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Collection Overview

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Descriptive Entry

This accession consists of the papers of Brian Harold Mason, Curator Emeritus, Meteorites Division, Department of Mineral Sciences, National Museum of Natural History. Mason curates and classifies the more than 700 meteorites recovered each year from Antarctica under a joint Smithsonian-National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA)-National Science Foundation program. His research focuses on the mineralogy and petrology of meteorites and cosmochemistry. Materials include correspondence, memoranda, and project files pertaining to the Allende Meteorite, Antarctic meteorites, and a biography of Victor Moritz Goldschmidt.

Names and Subject Terms

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

Subjects:

- Allende meteorite
- Cosmochemistry
- Mason, Brian (Brian Harold), 1917-2009
- Meteorites
- Mineralogists
- Mineralogy
- National Science Foundation (U.S.)
- Petrology
- United States. National Aeronautics and Space Administration

Types of Materials:

Black-and-white photographs
Color photographs
Manuscripts

Names:

Goldschmidt, V. M. (Victor Moritz), 1888-1947
National Museum of Natural History (U.S.). Department of Mineral Sciences

Geographic Names:

Antarctica

Container Listing

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