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Collection Overview

Repository:	Archives Center, National Museum of American History
Title:	Dana Tai Soon Burgess Photographs
Identifier:	NMAH.AC.1397
Date:	1904 - 2018
Extent:	0.15 Cubic feet (1 box)
Creator:	Burgess, Dana Tai Soon
Language:	English
Digital Content:	Image(s): Dana Tai Soon Burgess Photographs

Administrative Information

Acquisition Information

Collection donated by Dana Tai Soon Burgess, 2016

Processing Information

The collection is unprocessed.

Preferred Citation

Dana Tai Soon Burgess Photographs, 1904-2005, Archives Center, National Museum of American History.

Restrictions

The collection is open for research.

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Biographical / Historical

Washington, D.C. choreographer, dancer and performance artist.

Scope and Contents

The collection documents the life of Dana Tai Soon Burgess, and that of his Korean American family, dating back to 1904. Included are photographs of his family before and after they immigrated to the United States; some photographs taken during a time when they lived and worked at Kunia Camp, Hawaii; and of Burgess throughout his life. Also includes Burgess's grandfather's passport.

Arrangement

The collection is arranged into one series.

Names and Subject Terms

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

Subjects:

- Dancers -- Photographs
- Emigration and immigration
- Hawaii
- Immigrants

Types of Materials:

- Passports
- Photographs -- 20th century
- Programs -- 21st century
- Yearbooks -- 20th century

Geographic Names:

- Korea