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## Collection Overview

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## Administrative Information

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## Descriptive Entry

This accession consists of the records of Joseph M. Young, former Museum Specialist for the Division of Historic Archeology, circa 1969-1973; Division of Naval History, 1973-1984; and the Division of Armed Forces History, 1984-1994. These records primarily consist of memoranda and correspondence documenting Youngs' work on the Flag Collection in the Division of Naval History, which later became part of the Division of Armed Forces History, and pertain to his work on underwater historic archeology holdings of the Division of Historic Archeology.

Materials also include files once maintained by the secretary for the Division of Naval History, Frances Hainer. These records consist of exhibition proposals, scripts, and labels for the Armed Forces Hall at the National Museum of History and Technology; correspondence of Harold D. Langley, Curator of Naval History; photographs of the Seaman's Model of the U.S.S. Peacock; and biographical information.

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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:

- Flags
- Historical museums
- Military history
- Museum curators

Naval history  
Underwater archaeology

Types of Materials:

Black-and-white photographs  
Books  
Brochures  
Clippings  
Drawings  
Manuscripts

Names:

Hainer, Mildred F.  
Langley, Harold D.  
National Museum of American History (U.S.). Division of Naval History  
National Museum of American History (U.S.). Hall of Armed Forces History  
National Museum of History and Technology. Division of Historic Archeology  
Peacock (Ship)  
Young, Joseph M.

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## Container Listing

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