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## Collection Overview

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## Administrative Information

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## Descriptive Entry

This accession consists of records documenting the Biological Dynamics of Forest Fragments Project (BDFF - formerly the Minimum Critical Size of Ecosystems Project), headed by Project Director Richard O. Bierregaard. A joint venture in conjunction with the World Wildlife Fund, the Smithsonian Institution, and the Instituto Nacional de Pesquisas da Amazonia, the BDFF Project was transferred from the World Wildlife Fund to the National Museum of Natural History in 1989. These records were generated mostly by Bierregaard and his staff, and include correspondence, invoices, budgetary information, and annual and progress reports. Some of the records are in Spanish or Portuguese.

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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:

Rain forests  
Research

### Types of Materials:

Brochures  
Manuscripts

Names:

Bierregaard, Richard O.  
Biological Dynamics of Forest Fragments Project  
Instituto Nacional de Pesquisas da Amazônia  
World Wildlife Fund (U.S.)

## Container Listing

### Box 1

- Box 1 of 2                      Folders 1-125 Purchases and invoices
- Box 1 of 2                      Folders 126-130 Chronological correspondence files, 1987-1989
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- Box 1 of 2                      Folder 133 Poisonous animal literature-identification and treatment
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- Box 1 of 2                      Folder 135 Migratory Bird Project memo, 1982
- Box 1 of 2                      Folder 136 National Science Foundation proposal, guidelines; Sequoia Foundation proposal; Judith Rankin contract
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### Box 2

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