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Exhibition Records, 1964-1978, 1982,
1987-1989, 1995, 1998, undated

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Collection Overview

Repository:	Smithsonian Institution Archives, Washington, D.C., osiaref@si.edu
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Administrative Information

Oversize

This collection contains oversize material.

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Descriptive Entry

This accession consists of materials documenting the Foucault Pendulum exhibit at the National Museum of American History (NMAH), previously known as Museum of History and Technology (MHT), 1957-1969, and the National Museum of History and Technology (NMHT), 1969-1980. Materials include correspondence and memoranda; picture postcards; black-and-white transparencies; color transparencies; photographs; clippings; exhibition catalogs; exhibition scripts; drawings; a button; a lapel pin; cable samples; and other related materials.

Names and Subject Terms

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

Subjects:

- Foucault's pendulum
- Historical museums
- Museum exhibits
- Museums -- Collection management
- Museums -- Educational aspects

Types of Materials:

- Artifacts
- Black-and-white photographs
- Black-and-white transparencies
- Clippings
- Color photographs
- Color transparencies
- Drawings
- Exhibition catalogs
- Manuscripts
- Picture postcards

Names:

- Museum of History and Technology (U.S.)
- National Museum of History and Technology (U.S.)

Container Listing

Box 1

- Box 1 of 2 Picture Postcards, 1993, undated
- Box 1 of 2 Photographic Slides, 1977, 1982
- Box 1 of 2 Photographs, 1964, 1972-1974, 1977, 1989
- Box 1 of 2 Operating Instructions, undated
- Box 1 of 2 Clippings, 1987, 1998
- Box 1 of 2 Drawings and Assembly Instructions, 1964, 1975
- Box 1 of 2 Correspondence and Memoranda, 1964-1969, 1974, 1977, 1987
- Box 1 of 2 Exhibit Script, 1974-1976
- Box 1 of 2 Education Guides, 1966, 1972, 1978
- Box 1 of 2 Cable samples, a button, and a lapel pin

Box 2

- Box 2 of 2 X-ray Images, undated

Oversize

- Oversize Folder 1 Drawings, undated