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### A Finding Aid to the Alejandro Orengo Photograph Collection, 2011-2016, in the Anacostia Community Museum Archives

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## Collection Overview

<b>Repository:</b>	Anacostia Community Museum Archives
<b>Title:</b>	Alejandro Orengo Photograph collection
<b>Identifier:</b>	ACMA.06-085
<b>Date:</b>	2011-2016
<b>Creator:</b>	Orengo, Alejandro (Photographer)
<b>Extent:</b>	90 Digital images
<b>Language:</b>	No linguistic content; Not applicable .

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## Administrative Information

### Acquisition Information

The collection was purchased with funds through the Smithsonian Latino Initiatives Pool, administered by the Smithsonian Latino Center, Smithsonian Institution in 2016.

### Processing Information

Processed by Jennifer Morris, 2017 November.

### Preferred Citation

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## Biographical Note

Alejandro Orengo is a Baltimore-based street photographer and videographer of Puerto Rican descent. Born in NY, he moved from the densely Latino section of Washington Heights, NY to Baltimore, MD in 2006. In addition to freelance photography and personal projects, he currently works as a director of photography at Johns Hopkins University.

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## Arrangement

The Alejandro Orengo Photograph Collection is arranged thematically, then alphabetically by title:

1) Freddie Gray Riots 2) General Baltimore 3) Latino Baltimore

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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:

- African Americans
- Demonstrations
- Latinos in American society and culture
- Photography
- Portraits
- Riots
- Urban Life

Types of Materials:

- Born digital
- Digital images

Places:

- Baltimore (Md.)

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## Container Listing

### Series 1: Freddie Gray Riots

#### Image(s)

Scope and Contents: This series contains 30 images documenting the riots following the death of Freddie Gray in Baltimore, Md., in April 2015. The images depict tension between people living in urban communities and law enforcement.

acma\_orengoFGR01: [Freddie Gray Riots, 2015 April 18 - 2015 May 3](#)

Creator: Orengo, Alejandro  
Notes: Freddie Gray riots: Image taken near Camden Yards.  
Place: Baltimore (Md.)  
Topic: Demonstrations  
Protest  
Crowds  
African American men

acma\_orengoFGR02: [Freddie Gray Riots, 2015 April 18 - 2015 May 3](#)

Creator: Orengo, Alejandro  
Notes: Freddie Gray riots: Image taken near Camden Yards.  
Place: Baltimore (Md.)  
Topic: Demonstrations  
African American police

acma\_orengoFGR03: [Freddie Gray Riots, 2015 April 18 - 2015 May 3](#)

Creator: Orengo, Alejandro  
Notes: Freddie Gray riots: Pratt St. (Inner Harbor).  
Place: Baltimore (Md.)  
Topic: Demonstrations  
Crowds  
African American men

acma\_orengoFGR04: [Freddie Gray Riots, 2015 April 18 - 2015 May 3](#)

Creator: Orengo, Alejandro  
Notes: Freddie Gray riots: Baltimore St. (near City Hall).  
Place: Baltimore (Md.)  
Topic: Demonstrations  
Crowds  
Police  
Cityscapes

acma\_orengoFGR05: [Freddie Gray Riots, 2015 April 18 - 2015 May 3](#)

Creator: Orengo, Alejandro  
Notes: Freddie Gray riots: City Hall (protestors with raised fist).  
Place: Baltimore (Md.)  
Topic: Demonstrations  
Crowds

## Protest

acma\_orengoFGR06: [Freddie Gray Riots, 2015 April 18 - 2015 May 3](#)

Creator: Orengo, Alejandro

Notes: Freddie Gray riots: City Hall (protestor holds sign stating "White Silence = White Consent").

Place: Baltimore (Md.)

Topic: Demonstrations  
Crowds  
Protest

acma\_orengoFGR07: [Freddie Gray Riots, 2015 April 18 - 2015 May 3](#)

Creator: Orengo, Alejandro

Notes: Freddie Gray riots: near Camden Yards.

Place: Baltimore (Md.)

Topic: Police  
African American police  
Demonstrations  
Protest

acma\_orengoFGR08: [Freddie Gray Riots, 2015 April 18 - 2015 May 3](#)

Creator: Orengo, Alejandro

Notes: Freddie Gray riots: near Camden Yards (police surrounded by crowd).

Place: Baltimore (Md.)

Topic: Demonstrations  
Crowds  
Protest  
Police  
Cityscapes

acma\_orengoFGR09: [Freddie Gray Riots, 2015 April 18 - 2015 May 3](#)

Creator: Orengo, Alejandro

Notes: Freddie Gray riots: near Convention Center. Protestors onfronting an officer that struck a woman with a baton.

Place: Baltimore (Md.)

Topic: Police  
Demonstrations  
Protest  
African American men

acma\_orengoFGR10: [Freddie Gray Riots, 2015 April 18 - 2015 May 3](#)

Creator: Orengo, Alejandro

Notes: Freddie Gray riots: near Convention Center (image of broken car window).

Place: Baltimore (Md.)

Topic: Demonstrations  
Police  
Cityscapes  
Automobiles

acma\_orengoFGR12: [Freddie Gray Riots, 2015 April 18 - 2015 May 3](#)

Creator: Orengo, Alejandro  
 Notes: Freddie Gray riots: near Convention Center. Police hat came from a trunk that was opened and passed around like a trophy.  
 Place: Baltimore (Md.)  
 Topic: Demonstrations  
 Crowds  
 Police  
 African American men

acma\_orengoFGR13: [Freddie Gray Riots, 2015 April 18 - 2015 May 3](#)

Creator: Orengo, Alejandro  
 Notes: Freddie Gray riots: Howard Street near Inner Harbor (woman arguing with man in a car).  
 Place: Baltimore (Md.)  
 Topic: Demonstrations  
 Protest  
 Crowds  
 Cityscapes

acma\_orengoFGR14: [Freddie Gray Riots, 2015 April 18 - 2015 May 3](#)

Creator: Orengo, Alejandro  
 Notes: Freddie Gray riots: Howard Street near Inner Harbor (the driver was trying to get to the hospital).  
 Place: Baltimore (Md.)  
 Topic: Demonstrations  
 Crowds  
 Protest  
 African Americans  
 Cityscapes

acma\_orengoFGR15: [Freddie Gray Riots, 2015 April 18 - 2015 May 3](#)

Creator: Orengo, Alejandro  
 Notes: Freddie Gray riots: Pratt St.(protestors burn police hat).  
 Place: Baltimore (Md.)  
 Topic: Demonstrations  
 Protest  
 Hats  
 Shoes

acma\_orengoFGR16: [Freddie Gray Riots, 2015 April 18 - 2015 May 3](#)

Creator: Orengo, Alejandro  
 Notes: Freddie Gray riots: Pratt St. (burnt police hat).  
 Place: Baltimore (Md.)  
 Topic: Demonstrations  
 Protest  
 Hats

acma\_orengoFGR17: [Freddie Gray Riots, 2015 April 18 - 2015 May 3](#)

Creator: Orengo, Alejandro  
 Notes: Freddie Gray riots: 7 Eleven (N. Howard st. & W. Baltimore st.)

Place: Baltimore (Md.)  
Topic: Convenience stores  
Destruction  
Crowds

acma\_orengoFGR18: [Freddie Gray Riots, 2015 April 18 - 2015 May 3](#)

Creator: Orengo, Alejandro  
Notes: Freddie Gray riots: North Ave & N. Carey St. in West Baltimore (police stand in front line formation).

Place: Baltimore (Md.)  
Topic: Demonstrations  
Protest  
Police  
Cityscapes

acma\_orengoFGR19: [Freddie Gray Riots, 2015 April 18 - 2015 May 3](#)

Creator: Orengo, Alejandro  
Notes: Freddie Gray riots: North Ave & N. Carey St., in West Baltimore (protestor throwing trash can).

Place: Baltimore (Md.)  
Topic: Demonstrations  
Protest  
Crowds  
Cityscapes  
African Americans

acma\_orengoFGR20: [Freddie Gray Riots, 2015 April 18 - 2015 May 3](#)

Creator: Orengo, Alejandro  
Notes: Freddie Gray riot: North Ave & N. Carey St., in West Baltimore (police stand in front line formation). " Your mother should of never birth you" - kid in the red hoody.

Place: Baltimore (Md.)  
Topic: Demonstrations  
Protest  
Police  
Children  
Cityscapes

acma\_orengoFGR21: [Freddie Gray Riots, 2015 April 18 - 2015 May 3](#)

Creator: Orengo, Alejandro  
Notes: Freddie Gray riots: North Ave & Pennsylvania Ave (West Baltimore). People wanted the camera man to leave, nobody left.

Place: Baltimore (Md.)  
Topic: Demonstrations  
Protest  
Crowds  
African Americans

acma\_orengoFGR22: [Freddie Gray Riots, 2015 April 18 - 2015 May 3](#)

Creator: Orengo, Alejandro



Notes: Freddie Gray riots: North Ave & Pennsylvania Ave (West Baltimore). The guy on the bike later got cuffed and taken away (the first night of curfew).

Place: Baltimore (Md.)  
Topic: Demonstrations  
Protest  
Cityscapes  
African American men  
Police  
Bicycles

acma\_orengoFGR23: [Freddie Gray Riots, 2015 April 18 - 2015 May 3](#)

Creator: Orengo, Alejandro  
Notes: Freddie Gray riots: North Ave & Pennsylvania Ave (West Baltimore).

Place: Baltimore (Md.)  
Topic: Demonstrations  
Protest  
Crowds  
Children  
Cityscapes

acma\_orengoFGR24: [Freddie Gray Riots, 2015 April 18 - 2015 May 3](#)

Creator: Orengo, Alejandro  
Notes: Freddie Gray riots: North Ave & Pennsylvania Ave (West Baltimore).

Place: Baltimore (Md.)  
Topic: Demonstrations  
Protest  
Crowds  
Cityscapes

acma\_orengoFGR25: [Freddie Gray Riots, 2015 April 18 - 2015 May 3](#)

Creator: Orengo, Alejandro  
Notes: Freddie Gray riots: Protestors march through Gilmore homes.

Place: Baltimore (Md.)  
Topic: Demonstrations  
Protest  
Crowds

acma\_orengoFGR26: [Freddie Gray Riots, 2015 April 18 - 2015 May 3](#)

Creator: Orengo, Alejandro  
Notes: Freddie Gray riots: North Ave & Pennsylvania Ave (West Baltimore).

Place: Baltimore (Md.)  
Topic: Demonstrations  
Protest  
Mother and child

acma\_orengoFGR27: [Freddie Gray Riots, 2015 April 18 - 2015 May 3](#)

Creator: Orengo, Alejandro

Notes: Freddie Gray riots: North Ave (West Baltimore).  
Place: Baltimore (Md.)  
Topic: Crowds

acma\_orengoFGR28: [Freddie Gray Riots, 2015 April 18 - 2015 May 3](#)

Creator: Orengo, Alejandro  
Notes: Freddie Gray riots: North Avenue in West Baltimore (man wearing "Freddie Gray t-shirt").  
Place: Baltimore (Md.)  
Topic: African Americans

acma\_orengoFGR29: [Freddie Gray Riots, 2015 April 18 - 2015 May 3](#)

Creator: Orengo, Alejandro  
Notes: Freddie Gray riots: East Baltimore (burnt shuttle bus).  
Place: Baltimore (Md.)  
Topic: Demonstrations

acma\_orengoFGR30: [Freddie Gray Riots, 2015 April 18 - 2015 May 3](#)

Creator: Orengo, Alejandro  
Notes: Freddie Gray riots: North Ave & Pennsylvania Ave (West Baltimore).  
Place: Baltimore (Md.)

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## Series 2: General Baltimore

### Image(s)

Scope and Contents: This series contains 30 photographs of residents and their environment. It depicts festivals, cityscapes, and day-to-day experience of various Baltimore communities.

acma\_orengoGB01: [General Baltimore, 2016](#)

Creator: Orengo, Alejandro

Notes: View of East Baltimore from a rooftop.

Place: Baltimore (Md.)

acma\_orengoGB02: [General Baltimore, 2016](#)

Creator: Orengo, Alejandro

Notes: Penn Station, Baltimore, Md.

Place: Baltimore (Md.)

acma\_orengoGB03: [General Baltimore, 2016](#)

Creator: Orengo, Alejandro

Notes: Corner store in Greenmount neighborhood in Baltimore, Md.

Place: Baltimore (Md.)

acma\_orengoGB04: [General Baltimore, 2016](#)

Creator: Orengo, Alejandro

Notes: Safe Streets Baltimore block party for the Park Heights community.

Place: Baltimore (Md.)

acma\_orengoGB05: [General Baltimore, 2016](#)

Creator: Orengo, Alejandro

Notes: Safe Streets Baltimore block party for the Park Heights community.

Place: Baltimore (Md.)

acma\_orengoGB06: [General Baltimore, 2016](#)

Creator: Orengo, Alejandro

Notes: Safe Streets Baltimore block party for the Park Heights community.

Place: Baltimore (Md.)

acma\_orengoGB07: [General Baltimore, 2016](#)

Creator: Orengo, Alejandro

Notes: Baltimore Caribbean Carnival at Clifford Park.

Place: Baltimore (Md.)

acma\_orengoGB08: [General Baltimore, 2016](#)

Creator: Orengo, Alejandro

Notes: Baltimore Caribbean Carnival at Clifford Park.

Place: Baltimore (Md.)

acma\_orengoGB09: [General Baltimore, 2016](#)

Creator: Orengo, Alejandro  
Place: Baltimore (Md.)

acma\_orengoGB10: [General Baltimore, 2016](#)

Creator: Orengo, Alejandro  
Notes: Federal St. (East Baltimore)  
Place: Baltimore (Md.)

acma\_orengoGB11: [General Baltimore, 2016](#)

Creator: Orengo, Alejandro  
Notes: East Baltimore  
Place: Baltimore (Md.)

acma\_orengoGB12: [General Baltimore, 2016](#)

Creator: Orengo, Alejandro  
Notes: North Avenue, Baltimore, Md.  
Place: Baltimore (Md.)

acma\_orengoGB13: [General Baltimore, 2016](#)

Creator: Orengo, Alejandro  
Notes: Capo & Steph about to bring the bikes out.  
Place: Baltimore (Md.)

acma\_orengoGB14: [General Baltimore, 2016](#)

Creator: Orengo, Alejandro  
Notes: Jerry in the middle with his friends near Mondawmin Mall.  
Place: Baltimore (Md.)

acma\_orengoGB15: [General Baltimore, 2016](#)

Creator: Orengo, Alejandro  
Notes: Lor Scoota performing at the Mixx show near Morgan State University ( Lor Scoota was murderd June 2016).  
Place: Baltimore (Md.)

acma\_orengoGB16: [General Baltimore, 2016](#)

Creator: Orengo, Alejandro  
Notes: Cali is mad becuase her girlfriend just slapped her across her face.  
Place: Baltimore (Md.)

acma\_orengoGB17: [General Baltimore, 2016](#)

Creator: Orengo, Alejandro  
Notes: Station North with Jacob & Elon.  
Place: Baltimore (Md.)

acma\_orengoGB18: [General Baltimore, 2016](#)

Creator: Orengo, Alejandro  
Notes: Eutaw street near Lexington Market.

Place: Baltimore (Md.)

acma\_orengoGB19: [General Baltimore, 2016](#)

Creator: Orengo, Alejandro

Notes: Pug is famous in Baltimore (Photographer Orengo captured image after they shot a scene for his short film).

Place: Baltimore (Md.)

acma\_orengoGB20: [General Baltimore, 2016](#)

Creator: Orengo, Alejandro

Notes: Papo behind glass that was shot at 6 times.

Place: Baltimore (Md.)

acma\_orengoGB21: [General Baltimore, 2016](#)

Creator: Orengo, Alejandro

Notes: Downtown Baltimore near highway 83.

Place: Baltimore (Md.)

acma\_orengoGB22: [General Baltimore, 2016](#)

Creator: Orengo, Alejandro

Notes: Maryland Deathfest.

Place: Baltimore (Md.)

acma\_orengoGB23: [General Baltimore, 2016](#)

Creator: Orengo, Alejandro

Notes: DJ Blaqstar

Place: Baltimore (Md.)

acma\_orengoGB24: [General Baltimore, 2016](#)

Creator: Orengo, Alejandro

Place: Baltimore (Md.)

acma\_orengoGB25: [General Baltimore, 2016](#)

Creator: Orengo, Alejandro

Place: Baltimore (Md.)

acma\_orengoGB26: [General Baltimore, 2016](#)

Creator: Orengo, Alejandro

Place: Baltimore (Md.)

acma\_orengoGB27: [General Baltimore, 2016](#)

Creator: Orengo, Alejandro

Notes: Driving on Eastern Blvd, Baltimore (man standing was driving a black truck that was in a rush and hit the biker by accident).

Place: Baltimore (Md.)

acma\_orengoGB28: [General Baltimore, 2016](#)

Creator: Orengo, Alejandro

Place: Baltimore (Md.)

acma\_orengoGB29: [General Baltimore, 2016](#)

Creator: Orengo, Alejandro

Place: Baltimore (Md.)

acma\_orengoGB30: [General Baltimore, 2016](#)

Creator: Orengo, Alejandro

Notes: Laughing Cali, near Lexington Market (Baltimore, Md.) in an alley way.

Place: Baltimore (Md.)

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## Series 3: Latino Baltimore

### Image(s)

Scope and Contents: This series contains 30 photographs representing a cross section of Latinos living in Baltimore. It includes portraiture and documents celebrations, families, and businesses.

acma\_orengoLB01: [Latino Baltimore, 2016](#)

Creator: Orengo, Alejandro

Notes: Unidentified, Alejandra I. Nuñez (DJ Genie), Abdul Ali, Mia, Middle East

Place: Baltimore (Md.)

acma\_orengoLB02: [Latino Baltimore, 2016](#)

Creator: Orengo, Alejandro

Notes: Melisa, Colombian, Charles Village

Place: Baltimore (Md.)

acma\_orengoLB03: [Latino Baltimore, 2016](#)

Creator: Orengo, Alejandro

Notes: Unidentified, Unknown Ethnicity, Highlandtown

Place: Baltimore (Md.)

acma\_orengoLB04: [Latino Baltimore, 2016](#)

Creator: Orengo, Alejandro

Notes: Highlandtown

Place: Baltimore (Md.)

acma\_orengoLB05: [Latino Baltimore, 2016](#)

Creator: Orengo, Alejandro

Notes: Highlandtown

Place: Baltimore (Md.)

acma\_orengoLB06: [Latino Baltimore, 2016](#)

Creator: Orengo, Alejandro

Notes: Highlandtown

Place: Baltimore (Md.)

acma\_orengoLB07: [Latino Baltimore, 2016](#)

Creator: Orengo, Alejandro

Notes: Highlandtown

Place: Baltimore (Md.)

acma\_orengoLB08: [Latino Baltimore, 2016](#)

Creator: Orengo, Alejandro

Notes: Highlandtown

Place: Baltimore (Md.)

acma\_orengoLB09: [Latino Baltimore, 2016](#)

Creator: Orengo, Alejandro

Notes: Highlandtown  
Place: Baltimore (Md.)

acma\_orengoLB10: [Latino Baltimore, 2016](#)  
Creator: Orengo, Alejandro  
Notes: Highlandtown  
Place: Baltimore (Md.)

acma\_orengoLB11: [Latino Baltimore, 2016](#)  
Creator: Orengo, Alejandro  
Notes: Dominican Barbershop, Highlandtown  
Place: Baltimore (Md.)

acma\_orengoLB12: [Latino Baltimore, 2016](#)  
Creator: Orengo, Alejandro  
Notes: Dominican Birthday party, Highlandtown  
Place: Baltimore (Md.)

acma\_orengoLB13: [Latino Baltimore, 2016](#)  
Creator: Orengo, Alejandro  
Notes: Alejandra I. Nuñez (DJ Genie), Dominican, Charles Village  
Place: Baltimore (Md.)

acma\_orengoLB14: [Latino Baltimore, 2016](#)  
Creator: Orengo, Alejandro  
Notes: Lucas, Brazilian, Station North  
Place: Baltimore (Md.)

acma\_orengoLB15: [Latino Baltimore, 2016](#)  
Creator: Orengo, Alejandro  
Notes: Lucas, Brazilian, Station North  
Place: Baltimore (Md.)

acma\_orengoLB16: [Latino Baltimore, 2016](#)  
Creator: Orengo, Alejandro  
Notes: Unidentified, Unknown Ethnicity, Fells Point  
Place: Baltimore (Md.)

acma\_orengoLB17: [Latino Baltimore, 2016](#)  
Creator: Orengo, Alejandro  
Notes: Highlandtown  
Place: Baltimore (Md.)

acma\_orengoLB18: [Latino Baltimore, 2016](#)  
Creator: Orengo, Alejandro  
Notes: Unidentified, Mexican, Fells Point  
Place: Baltimore (Md.)

acma\_orengoLB19: [Latino Baltimore, 2016](#)



Creator: Orengo, Alejandro  
Notes: Pigtown  
Place: Baltimore (Md.)

acma\_orengoLB20: [Latino Baltimore, 2016](#)  
Creator: Orengo, Alejandro  
Notes: Highlandtown  
Place: Baltimore (Md.)

acma\_orengoLB21: [Latino Baltimore, 2016](#)  
Creator: Orengo, Alejandro  
Notes: Canton  
Place: Baltimore (Md.)

acma\_orengoLB22: [Latino Baltimore, 2016](#)  
Creator: Orengo, Alejandro  
Notes: Downtown by Lexington Market  
Place: Baltimore (Md.)

acma\_orengoLB23: [Latino Baltimore, 2016](#)  
Creator: Orengo, Alejandro  
Notes: Unidentified, Unknown Ethnicity, Station North  
Place: Baltimore (Md.)

acma\_orengoLB24: [Latino Baltimore, 2016](#)  
Creator: Orengo, Alejandro  
Notes: Camilo, Peruvian, Station North  
Place: Baltimore (Md.)

acma\_orengoLB25: [Latino Baltimore, 2016](#)  
Creator: Orengo, Alejandro  
Notes: Tra, Puerto Rican, East Baltimore  
Place: Baltimore (Md.)

acma\_orengoLB26: [Latino Baltimore, 2016](#)  
Creator: Orengo, Alejandro  
Notes: Paula, Costa Rican, Bolton Hill  
Place: Baltimore (Md.)

acma\_orengoLB27: [Latino Baltimore, 2016](#)  
Creator: Orengo, Alejandro  
Notes: Unidentified, Mexican, Bolton Hill  
Place: Baltimore (Md.)

acma\_orengoLB28: [Latino Baltimore, 2016](#)  
Creator: Orengo, Alejandro  
Notes: Garry, Panamanian, Bolton Hill  
Place: Baltimore (Md.)

acma\_orengoLB29: [Latino Baltimore, 2016](#)

Creator: Orengo, Alejandro

Notes: Eric, El Salvador, Greenmount area

Place: Baltimore (Md.)

acma\_orengoLB30: [Latino Baltimore, 2016](#)

Creator: Orengo, Alejandro

Notes: Dominican Salon, Baltimore County (Randallstown)

Place: Baltimore (Md.)

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