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Collection Overview

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Descriptive Entry

This accession consists of memoranda, blueprints, drawings, specifications, and correspondence. Museums and facilities documented in this collection include the National Museum of American History, the Cooper-Hewitt Museum, the Silver Hill Facility, the Barney Studio House, the Chesapeake Bay Center for Environmental Studies (now the Smithsonian Environmental Research Center), the Hirshhorn Museum and Sculpture Garden, the Anacostia Neighborhood Museum, the Quadrangle Building, the National Museum of African Art, the Smithsonian Institution Service Center, the National Museum of American Art, the National Portrait Gallery, the Freer Gallery of Art, the National Air and Space Museum, the Smithsonian Institution Building (Castle), the Arts & Industries Building, the National Museum of Natural History, the Renwick Gallery, and miscellaneous locations.

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
Drawings
Manuscripts

Names:

Anacostia Neighborhood Museum
Arts and Industries Building (Washington, D.C.)
Barney Studio House (Washington, D.C.)
Chesapeake Bay Center for Environmental Studies
Cooper-Hewitt Museum
Freer Gallery of Art
Hirshhorn Museum and Sculpture Garden
National Air and Space Museum (U.S.)
National Air and Space Museum (U.S.). Silver Hill Facility
National Museum of African Art (U.S.)
National Museum of American Art (U.S.)
National Museum of American History (U.S.)
National Museum of Natural History (U.S.)
National Portrait Gallery (Smithsonian Institution)
Renwick Gallery
Smithsonian Environmental Research Center
Smithsonian Institution Building (Washington, D.C.)
Smithsonian Institution Service Center (Washington, D.C.)
Smithsonian Institution. Quadrangle Complex

Container Listing

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National Museum of American History

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Cooper-Hewitt Museum - Warranty Files

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- Box 2 of 10 Cooper-Hewitt Library Wing Specifications, May 7, 1974 (3 folders)
- Box 2 of 10 Cooper-Hewitt Library Wing Details (#9), May 7, 1974 (2 folders)
- Box 2 of 10 Cooper-Hewitt Library Wing Details (#34), May 7, 1974 (2 folders)
- Box 2 of 10 7548106, Cooper-Hewitt Contract CP-5-3117 with New-Again Construction
- Box 2 of 10 Cooper-Hewitt Canopy, Staff Lounge and Exterior Cleaning, 1976-1977
- Box 2 of 10 7748432, Cleaning Exterior Masonry
- Box 2 of 10 Carnegie Mansion - Correspondence with New-Again Construction, 1974-1978 (2 folders)
- Box 2 of 10 Carnegie Mansion Correspondence, 1974-1976 (5 folders)
- Box 2 of 10 8148101, Walkway to Miller House
- Box 2 of 10 8048123, Installation of Sawdust Collection System
- Box 2 of 10 Contract CT-90125500: Cooper-Hewitt Study Textile Area, 1980
- Box 2 of 10 8048125, Contract FC-006855: Rake, Clean and Repoint Cooper-Hewitt Museum
- Box 2 of 10 7848104, Fourth Floor Textile Study Center
- National Museum of American History
- Box 2 of 10 8030125, Museum Shop (4 folders)
- Box 2 of 10 8230125, Museum Shop
- Box 2 of 10 8030126, Fire Protection, Phase I First Floor West Wall

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Box 4 of 10 8130124, Energy Conservation Study (8 folders)

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Chesapeake Bay Center for Environmental Studies (now the Smithsonian Environmental Research Center)

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Box 4 of 10 8244000, CBCES System Sip Repairs

Box 4 of 10 8344101, CBCES Smoke Detection

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Silver Hill Facility

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Hirshhorn Museum and Sculpture Garden

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Anacostia Neighborhood Museum

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Box 5 of 10	8031110, Hall 2 Glass Railing
Box 5 of 10	7731107, Smoke Detection
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Box 5 of 10	7530117, Terrace Repair Phase II
	National Museum of Natural History
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	National Museum of American Art and National Portrait Gallery
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	National Museum of American History
Box 6 of 10	8130101, Waterproof System Phase IV, Second Floor (6 folders)
	National Air and Space Museum
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Box 6 of 10	8135145, Spacearium Modification
	National Museum of American History
Box 6 of 10	8130102, NMAH Toilet Modifications (2 folders). Includes drawings/specifications for fireproof doors.
	National Air and Space Museum
Box 6 of 10	8135109, NASM Work Platforms
Box 6 of 10	8035123, Modifications to Building Managers Office
	Freer Gallery of Art
Box 6 of 10	8037117, Pylon Sign Freer Gallery
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	Silver Hill Facility

Box 6 of 10 8138121, Sprinkler Installation Building 24
Smithsonian Institution Building (Castle)

Box 6 of 10 7932109, Modifications to SIB Handicapped Lift

Box 6 of 10 7832107, Roof Repair Folder #2 (3 folders)
National Museum of American Art and National Portrait Gallery

Box 6 of 10 7834115, Fire Protection System

Box 6 of 10 8034102, Restroom Modifications for Handicapped (2 folders)
Arts & Industries Building

Box 6 of 10 8033101, Emergency Roof Repairs

Box 6 of 10 8133111, A&I Modification to Halon System, Room 3345 (2 folders)

Box 6 of 10 8333114, HVAC Requirements

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National Museum of American Art and National Portrait Gallery

Box 7 of 10 7834104, Roof Repairs (2 folders)

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Box 7 of 10 8034136, Asbestos Removal (3 folders)

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Box 7 of 10 8334112, Portraits from the New Deal

Box 7 of 10 8334111, 2773 for Painting Granite Gallery

Box 7 of 10 8334114, Dismantling George and Martha Washington Exhibit, NPG

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Box 7 of 10 8334142, Blessed Are the Peacemakers

Box 7 of 10 8334143, Renovate NPG Office of Exhibitions

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Box 7 of 10 8034101, Modifications of HVAC Systems

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Freer Gallery of Art

Box 8 of 10 8037102, Entrance Chandelier (2 folders)

Chesapeake Bay Center for Environmental Studies (now the Smithsonian Environmental Research Center)

Box 8 of 10 8044103, Jefferson Island Pier and Bulkhead Repairs

National Museum of American History

Box 8 of 10 8130124, Waterproofing of Fifth Floor Exterior Wall (3 folders)

Arts & Industries Building

Box 8 of 10 8333106, Office of Protection Services (OPS) Modifications

National Museum of Natural History

Box 8 of 10 8231107, Marine Biology Lab (3 folders)

Box 8 of 10 8231118, North Portal Improvements

Box 8 of 10 8231105, Handicapped Toilets (3 folders). Includes one drawing numbered 8231116.

National Museum of American History

Box 8 of 10 8230124, Chiller Replacement

National Museum of American Art and National Portrait Gallery

Box 8 of 10 8034106, Replace Transformer and Network (4 folders)

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National Air and Space Museum

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