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Collection Overview

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Administrative Information

Acquisition Information

This interview is part of the Archives of American Art Oral History Program, started in 1958 to document the history of the visual arts in the United States, primarily through interviews with artists, historians, dealers, critics and administrators.

Available Formats

Transcript is available on the Archives of American Art's website.

Restrictions

This transcript is open for research. Access to the entire recording is restricted. Contact Reference Services for more information.

Biographical / Historical

Brenda Richardson (1942-) is an art museum curator/administrator and arts writer in Baltimore, Md. James McElhinney (1952-) is an artist, writer, and educator in New York, N.Y.

Scope and Contents

An interview of Brenda Richardson conducted 2011 July 29-30, by James McElhinney, for the Archives of American Art's Elizabeth Murray Oral History of Women in the Visual Arts project, at Richardson's home, in Baltimore, Md.

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Names and Subject Terms

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

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- Curators -- Maryland -- Baltimore -- Interviews
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