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Collection Overview

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Descriptive Entry

This accession consists of the exhibition records of Paul Forman, Curator of modern physics, which document his participation in exhibition planning groups and as co-curator of exhibitions. Earlier records date from when Forman was in the Division of Electricity and Nuclear Energy and the Division of Electricity and Modern Physics, respectively. Documented are the following exhibitions, some of which are proposals: *Timeline: A Nation's History*; *Tunnels*; *Looking Around: America in the World of Science*; *The Four Days of August, 1945*; and *Atom Smashers*. Materials include correspondence, memoranda, and notes; proposals; scripts; loan information; photographs; brochures; meeting minutes; floor plans; and supporting documentation.

Names and Subject Terms

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

Subjects:

- Museum curators
- Museum exhibits
- Museums -- Educational aspects
- Science -- History

Types of Materials:

Black-and-white photographs
Brochures
Clippings
Color photographs
Floor plans
Manuscripts

Names:

Atom Smashers (Exhibition) (1977: Washington, D.C.)
Forman, Paul
Looking Around: America in the World of Science (Proposed exhibition) (2003)
National Museum of American History (U.S.). Division of Electricity and Modern Physics
National Museum of History and Technology (U.S.). Division of Electricity and Nuclear Energy
The Four Days of August, 1945 (Traveling exhibition) (1995: Washington, D.C.)
Timeline: A Nation's History (Exhibition) (1998-1999: Washington, D.C.)
Tunnels! (Exhibition) (1993-1994: Washington, D.C.)

Container Listing

Box 1

- Box 1 of 1 *Timeline: A Nation's History* Exhibition Project Team, 1998-1999
- Box 1 of 1 Exhibiting Aims and Methods, 1995-1999
- Box 1 of 1 *Tunnels* Exhibition: General Information, 1993-1994
- Box 1 of 1 *Tunnels* Exhibition: Brochures, 1993-1994
- Box 1 of 1 *Tunnels* Exhibition: Photographs, 1993-1994
- Box 1 of 1 *Tunnels* Exhibition: Script and Design, 1993-1994
- Box 1 of 1 *Tunnels* Exhibition: Objects and Loans, 1993-1994
- Box 1 of 1 *Tunnels* Exhibition: Boring Machines, 1993-1994
- Box 1 of 1 Exhibition Proposal for *America in the World of Science*, 2003
- Box 1 of 1 Science Exhibition Planning Group: Meeting Minutes and Proposals, 2002-2003
- Box 1 of 1 Science Exhibition Planning Group: Einstein's Theory of Relativity, 2003
- Box 1 of 1 Science Exhibition Planning Group: Atom to A-Bomb, 2003
- Box 1 of 1 Science Exhibition Planning Group: What is Electricity?
- Box 1 of 1 Science Exhibition Planning Group: Proposal, 2003
- Box 1 of 1 Science Exhibition Planning Group: Floor Plan
- Box 1 of 1 Paul Forman: Correspondence (general), 1976-2000
- Box 1 of 1 Scientific Committee of the Marconi Exhibition (Italy), 1995
- Box 1 of 1 *The Four Days of August* Exhibition, 1992-1995 (6 folders)
- Box 1 of 1 *Atom Smashers* Exhibition: Photographs, 1977