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Collection Overview

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Descriptive Entry

These records consist of project files for the renovation or improvement of facilities for various Smithsonian Institution buildings, particularly the construction of the Hirshhorn Museum building. Materials include blueprints and architectural drawings, specifications, correspondence with contractors, payroll sheets, progress and inspection reports, and photographs.

Buildings and museums documented in this collection include: National Museum of American History, National Museum of Natural History, Smithsonian Institution Building, Arts and Industries Building, National Museum of American Art, National Portrait Gallery, National Air and Space Museum, Renwick Gallery, Silver Hill Facility, Smithsonian Environmental Research Center, Quadrangle Building, Hirshhorn Museum and Sculpture Garden, Museum Support Center, Anacostia Museum, the National Mall, and Smithsonian Tropical Research Institute.

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
Black-and-white photographs
Drawings
Manuscripts

Names:

Anacostia Museum
Arts and Industries Building (Washington, D.C.)
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 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. Museum Support Center
Smithsonian Institution. Quadrangle Complex
Smithsonian Tropical Research Institute

Geographic Names:

Mall, The (Washington, D.C.)

Container Listing

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Instrument Shop Phase II

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