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## Collection Overview

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## Administrative Information

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## Descriptive Entry

This accession consists of curatorial records created by Nicholas Hotton, Associate Curator, Curator, and Curator Emeritus, 1959-1998. Materials include correspondence; memoranda; research notes, illustrations, proposals, and grants; exhibition files and floor plans; photographs and slides of specimens; lectures; and professional activity files.

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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:

- Museum exhibits
- Paleobiology
- Paleontologists
- Paleontology
- Vertebrate Paleontology
- Vertebrates, Fossil

### Types of Materials:

- Black-and-white photographs
- Clippings

Color photographs  
Color transparencies  
Field notes  
Floor plans  
Illustrations  
Manuscripts

Names:

Hotton, Nicholas

## Container Listing

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