegun Bennett' Olomindum, Ausbra Ford, Jeff Donaldson, Frank Smith, and Norman Parish.


Image(s)

Box 1, Folder 26  Exhibition of Paintings by Elena Maza (1994), 1993-1994

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Box 1, Folder 27  Exhibition of Works from the Brandywine Workshop (1994), 1993-1994

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Box 1, Folder 28  Exhibition of Paintings by Wosene Kosrof (1994), 1987-1994

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This group show was curated by Camellia A. Blackwell, PhD, of the International Center for Artistic Development (ICAD). It includes works by Askar Yesenbayev,
Erkin Mergenov, Tokbolat Togizbayev, Adbrahsid Sydyghanov, and Uristanbek Shigaev.

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Box 1, Folder 33  *Hues and Blues* (1994), 1994
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Oversized poster housed in OV 8, Folder 5.

Box OV 8, Folder 5  *Hues and Blues* Poster, 1994
*Image(s)*

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Box 1, Folder 35  Alemayehou Gabremedhin— *Ethiopian Heritage* (1994), 1994
*Image(s)*

*Image(s)*

Box 1, Folder 37  *Ghanaian Art* (1995), 1994-1995
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This group show includes paintings by four Ghanaian artists: Tafa Fiagzigbe, Sami Bentil, Ablade Glover, and Edinam Wisdom Kudowor.

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Box 2, Folder 1  Exhibition of Works by Peter Wayne Lewis (1995), 1990-1998


Box 2, Folder 5  Barbara Tyson Mosley—The Lost Nation Series (1995), 1994-1995

Box 2, Folder 6  Alex Bay—Canaletto’s House (1995), 1995


Box 2, Folder 9  Exhibition of Works by Pamela Wattenberg Green (1996), 1995-1996

Box 2, Folder 10  Brandywine Workshop—Recent Fine Arts Prints (1996), 1995-1996

Box 2, Folder 11  Exhibition of Works by Floyd Roberts (1996), 1990-1998


Box 2, Folder 13  Elizabeth Byrd—Gray Matters (1996), 1996

Box 2, Folder 14  Kathryn Henneberry—Recent Paintings (1996), 1996

Box 2, Folder 15  Norman Parish—Recent Paintings, Fifth Anniversary (1996), 1996


Box 2, Folder 19  Exhibition of Works by Wadsworth A. Jarrell (1996), 1996

Box 2, Folder 20  Exhibition of Works by Jennifer Jarrell (1996), 1996


Box 2, Folder 22  Exhibition of Works by Dorothy Hawkings (1997), 1997


Box 2, Folder 24  Exhibition of Works by Jenne Glover (1997), 1997


Box 2, Folder 26  Works by Allen Stringfellow (1997), 1997

Box 2, Folder 27  Antonio Carreño— *Endless Theory Beyond the Perception* (1997), 1997


Box 2, Folder 30  
Exhibition of Works by Suzanna Bryan Singer and Di Bagley Stovall (1997), 1997

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Box 2, Folder 32  

Box 2, Folder 33  

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Box 2, Folder 36  

This exhibition includes works by James A. Porter, as well as works by other prominent artists from his collection. Artists represented in this exhibition include Camille Billops, Elizabeth Catlett, Richard Dempsey, Prefete Duffault, Alice Gafford, Carmelo Gonzalez, Hughie Lee-Smith, Samella Lewis, Lloyd McNeil, Charles Mungolo, Joseph Pielage, Petion Savain, Ruth Waddy, Cecilia Washington, James Lesene Wells, and Charles White.

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Oversized clippings are housed in OV 9, Folder 1.

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Exhibition of Works by Deanna Schwartzberg (1998), 1998

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*School of the Art Institute of Chicago Mid-Atlantic Alumni Show* (1998), 1998-1999

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Box 3, Folder 7  

Group exhibition including works by Samella Lewis, EJ Montgomery, Wadsworth A. Jarrell, Peter Wayne Lewis, Bruce McNeil, Oggi Ogburn, George Hunt, and Antonio Carreño.

Box 3, Folder 8  

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Box 3, Folder 10  
This was an exhibition of 100 photographs commemorating Duke Ellington's 100th birthday. Photographers included in the exhibition are Ted Williams, Jim Taylor, Jeff Lowenthal, Ted Gray, Jay Maisel, David Zingg, and Jerry Yulsman.

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Box 3, Folder 12

Box 3, Folder 13

Box 3, Folder 14
Exhibition of Works by Marilyn Horrom (1999), 1998-1999

Box 3, Folder 15
Exhibition of Works by Floyd Coleman (1999), 1999

Box 3, Folder 16
Exhibition of Works by Naza McFarren (1999), 1995-1999

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Deanna Schwartzberg—*water born*(2000), 2000

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Todd Williams—*On the Wall*(2000), 2000

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Pamela Wattenberg Green—*Recent Paintings*(2000), 2000

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Box 3, Folder 26  
*abstract expressions* Group Show (2000), 2000

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Exhibition of Works by Sandi Ritchie Miller (2000), 2000

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Box 3, Folder 31  
*Traditional/Contemporary African Art*(2001), 2001

This group exhibition includes works of art by Kamani, Masamba Zephirin, Chinedu Agbodike, Tola Wewe, Msimba May, Pili-Pili, Kuku, Olu Amoda, Kazadi, and Ishola Joshua Akande.

Box 3, Folder 32  
Cathy Marolt Conn—*PantyPrints*(2001), 2001

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Kathryn Henneberry—*Recent Work* (2002), 2002
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Box 4, Folder 10 Exhibition of Works by Daniel Stuelpnagel (2003), 2002-2003
  Image(s)

Box 4, Folder 11 Exhibition of Works by Liani Foster (2003), 2001-2003
  Image(s)

  Image(s)
  Thies group show includes works by Sani Bashir, Walter Neal, Nature L. Makala Nehemias, Raquel Partnoy, Kathleen Varnell, Victor Ekpuk, Roberto Morassi, Mukasa, Kizito, Fatima, and Antonio Carreño.

Box 4, Folder 13 Exhibition of Works by Danny Simmons (2003), 2002-2003, 2006
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Box 4, Folder 15 Exhibition of Works by Herbert Gentry (2003), 2000-2005
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Box 4, Folder 27  Exhibition of Works by Miguel van Esso (2004), 2002-2004
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Box 4, Folder 29  Exhibition of Works by David Boothman and Donnette A. Cooper (2004), 2004
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Folder ER06  Exhibition of Works by David Boothman and Donnette A. Cooper (2004), Digital
Images of Artwork and Profile by David Boothman, 2004
0.006 Gigabytes (15 computer files)

Box 4, Folder 30  Exhibition of Works by Yvette Watson (2004), 2003-2004
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Box 4, Folder 31  Exhibition of Works by Elizabeth Wold (2004), 2004
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Box 4, Folder 32  Darnella Davis and Phoebe Farris—Native Color (2004), 2002, 2004
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Box 4, Folder 33  Exhibition of Works by Sandi Ritchie Miller (2004), 2004
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Box 4, Folder 34  Exhibition of Works by Sani Bashir (2004), 2004
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Box 4, Folder 35  Exhibition of Works by Antonio Carreño (2004-2005), 2004-2005
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Box 4, Folder 38  Exhibition of Works by Lilya Dear (2005), 1998, 2003-2005
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This exhibition is the 10th anniversary of the artist's shows on the theme The
Voyage of Marco Polo and The Silk Road.

Oversized poster housed in OV 9, Folder 2.
Box OV 9, Folder 2  Lilya Dear Poster, 2005
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Box 4, Folder 39  Percy Martin— *Dreams From a Bushman's Diary* (2005), 2004-2005
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Image(s)

Box 4, Folder 41  Kathleen Varnell— *Wounded* (2005), 2005
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Box 5, Folder 1  Exhibition of Works by Alex Bay (2005), 2004-2005, 2011
Image(s)

Box 5, Folder 2  Kathryn Stedham— *Meditations* (2005), 2003-2005
Image(s)

Image(s)

Box 5, Folder 4  Tesfaye Tessema— *Addis Heights* (2005), 2005
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Box 5, Folder 5  Sheila Crider— *Construction Work 2005* (2005), 2004-2005
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Image(s)
This group show was the first in a series of six exhibitions held in 2006 commemorating Parish Gallery's 15th year. Included in this exhibition are works by Floyd Coleman, Victor Ekpuk, Ron Flemmings, Liani Foster, Naza McFarren, Roberto Morassi, Deanna Schwartzberg, Stephanie Parrish Taylor, and Yvette Watson.

Includes born-digital records, see ER07.

Folder ER07  *ONE of FIFTEEN* (2005-2006), Digital Images of Exhibition, 2005
0.064 Gigabytes (87 computer files)

Box 5, Folder 7  *TWO of FIFTEEN* (2006), 2005-2006
Image(s)
This group show is the second in a series of six exhibitions held in 2006 commemorating Parish Gallery's 15th year. Included in this exhibition are works by Llewellyn Berry, Phoebe Farris, Henry Ferrand, Roy Lewis, Harlee Little, Askia Muhammad, Bruce McNeil, Curtis Nelson, Oggi Ogburn, and Deb Willis.
This group show is the third in a series of six exhibitions held in 2006 commemorating Parish Gallery's 15th year. Included in this exhibition are works by Tayo Adenaike, Alex Bay, Gary Bellamy, Erol Catal, Sheila Crider, Darnella Davis, Lilya Dear, Louis Delarse, Pamela Green, Jennifer Jarrell, Percy Martin, Vitali Miagkov, Tesfaye Tessema, Todd Williams, Elizabeth Wold, and Katerina Zakas.

This group show is fourth in a series of six exhibitions held in 2006 commemorating Parish Gallery's 15th year. Included in this exhibition are works by Antonio Carreño, Helen Elliott, Alemayehou Gebremedhin, Cynthia Farrell Johnson, Harriet Lesser, Michael Piechocinski, Wendy Plotkin-Mates, Michael Platt, Sandi Ritchie Miller, Floyd Roberts, Daniel Stuelpnagel, Patricia Underwood, Miguel Van Esso, Shirley Woodson, and Kenneth Young.

This group show is fifth in a series of six exhibitions held in 2006 commemorating Parish Gallery's 15th year. Included in this exhibition are works by Sani Bashir, David Boothman, Cathy Conn, Bob Freimark, Estella Gullant, Mansoor Hassan, Marilyn Horrom, Devabil Kara, Joanne Kent, Peter Wayne Lewis, Bryan McFarlane, Lloyd McNeil, Lorenzo Pace, Raquel Partnoy, Adão Pinheiro, Danny Simmons, Kathryn Stedham, and Kathleen Varnell.


Oversized catalog housed in OV 9, Folder 3.


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Box 5, Folder 14  Sylvia Snowden— *Venus of M Street* (2006), 2006
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Box 5, Folder 19  Werner Kohn— *Blues In My Eyes* (2006-2007), 2006
  Image(s)
  Image(s)
Box 5, Folder 21  Hamid Kachmar— *Transculturality; in Wool, Wood and Words* (2007),
  2006-2008
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Box 5, Folder 22  Shirley Woodson— *Recent Works* (2007), 2007
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Folder ER09  Ray Grist and Keren Coxe— *Recent Works* (2007), Ray Grist "What Is a
  Painting" Transcript of Lecture at Cooper Union, Digital Document, 2004
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  Presentation at Deutsche Bank, Digital Document, 2009
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Box 5, Folder 24  Lilian Thomas Burwell— *Paintings and Paintings as Sculpture* (2007), 2007
  Image(s)
Box 5, Folder 25  Maria-Lana Queen— *Painted Diary II* (2007), 2005-2007
This file includes some materials related to the *Painted Diary* exhibit at Market 5 Gallery at Eastern Market, 2005.

**Box 5, Folder 26**  Papisco Kudzi— *Recent Works* (2007), 2007

**Box 5, Folder 27**  Sylvia Snowden— *Flowers* (2007), 2006-2008

**Box 5, Folder 28**  Todd Williams— *Compositions* (2007), 2007

**Box 5, Folder 29**  Exhibition of Works by Rackie Diankha Diallo (2007), 2007

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**Box 5, Folder 31**  *Emotions* Group Photography Exhibition (2008), 2006-2008

Included in this juried photographic exhibition are works by Irene Abdou, Llewellyn Berry, Carmen de Jesus, Phoebe Farris, Henry Ferrand, Sonny Mason, Bruce McNeil, Askia Muhammad, Curtis Nelson, Oggi Ogburn, and Fernando Sandoval.

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**Box 5, Folder 33**  *Changamiré’s International CD Art Competition* (2008), 2005-2008

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**Folder ER11**  *Changamiré’s International CD Art Competition* (2008), Digital Documents and Images of Gala Spivak Art, circa 2008

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**Folder ER12**  *Changamiré’s International CD Art Competition* (2008), Digital Documents and Images of Laurie Mertens Art, 2007

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**Folder ER13**  *Changamiré’s International CD Art Competition* (2008), Digital Images of Nathaniel Hester Art, 2005
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Changamiré’s International CD Art Competition (2008), Digital Images of Sonia Gil Art, circa 2008  
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Box 5, Folder 34  
Sharon Geraci—Exploration in Cultural Phenomena (2008), 2008  
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Exhibition of Works by Catherine Zakas (2008), 2008  
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This exhibition includes works by Herbert Gentry, Mary Ann Rose, Hamed Abdalla, Romare Bearden, Alexander (Skunder) Boghossian, Nanette Carter, Edward Clark, Beauford Delaney, Joseph Delaney, Robin Holder, Bill Hutson, Clifford Jackson, Lois Mailou Jones, Wilfredo Lam, Al Loving, Richard Mayhew, Sam Middleton, Toni Parks, Vicenti Pimentel, Larry Potter, Rachelle Puryear, Uro Svenson, Vincent D. Smith, and Walter Williams.

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Exhibition of Works by Perci Chester and Barbara Delany (2008), 2005-2008  
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More Than You Know, Foto Week DC Exhibit (2008), 2008
Included in this exhibition are works by Irene Abdou, Ronald Beverly, Pradeep Dalal, Harlee Little, Sonnie Mason, Bruce McNeil, Aida Muluneh, Chinaedu Nwadibia, Stan Squirewell, and Zoma Wallace.

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Bruce McNeil— *Between Latitudes* (2009), 2009

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Robin Holder— *Rhythm, Movement, and Change* (2009), 2009

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*Masters for the First Family* (2009), 2009


Box 6, Folder 8  
Robert E. Paige— *Paige One* (2009), 2009

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Box 6, Folder 10  
Washington DC Chapter of the National Conference of Artists— *Celebrating 50 Years of Artists and Art* (2009), 2008-2009

This exhibition includes works by Ana Marie Allen, Kwanbena Ampofo-Anti, Gloria A. Bradley, Daniel T. Brookings, Dr. Floyd Coleman, Dr. David C. Driskell, Sandra M. Epps, Claudia "Aziza" Gibson-Hunter, Margo Humphrey, Larry B. Joseph, GLoria B. Kirk, Serinity Knight, Roy Lewis, Evangeline J. (E. J.) Montgomery, F. Magruder Murray, Bruce McNeil, Norman Parish, Donté Graves-

Box 6, Folder 11  Joanne Kent—*Basso Continuo* (2009), 2009 Image(s)

Box 6, Folder 12  Willard Wigan—*Art in the Eye of the Needle* (2009-2010), 2009-2010 Image(s)

Box 6, Folder 13  Exhibition of Works by Margaret Taylor Burroughs (2010), 1995-2000, 2005-2011 Image(s)

Box 6, Folder 14  Cynthia Farrell Johnson—*Many Thousand Gone: Songs of My Father* (2010), 2007, 2010 Image(s)

Box 6, Folder 15  Michelle Singletary and Michael Singletary—*Music, Dance, and Michael Jackson* (2010), 1986-1990, 2009-2010 Image(s)

Box 6, Folder 16  Angela Iovino—*Atmospheric Paintings* (2010), 2010 Image(s)

Box 6, Folder 17  Robert Freeman—*When the Music Changes* (2010), 1997, 2005-2010 Image(s)

Box 6, Folder 18  Tayo Adenaike—*Faces and Emotions* (2010), 2010 Image(s)

Box 6, Folder 19  *2010 Gallery Group Show* (2010), 2010 Image(s)

Box 6, Folder 20  Georges M'Bourou and Norman Parish—*Bridge* (2010), 2002-2010 Image(s)

Box 6, Folder 21  Harriet Lesser and Cleve Overton—*Under Surveillance* (2010), 2006-2010 Image(s)


Box 6, Folder 23  Ari Post—*Place Names* (2010), 2010 Image(s)

Box 6, Folder 24  Nurieh Mozaffari—*Touch of Love* (2010-2011), 2010-2012
Box 6, Folder 25  
Anacostia River School of Photography— Revealing the Treasures of the East (2011), 2010-2011  
This group exhibition includes works by Zandra Chestnut, Melanin Douglass, David Harris, James Holiday, Bruce McNeil, and Marlon Norman.

Box 6, Folder 26  

Box 6, Folder 27  

Box 6, Folder 28  

Box 6, Folder 29  
This is a group exhibition of works by five artists from the Visual Arts Faculty of the Duke Ellington School of the Arts. The artists included in the exhibition are Melchus Davis, Mike Easton, Bill Harris, Rod Little, and Jacqueline Maggi.

Box 6, Folder 30  

Folder ER16  
Living Embodiments: Artistic Expressions of Being, Twentieth Anniversary Exhibit (2011), Digital Images of 1st Anniversary Show and 20th Anniversary Show, 2005  
0.003 Gigabytes (5 computer files)

Box 6, Folder 31  

Box 6, Folder 32  

Box 6, Folder 33  

Box 6, Folder 34  
Percy Martin— Bushmen Dreams (2011), 2010-2011

Box 6, Folder 35  
Exhibition in Collaboration with Nicole Gallery, Chicago (2011), 2011
Luba Sterlikova—*Innergism* (2011-2012), 2011

Dutch Auction — *Bid Down Not Up* (2012), 2012


Richmond Jones and Christine Osada Jones—*Two Views One Vision* (2012), 2012


Includes born-digital records, see ER17


0.257 Gigabytes (1 computer file)

Hamid Kachmar—*Embodiment* (2012), 2012


Includes born-digital records, see ER18


0.234 Gigabytes (11 computer files)


Maria-Lana Queen—*Break-through—Painted Diary III* (2012), 2012
Box 6, Folder 45  Lien Yao— *Silent Call* (2013), 2013

Box 6, Folder 46  Shirley Woodson— *Recognition and Parallels: Paintings and Collages* (2013), 2013

Box 6, Folder 47  Ron Flemmings— *Island Life* (2013), 2013

Includes born-digital records, see ER19


*0.002 Gigabytes (3 computer files)*

Box 6, Folder 48  Carmen Torruella-Quander— *My Travels— My Art* (2013), 2012-2013


Includes born-digital records, see ER20


*0.158 Gigabytes (25 computer files)*

Box 6, Folder 50  Other Shows and Ventures, 1991-1993, 1996-2012

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Series 2: Administrative Files, 1991-2013

0.3 Linear feet (Box 6)

Administrative files include materials related to Galleries 1054, which was a gallery collective located in Georgetown where all the spaces were rented out by one property management company. Parish Gallery was one of the Galleries 1054 galleries. The Gallery 1054 materials consist of limited correspondence, event invitations, and printed material. This series also includes as a proposal from Black Artists of DC, Parish Gallery correspondence, and clippings.

The materials in this series are arranged in alphabetical order.

The bulk of this series has been digitized. Materials which have not been digitized include blank pages, blank versos of clippings, and duplicates. In some cases, exhibition catalogs and other publications have had their covers, titles, and relevant pages digitized.

Box 6, Folder 51  Black Artists of DC (BADC), 2006
Image(s)

Box 6, Folder 52  Clippings Related to Parish Gallery and Norman Parish, 1991-1997
Image(s)

Box 6, Folder 53  Clippings Related to Parish Gallery and Norman Parish, 2000-2013
Image(s)

Box 6, Folder 54  Galleries 1054, 1992-2008, 2011
Image(s)

Box 6, Folder 55  Incoming Correspondence, 1991-2010
Image(s)

Box 6, Folder 56  Outgoing Correspondence, 1991-2005, 2009-2013
Image(s)

Box 6, Folder 57  Parish Gallery "Dedication and Covenant", 1991-1992
Image(s)

0.2 Linear feet (Box 7)
0.013 Gigabytes (ER21)

Norman Parish biographical material includes material related to Norman Parish's art career. With the exception of the awards file and the memorial services, most of the material is related to Parish's life and professional activities from before Parish Gallery. This series includes an early resume, correspondence, material related to the Wall of Respect mural that Parish helped create along with other artists, clippings, and photographs of Parish, his artwork, and a few exhibition installations. There are a few digital photographs of miscellaneous locations and unidentified people, which do no include Parish, that are also included in this series.

The materials in this series are arranged in loose chronological order.

The bulk of this series has been digitized. Materials which have not been digitized include blank pages, blank versos of photographs, and duplicates.

Box 7, Folder 1
Photographs of Norman Parish, Art, and Exhibition Installations, circa 1965-circa 1990
Image(s)

Box 7, Folder 2
Image(s)

Box 7, Folder 3
Wall of Respect Mural, 1970-2002
Image(s)

Box 7, Folder 4
Correspondence, 1978-1988
Image(s)

Box 7, Folder 5
Resume, circa 1987
Image(s)

Box 7, Folder 6
Honors and Awards, 2009-2013
Image(s)

Box 7, Folder 7
Memorial Services, 2013
Image(s)

Folder ER21
Miscellaneous Photographs of People and Places, Digital Images, circa 2005
0.013 Gigabytes (10 computer files)

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