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Collection Overview

Repository: Smithsonian Institution Archives, Washington, D.C., osiaref@si.edu
Title: Production Records
Identifier: Record Unit 593
Date: circa 1977 and undated
Extent: 0.25 cu. ft. (1 half document box)
Creator: Smithsonian Institution. Office of Telecommunications
Language: Language of Materials: English

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Historical Note

Nazaret Cherkezian served as Director of the Office of Telecommunications (OTC) from 1976 to 1987. William C. Grayson was Special Coordinator of the Office of Telecommunications in 1976, and later became Senior Telecommunications Specialist from 1977 to 1980 (deceased April 15, 1980). James Cornell was Manager of Publications at the Smithsonian Astrophysical Observatory (SAO) at Cambridge, Massachusetts, in 1979.

Descriptive Entry

This record unit consists of photographs of Cherkezian, circa 1977; Grayson, circa 1977; and Cornell, writer of the OTC film "Mirrors on the Universe: The MMT Story." Also included are photographs of the Emmy award received by OTC for the television show "The Smithsonian Institution with S. Dillon Ripley, Secretary," and images from the OTC film "Reunion: Memories of an American Experience."

Names and Subject Terms

This collection is indexed in the online catalog of the Smithsonian Institution under the following terms:

Subjects:
Documentary films
Documentary television programs
Emmy Awards
Motion pictures -- Production and direction
Television -- Production and direction

Types of Materials:
Black-and-white photographs

Names:
Cherkezian, Nazaret
Cornell, James C., Jr.
Grayson, William C.
Smithsonian Astrophysical Observatory

Preferred Titles:
Mirrors on the Universe: The MMT story (Motion picture : 1979)
Reunions: Memories of an American Experience (Documentary film : 1979)
Smithsonian Institution with S. Dillon Ripley, Secretary (Television program)
Container Listing

Box 1

Box 1 of 1  Folder 1 Historic photographs from "Reunion: Memories of an American Experience," produced by Karen Loveland during the late 1970s. Loveland was then with the Office of Exhibits Central Motion Picture Unit.

Box 1 of 1  Folder 2 Nazarel Cherkezian, c. 1977. Portraits of Cherkezian. Pictures of Cherkezian and William C. Grayson, both holding an Emmy Award for the documentary "The Smithsonian Institution with S. Dillon Ripley, Secretary." Contact Sheets and Negatives.

Box 1 of 1  Folder 3 William C. Grayson, c. 1977. Portrait of Grayson. Picture of Grayson and Cherkezian, both holding an Emmy Award for the documentary "The Smithsonian Institution with S. Dillon Ripley, Secretary." Negatives.


Box 1 of 1  Folder 5 Washington Chapter of the National Academy of Television Arts and Sciences, Emmy Award to "The Smithsonian Institution with S. Dillon Ripley, Secretary" (1977). Photographs of the Emmy Award. Negatives.