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Guide to the E. Richard Sorenson Papua
New Guinea photographs, 1963-1968

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Collection Overview

Repository:	Human Studies Film Archives
Title:	E. Richard Sorenson Papua New Guinea photographs
Date:	1963-1968
Identifier:	HSFA.2006.06
Creator:	Sorenson, E. Richard
Extent:	4,100 Photographs (black-and-white and color negatives; 120mm; 35mm)
Language:	No linguistic content; Not applicable .

Administrative Information

Acquisition Information

Source of acquisition is unknown.

Provenance

The still negatives were brought to the Smithsonian when Sorenson began the National Anthropological Film Center in 1975. They are most likely associated with NIH motion picture film that Sorenson shot that was also transferred to the Smithsonian.

Preferred Citation

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Restrictions

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Conditions Governing Use

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Scope and Contents

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Places:

Oceania
Papua New Guinea