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## Collection Overview

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## Descriptive Entry

These records consist of the Central Files of the Office of Design and Construction. The files are identified by project number and title. Included are projects related to the Cooper-Hewitt Museum, the Smithsonian Tropical Research Institute (STRI), the National Air and Space Museum (NASM), the Renwick Gallery of Art, the Hirshhorn Museum and Sculpture Garden, the Smithsonian Astrophysical Observatory (SAO), the Smithsonian Environmental Research Center, and the National Museum of American History.

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## Names and Subject Terms

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

### Subjects:

- Architectural design
- Buildings -- Maintenance
- Buildings -- Repair and reconstruction
- Museum buildings
- Smithsonian buildings

### Types of Materials:

- Architectural drawings
- Brochures

Drawings  
Manuscripts

Names:

Cooper-Hewitt Museum  
Hirshhorn Museum and Sculpture Garden  
National Air and Space Museum (U.S.)  
National Museum of American History (U.S.)  
Renwick Gallery  
Smithsonian Astrophysical Observatory  
Smithsonian Environmental Research Center  
Smithsonian Tropical Research Institute

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## Container Listing

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#### Smithsonian Tropical Research Institute

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