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A Finding Aid to the John H. D. Robinson diplomas, 1947-1970, in the Archives of American Art

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Collection Overview

Repository:	Archives of American Art
Title:	John H. D. Robinson diplomas
Date:	1947-1970
Identifier:	AAA.robijohn
Creator:	Robinson, John H. D., d. 1970
Extent:	0.1 Linear feet
Language:	English .
Summary:	The John H. D. Robinson diplomas date from 1947 to 1970 and measure 0.1 linear feet. Found are five diplomas from Robinson's chiropractic schooling, and an obituary from the Art Students League News, 1970.

Administrative Information

Acquisition Information

Donated 1971 by Joseph Delaney, a friend of Robinson.

Processing Information

The collection was processed, and a finding aid prepared by Jayna Josefson in 2021.

Preferred Citation

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Biographical / Historical

John H. D. Robinson (died 1970) was an African American painter in New York, N.Y. Active in 1930s, Robinson studied at the Art Students League, New York City. [Not to be confused with painter John D. Robinson, born 1912 in Washington, D.C.]

Scope and Contents

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Arrangement

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

Names and Subject Terms

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

Subjects:

African American artists

Occupations:

Painters -- New York (State) -- New York

Container Listing

Series 1: Diplomas and Obituary, 1947-1970

0.1 Linear feet (Oversized 1)

Scope and Contents: Found are four of John H. D. Robinson's diplomas from the Indiana Chiropractic College Inc. and the Neotarian College of Philosophy of the Neotarian Fellowship. Also found is an obituary from the Art Students League.

Oversize 1 John H. D. Robinson Diplomas and Obituary, 1947-1970

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