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Collection Overview

Repository:	National Air and Space Museum Archives
Title:	Visionary: The Odyssey of Sir Arthur C. Clarke Collection [McAleer]
Date:	(bulk 1980-2000)
Identifier:	NASM.2017.0003
Creator:	McAleer, Neil., 1942-
Extent:	12 Cubic feet ((12 boxes))
Language:	English .

Administrative Information

Acquisition Information

Neil McAleer, Gift, 2016

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Biographical / Historical

Visionary: The Odyssey of Sir Arthur C. Clarke Collection [McAleer] is the updated 2012 version of Neil McAleer's Arthur C Clarke: The Authorized Biography which was published in 1992. According to Michael Neufeld's 2013 Quest review of the book, "McAleer's book provides the only comprehensive biography of the writer that exists."

Scope and Contents

This collection consists of 12 cubic feet of material gathered or created by author Neil McAleer for his authorized biography of Sir Arthur Clarke, Visionary: The Odyssey of Sir Arthur C. Clarke. The collection includes correspondence, emails, articles, photographs, videotapes, and audio tape cassettes/transcripts of Clarke's friends and colleagues in science fiction and space advocacy that McAleer interviewed for the biography. This collection also consists of digital files of much of the collection.

Names and Subject Terms

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

Subjects:

Astronautics
Authors, English -- 20th century -- Biography

Types of Materials:

Audiotapes
Correspondence
Electronic records (digital records)
Photographs
Video recordings

Names:

Clarke, Arthur C. (Arthur Charles), 1917-2008