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Descriptive Entry

This accession consists of the records of Lillian B. Miller, the late Editor of the Charles Willson Peale Papers, and document her tenure as Editor. Records contain information pertaining to the planning and development of the Peale Papers Project and related exhibitions, conferences, and events. The records also document Dr. Miller's professional activities as a member, advisor, and officer on various Smithsonian Institution (SI) and non-SI committees, boards, and councils. Materials include correspondence, memoranda, minutes, notes, photographs, brochures, program proposals and plans, grant applications and proposals, speeches, reports, agenda, newspaper clippings and journal articles, and evaluations.

For additional information concerning Lillian B. Miller's career, see the Archives' Biographical Information Files (RU 7098).

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Dictionary of Women Artists
Dictionary of Art articles by Lillian B. Miller
Drexel University Museum
Dumbarton House - Miller Talk
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E

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Fordham University Press
Fraher, Lawrence
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Friendly, Marie Louise
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Landgarten, Helen
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LeMond, Don W.
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Los Angeles County Museum of Art
Ludington, Professor Townsend

McKay, Terry
Madonia, Ann
Madway, Ruthanne
Mancini, Joanne (2 folders)
Manthorne, Katherine
Marling
Metro, Judy
University of Minnesota Press

Mast, Brigid A.
Meikle, Jeffery L.
Merrill, Linda (2 folders)
Miles, Cecily
Miles, Ellen

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N

National Archives - Education, 1979

National Endowment for the Humanities (NEH)

NEH News Releases

NEH Guidelines and Application Instructions

National Gallery of Art - Center for Advanced Study in the Visual Arts


Newport Symposium

Nigrelli, Akela

Northampton Community College

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Olin, Ferris

Olson, Lester

Orlove, Beverly

Osborne, Carol

O'Sullivan, Judith

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Perdue, Edward

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Paca, Barbara

Palumbo, Anne C.

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Summers, George R.

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Tahar, Juliette
Teitelman, Robert
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Thomas, Christopher A.
Trope-Podell, Marie H.
Trotter, William H.
Turano, Jane
Ullman, Eugene Paul

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Verplanck, Anne

Virginia Magazine of History and Biography

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Wallach, Alan
Wajda, Shirley
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Waring, Joseph

Historical Society of Washington

Waterman, Lois
Welby, Michael
Wierich, Jochen

William and Mary - Commonwealth Center

William and Mary Quarterly (2 folders)
Williamsburg Commonwealth Center

Wilson Center Symposium, 1987

SI Women's Committee

The Getty Grant Program

Bibliography of American Art

Peale Family Papers - Budget, 1988-1989

Peale Family Papers - Rembrandt Peal (ReP) Position

Research Inquiries, 1996 - for SI Collections Program

Peale Papers - Torch Submissions

Lillian B. Miller Honoraria to National Portrait Gallery (NPG)

Recruitment

Staff Meeting, January 28, 1997 - Millennium

Awards - Quality Increases, etc.

Lillian B. Miller - Temporary File

Lillian B. Miller

Personnel: Job Description Editor

Exhibition Materials

Corcoran Exhibition

Philadelphia and Corcoran Exhibition

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Philadelphia Exhibition Materials (2 folders)

SI Congress of Scholars

SI Museum Studies

Cuffe, Ron

SI Exhibition Proposals

SI of the Future!

John Hopkins University - SI Program in American Culture

SI Office of Fellowships and Grants

SI Office of Museum Programs
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National Portrait Gallery (NPG) Disclaimer

Chronological Files, 1974-1982 (13 folders)

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1900 Seminar on "Gender Perspectives: The Impact of Women on Museums," March 8-10, 1990

Symposium with Institute of Early American History and Culture - "The Portrait in America from 1700-1776," October/November 1987

National Endowment for the Humanities (NEH) Letter of Renewal of Grant RE-24851-76-737

East-Central/American Society for 18th Century Studies

Review of Biography of Thomas Say for SI Press, 1986

History, Applied Public History, University of South Carolina

American Studies - Pakistan, August 15, 1985

Grants (Various Proposals) - NEH, APS, SI

SI Research Awards, 1972-1973

C. W. Peale Project - Background Material

American Philosophical Society

SI Forum on Material Culture

American Studies Association Meeting, San Diego

Correspondence

Budget, 1979-1980 - Five Year Projection

Grindhammer, Lucille

Boston University Lecture, March 23, 1977

Boston University Seminar at NPG, March 8-9, 1976
Lecture (Walt Whitman High School, February 26, 1976) - Image of Women in Art

Miscellaneous Papers and Projects

The Washington Papers

Latrobe Papers

The Papers of Robert Mills

Loyola University Speech, May 1976

Philadelphia Bicentennial Meeting, April 1-4, 1975

Papers of William Thornton

Yellis, Ken

Philatelic Lecture - Contributors to a Common Cause, March 25, 1975

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Daniel Reed File on Peale Project

The Papers of Robert Mills (L. B. Miller: Member of the Advisory Board)

The Papers of Robert Morris

The Papers of Henry Laurens

The Papers of James Madison

The Papers of John Marshall

Wells Fargo - Bicentennial Project

In the Minds and Hearts of the People (Exhibition)

The Papers of Pierre Charles L'Enfant - L'Enfant Forum (sponsors)

Maryland

Washburn, Wilcomb E. - Seminar, Fall 1980

National Historic Publications Commission

Sellers Project, Summer 1975

Exhibition of the Luman Reed Exhibition (The New York Historical Society)

Contributions to Project: Information, Reminiscences, Pictures, etc.

Rosenbach Foundation, The Philip H. and A. S. W.

American Council of Learned Societies (ACLS), 1986-1987

Hance, Wiley
Historical Society of Pennsylvania

NPG 1846 Exhibition

"On the Road with John James Audubon"

Wyck

Geyer, Virginia

Final Report for NEH Grant, 1974-1976

Hance, Wiley F. (Times Four Productions, Inc.)

Hance, Wiley F., Executive Producer, Public TV WNED, Buffalo, New York

ACLS

Women's Committee - Seminar, "Gender Perspective: The Impact of Women on Museums," 1990

Organization of American Historians

The Problem of an Artistic Canon

Hartman-Cox Architects

Films

Research Opportunities Fund #1252F602 (Sidney Hart, Spring 1986)

New York Research Trip - Miller, 1986

Sabbatical - Research Letters, Inquiries, etc.

Employment

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Peale Papers - Memos from Editor to Staff

L. B. Miller - Research Permissions

Conversion: Lanier Disks to IBM WP

Slide - Correspondence, Miscellaneous

National Museum of American Art (NMAA) Inventory of American Sculpture

Committee on Academic Hiring, 1987

NPG Collection Based Research

Smithsonian Opportunities for Research and Study

Conference on the Publication of American Historical Manuscripts, University of Iowa
Lectures
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Phelan, Mary

The Dye Is Now Cast - Summary
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The Dye Is Now Cast - Book Reviews
The Dye Is Now Cast - Memoranda
American Studies Program Advisory Committee (2 folders)

Smithsonian Residents
Bibliography Working File
Library of Congress (BB Research)
Research re: Letterpress, 1977

Booth, Abby

National Historical Publications and Records Commission (NHPRC) re: Funding, 1976

Publishers (potential) - Letterpress

News Release for September 3, 1974 - L. B. Miller to Edit Peale Papers

Accounting Ledger

18th Century Studies Session
Steering Committee

American Society for Eighteenth-Century Studies (ASECS), April 18-20, 1979
Lecture at Catholic University, March 10, 1976
Georgetown Day School Lecture, November 19, 1976

Symposium, 1978 - The American Renaissance: The Concept of the Renaissance and Its Expression in American Art, 1876-1917

Kansas State University, November 10-11, 1977
Symposium - Independence Hall

Corcoran Gallery

American Studies Association Biennial Meeting, October 1977
Research Awards Panel, 1979
College of William and Mary, Williamsburg, Virginia
Photograph of L. B. Miller at LaSalle University, 1988
Legislative Records
National Archives
Commonwealth Center for the Study of American Culture, College of William and Mary
St. James Press - Entries for Art and Artists Project
L. B. Miller - Memorial Tribute Invitation, May 8, 1998
San Francisco Travel Plans
American National Biography
L. B. Miller - NEH Review
Book Reviews and Correspondence, 1988-1991
Contemporary Authors (Listing) - L. B. Miller
Patrons and Patronage, Woodmere Art Museum
Pennsylvania Academy of the Fine Arts (PAFA) - Symposium, 1984
Barrow, Elizabeth Brower
L. B. Miller - Writings, The Puritan Portrait
L. B. Miller - Review in American Historical Review of Brian Dippie's "Catlin and His Contemporaries"

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Milwaukee Art Museum (Elizabeth Fernandez-Gimenez)
Milwaukee Art Museum - Lectures, April 27 and 28, 1988
Minnesota Historical Society
Massachusetts Institute of Technology

Mount Vernon

ReP Exhibition - L. B. Miller Talk

Magazine Antiques - ReP Article

ReP - L. B. Miller Lecture for Sotheby's Students

L. B. Miller - October 12, History Roundtable, SI Regents

Delaware Symposium (in Conjunction with 67th Delaware Exhibition, Friday, November 18, 1983) - L. B. Miller: "Academics and Juries in American History"

ReP, Erasmus Thomas Private Collection (Huntington)

Lecture: Department of History, University of California, Lecture Hall, NPG, March 19, 1982

Project 1987 - "This Constitution" Correspondence File

Peale Inquiries/Responses to Miller Article in SI Magazine, April 1979

Autobiography - Outline

Secretary's Fluid Research Fund

Research Opportunities Fund

Washington's Headquarters, October 12, 1980

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Press Releases

In the Minds and Hearts of the People (Exhibition)

Mt. Holyoke College - Panel, October 8, 1976

Book Review - University of Chicago, Charles Fenderich, October 28, 1975

Administration - New Director (Alan Fern), June 1982

NPG Policy on Independent Research

Yale University Press, Fall 1988 (Correspondence with M. A. Galligan)

Rafinesque Papers (NHPRC Proposal), September 1980

Miller, L. B. - Sabbatical, 1984-1985

Space Needs - Old Post Office Building

NPG Donors Since 1980 (Copley Medals)
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Peale Information

Trust for Museum Exhibitions (TME) Correspondence - Loan Requests (2 folders)

Trust for Museum Exhibitions - Peale Exhibit

Peale Legacy (3 folders)

Trust for Museum Exhibitions (Ann van Devanter Townsend, President) (2 folders)

American Studies Association (ASA), 1985-1986 (2 folders)

Salzman, Jack (Prospects, ASA)

Martinez, Katherine

American Quarterly - Reviewer of Articles, 1986

Budget, 1984-1985 - Five Year Plan, 1985-1989

American Quarterly

American Studies Seminar - George Washington University and the University of Maryland, Spring 1988

American Studies Seminar, Fall 1980

American Studies Program, George Washington University, Fall 1983

American Studies Program, George Washington University, Spring 1986

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Report (Annual) of C. W. Peale Papers to Editorial Advisory Board, September 26, 1975

American Studies Seminar

Bicentennial - American Revolution

Columbia University Seminar, November 13, 1979
American Quarterly and American Studies Association


Outlines and Selected Lists

In Pursuit of Fame: Rembrandt Peale, 1992

Peale Papers Book Editors Luncheon, January 31, 1984

Bowdoin College (consultant work) (5 folders)

American Academy and Institute of Arts and Letters, Summer 1987

Trust for Museum Exhibitions - Participants

Corcoran Members Talk

Resident Associates - C. W. Peale and the National Identity, May 4, 1987

Organization of American Historians (OAH) Morning Session #53, April 4, 1987

3rd Floor Library Exhibit for "C. W. P. and His World"

Peale Exhibition - Amon Carter Museum, Metropolitan Museum

Cable TV News Interview with Lillian B. Miller re: Peale Exhibition, November 12 for November 25, 1982

Response to Peale Show "C. W. P. and His World"

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1982 Peale Exhibition - Slide Show

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Session on Government Patronage of the Arts in Early America, 1987

Peale Exhibition, 1982 - Reviews (Newspapers, Magazines, etc.)

Book Reviews, 1979-1980

Book/Article Review Comments, 1979-1980

Book Reviews, October 1, 1980 to November 30, 1982 (2 folders)

William and Mary Quarterly - Referee Evaluation "C. Bulfinch and Early American Architectural Illustrations"

Book Reviews - General Correspondence

18th Century Seminar, 1974-1977
18th Century Seminar Speakers

18th Century Seminar Mailing List, 1975-1976

NEH Proposal Review, April 26, 1982

18th Century Seminar, 1978-1979

NEH Samuel Gompers Application (RE-20044), Santayana Edition (RE-20078)

NEH (Consultation) Marcus Garvey Papers - Visit, July 8-10, 1981

NEH Funding re: The World of Jonathan Edwards

NEH Review of Latrobe Application and Recommendation, 11/1980

Downey - NEH Institute for Elementary School Teachers at University of Colorado, Boulder

Garvey Papers Proposal - Evaluation, 1982

Winterthur Portfolio (Editorial Board) - 3 year term (May 1978)

Seminar - 18th Century America, Mailing List, 1975

The Dunlap Society Advisory Council, July 1978

American Academy and Institute of Arts and Letters (Exhibition Possibility)

Institute of Fine Arts Symposium, April 4 and 5, 1986

Institute of Early American History and Culture - 3 year appointment, July 1982-1985

Institute of Early American History and Culture Fellowship Committee, 1984

American Studies Association (ASA), Fall 1983

American Studies Association, 1984

American Studies Association - L. B. Miller, Council Member, 1983

ASA Regional Meeting, Chapel Hill, North Carolina, March 29-30, 1985

Institute of Early American History and Culture, 1984

Institute of Early American History and Culture - Nominating Committee

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Institute of Early American History and Culture Meeting, May 10-12, 1984 and May 2-4, 1985

Fellowships and Grants - Committee Meetings, Administration, 1983
Academic Program Committee for History of Art - 3 year appointment, beginning January 1, 1982

Peale Papers - NEH Application

1975 NEH Grant

Funding Efforts

Michael Schaffer's Notes and Correspondence

Research material - Information on Papers for Microfiche Guide

Historical Society of Pennsylvania

C. W. P. - Checklist of Materials in T. Jefferson Papers

Prospectus

Policy

NEH Application for Renewal of Grant RE-20210-74-507 (H-24851), September 1, 1976-August 31, 1979

Kraus-Thomson Royalties

Andrew W. Mellon Foundation - Narrative Reports and Letters of Progress re: Grant for Color Plates for Letterpress

Mellon, Andrew W., Foundation - Gift for Color Plates, February 11, 1983

Tenth Annual American Print Conference, 1979

C. W. Peale Conference - Responses to Notices Announcing Conference

Greene, Professor Jack P., Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, Maryland (Lecture: Tuesday, November 16, 1982)

C. W. Peale Lecture Tours by Lillian B. Miller

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SI Resident Associate Course on American Academy, 1987

Bicentennial Exhibitions - General

Constitution - Maryland's Celebration of the Ratification, June 26-27, 1986

American Revolution Roundtable, Dinner Talk, Founce's Tavern, New York City, October 1, 1985

Slides - ReP Lecture, March 19, 1985

Howe/Kemp - NEH Public History

SI Archives

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Symposium on Italian Influences in American Art, November 21-22, 1987

Colloquium on Peale, Winterthur

18th Century Seminar, 1979-1980

Peale Conference

C. W. P. Conference Expenses, October 23, 1981

Memos (to/from) Acting Director H. F. Pfister, 1981

Administrative Reports to Marvin Sadik, 1980

Smithsonian Council Meeting, October 22, 1982

Publication of the Peale Conference Papers
American Studies Association, Fall 1984
Peale Papers - Administration Reports to Sadik, Evelyn, through 1979-1980
Staff Meeting Reports - Peale Papers
Senior Staff Meetings, 1984-1987
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