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Collection Overview

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Descriptive Entry

This accession consists of materials created and maintained by David H. DeVorkin, Senior Curator, documenting the video "Pathways to the Skies" produced by the National Air and Space Museum for Project SMART. Project SMART was led by George R. Carruthers, Physicist, to encourage minority youths to become interested in science, math, and technology. Carruthers believed that doing experiments and watching demonstrations was the best way to learn about science. "Pathways to the Skies" was produced by the National Air and Space Museum and distributed by Project SMART to encourage interest in the minority experience in aviation and spaceflight. Materials include correspondence, memoranda, scripts, notes, images, and background materials. Also included is a cassette tape copy of an oral history interview of Carruthers. Some materials are in electronic format.

Names and Subject Terms

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

Subjects:

- African American air pilots
- Aviation
- Museum curators
- Museums -- Educational aspects
- Oral history

Types of Materials:

Audiotapes
Black-and-white photographs
Color transparencies
Electronic records
Floppy disks
Manuscripts

Names:

Carruthers, George R.
DeVorkin, David H., 1944-
Project SMART

Preferred Titles:

Pathways to the Skies (Video recording)

Container Listing

Box 1

Box 1 of 1	Carruthers Oral History Interview, 8/18/1992
Box 1 of 1	SMART Problems, 6/7/1995
Box 1 of 1	Brian Carruthers Storyboard
Box 1 of 1	Off-Line Edit
Box 1 of 1	Matice Wright - Cathy
Box 1 of 1	Bragg and Anderson
Box 1 of 1	Lindbergh International
Box 1 of 1	Bessie Coleman
Box 1 of 1	National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA) Class Photos
Box 1 of 1	Jackie Cochran
Box 1 of 1	Debbie Douglas - Correspondence Status
Box 1 of 1	Miscellaneous [Scripts and Notes]
Box 1 of 1	SMART Video Script, 9/1993
Box 1 of 1	Martin Jefferson
Box 1 of 1	SMART Unknowns
Box 1 of 1	Images
Box 1 of 1	Pathways to the Skies (includes electronic records)
Box 1 of 1	SMART- Final On-line
Box 1 of 1	Carruthers
Box 1 of 1	SMART 1996 Proposal to Lemelson
Box 1 of 1	SMART On-Line
Box 1 of 1	Carruthers VH-1 - Williams
Box 1 of 1	Dr. George Carruthers and Apollo 16 Mission

- Box 1 of 1 Carruthers Manuscript
- Box 1 of 1 George Carruthers Oral History Interview by David DeVorkin, 8/18/1992 - Original (includes electronic records)
- Box 1 of 1 Photo Permissions
- Box 1 of 1 Betsy Coleman
- Box 1 of 1 Pateman Career Summary
- Box 1 of 1 Preston Committee Reports