Collection Overview

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Descriptive Entry

This accession consists of records that document the work of the Exhibits Editors’ Office in the Office of Exhibits Central dealing with permanent exhibit halls and special exhibits. Some of the museums and offices that are represented in this collection are: the Anacostia Museum, Horticulture, National Museum of Natural History (NMNH), National Museum of American History (NMAH), Smithsonian Institution Libraries (SIL), Smithsonian Tropical Research Institute (STRI), Smithsonian Chamber Players; as well as special exhibits, and the work for the Smithsonian Institution Traveling Exhibition Service (SITES).

Names and Subject Terms

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

Subjects:
- Museum exhibits
- Photography
- Traveling exhibitions

Types of Materials:
- Black-and-white transparencies
- Brochures
- Color photographs
Drawings
Manuscripts
Pamphlets
Sketches

Names:

- Anacostia Museum
- Art As Activist: Revolutionary Posters from Central and Eastern Europe (Traveling exhibition) (1992-1994)
- Finster, Howard, 1916-2001
- France -- History -- Revolution, 1789-1799 -- Exhibitions
- Frank Lloyd Wright: Preserving an Architectural Heritage (Exhibition) (1990)
- Gender Perspectives: The Impact of Women on Museums (Seminar) (1990: Washington, D.C.)
- Go Forth and Serve: Black Land Grant Colleges (Traveling exhibition) (circa 1992)
- Good, the Bad, and the Cuddly: Human Attitudes Towards Animals (Traveling exhibition) (1992-1995)
- National Museum of American History (U.S.)
- Parting the Green Curtain: The Evolution of Tropical Biology in Panama (Exhibition) (1989)
- Pride of Place: The Collections of the National Trust of Scotland (Traveling exhibition) (circa 1990)
- Road to Heaven is Paved by Good Works: The Art of Reverend Howard Finster (Traveling exhibition) (1990-1992)
- Smithsonian Institution. Assistant Secretary for Museums
- Smithsonian Institution. Division of Performing Arts
- Smithsonian Institution. Libraries
- Smithsonian Institution. Office of Equal Employment and Minority Affairs
- Smithsonian Institution. Office of Equal Opportunity
- Smithsonian Institution. Office of Physical Plant. Horticulture Services Division
- Smithsonian Institution. Office of Public Affairs
Smithsonian Institution. Traveling Exhibition Service
Smithsonian Tropical Research Institute

Steichen and His Men: A Photographic Portrait of World War II (Traveling exhibition) (1988-1993)
To Color America: Portraits by Winold Reiss (Exhibition) (1989: Washington, D.C.)
Trees of Christmas (Exhibition)
Voyages and Visions: Nineteenth-Century European Images of the Middle East from the Victoria and Albert Museum (Traveling exhibition) (1995-1997)
Whose Art is it, Anyway: Art in Public Places (Exhibition) (1990: Washington, D.C.)
Wright, Frank Lloyd, 1867-1959

Preferred Titles:

*Educated eye (sound recording): a guide for collectors*
Container Listing

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Box 1 of 6  The Real McCoy: African American Invention and Innovation, 1619-1930 (brochure, 1989)


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Box 1 of 6  Whose Art Is It Anyway?: Art in Public Places (1990)

Assistant Secretary for Museums

Box 1 of 6  French Bicentennial (1989)

Box 1 of 6  Bicentennial of the Constitution (1991)

Box 1 of 6  Gender Perspectives: Symposium (book) (1990)

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Box 1 of 6  Native American Studies brochure (1987)

Horticulture

Box 1 of 6  Trees of Christmas

National Museum of American History

Box 1 of 6  Go Forth and Serve: Black Land-Grant Colleges (1987)

Office of Equal Opportunity

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Performing Arts

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Public Affairs

Box 1 of 6  New Museums (Martin Luther King Library exhibit on Sackler and African Art) (1987)

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SITES (Smithsonian Institution Traveling Exhibition Service)

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Box 2 of 6  Art of Our Time: Works on Paper from the Olga Hirshhorn Collection (1992)

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Box 2 of 6  Contrasts: 40 Years of Change and Continuity in Puerto Rico (Jack Delano photographs) (1990)

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Family Folklore

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Box 4 of 6  Major League/Minor League: Photographs of America's Baseball Stadiums by Jim Dow (1993)

Box 4 of 6  Men and Machines of American Journalism (1975)

Box 4 of 6  Mexico: A Landscape Revisited (1994)

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Box 5 of 6  Seeds of Change (panel version) (1992)

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Box 5 of 6  To Color America: Portraits by Winold Reiss (1992)

Box 5 of 6  The Tongass: Alaska's Magnificent Rain Forest (1994)
Box 5 of 6  Two Eagles/Dos Aguilas: A Natural History of the U.S.-Mexico Borderlands (1995) - Designer's files; script is in Box 6

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Box 6 of 6  Voyages and Visions: 19th-century European Images of the Middle East (1995)

Box 6 of 6  Who's in Charge?: Workers and Managers in the U.S., 1880-present (1992)

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Box 6 of 6  Science in the Age of Columbus (1992)

Smithsonian Tropical Research Institute

Box 6 of 6  Parting the Green Curtain: The Evolution of Tropical Biology in Panama (1989)