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Jerry L. Thompson papers

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## Collection Overview

<b>Repository:</b>	Archives of American Art
<b>Title:</b>	Jerry L. Thompson papers
<b>Date:</b>	circa 1970-2016
<b>Identifier:</b>	AAA.thomjerr
<b>Creator:</b>	Thompson, Jerry L., 1945
<b>Extent:</b>	5.8 Linear feet
<b>Language:</b>	English .

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## Administrative Information

### Acquisition Information

Donated 2017- 2019 by Jerry L. Thompson.

### Restrictions

Use of original papers requires an appointment and is limited to the Archives' Washington, D.C., Research Center. Use of born digital records with no duplicate copy requires advance notice.

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## Biographical / Historical

Jerry L. Thompson (1945- ) is a professional photographer in New York, New York who photographed works of art and artists for many museums, artists, galleries, and foundations. Thompson served as photographer in residence in the American Wing of the Metropolitan Museum from 1983-84 and was an instructor and assistant professor at Yale University from 1973-80.

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## Scope and Contents

The papers of photographer Jerry L. Thompson measure 5.8 linear feet and date from 1970-2016, Included are color transparencies (mostly 8 x 10 and 4 x 5), black and white and color photographs, negatives and digital images of works of art and of artists by Jerry L. Thompson. Also included is small amount of correspondence and printed material.

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## Names and Subject Terms

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

### Occupations:

Photographers -- New York (State) -- New York