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Descriptive Summary

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Unit Date

1959-1988

Language

English .

Creator

Meyer, H. Mitchell (Herman Mitchell), 1902-1988

Extent

0.33 Linear Feet

Repository

VCU James Branch Cabell Library

Administrative Information

Access Restrictions

Collection is open to research.

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Biographical Information

H. Mitchell Meyer was born circa 1902 in Richmond, Virginia. He graduated from the University of Virginia and received a law degree from the University of Richmond. He completed post graduate study at Harvard Law School and Columbia University. He operated Meyer's Dry Goods Store on Hull Street from the early 1920's until 1956, when he began taking summer art classes at the Skowhegan School of Art in Maine. He and his wife were the first persons to participate in a VCU program allowing senior citizens to take free classes. At age 60, he graduated with a master of fine arts degree and began teaching history at VCU. He participated in a number of art shows and won several awards. He designed his own home and sculpture garden and was a member and past president of the Richmond Artists' Association. He was also a past president of the South Richmond Optimist Club.

Scope and Contents

Papers, 1959-1988, of H. Mitchell Meyer consisting of documents relating to the Federal Arts Council of Richmond, his class notes, and sketches and prints.

Keywords

Arts -- Virginia -- Richmond.

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Federated Arts Council of Richmond

Meyer, H. Mitchell (Herman Mitchell), 1902-1988

Virginia Commonwealth University -- Alumni and alumnae

Arrangement

Arranged alphabetically.

Description of Subordinate Components

Class-related items

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Unit Date 1963-1968

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Federal Arts Council of Richmond

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Unit Date 1973-1975

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Newspaper clippings and exhibit brochures**Unit ID** /repositories/5/archival_objects/46249**Unit Date** 1959-1988**Mixed Materials** 1 (box)**Notes****Unit ID** /repositories/5/archival_objects/46250**Unit Date** undated**Mixed Materials** 1 (box)**Notes****Unit ID** /repositories/5/archival_objects/46251**Unit Date** undated**Mixed Materials** 1 (box)**Notes****Unit ID** /repositories/5/archival_objects/46252**Unit Date** undated**Mixed Materials** 1 (box)**Notes****Unit ID** /repositories/5/archival_objects/46253**Unit Date** undated**Mixed Materials** 1 (box)**One Man Show at Lynchburg Fine Arts Center****Unit ID** /repositories/5/archival_objects/46254**Unit Date** 1963**Mixed Materials** 1 (box)**Prints****Unit ID** /repositories/5/archival_objects/46255**Unit Date** undated**Mixed Materials** 1 (box)**Sketches****Unit ID** /repositories/5/archival_objects/46256**Unit Date** undated**Mixed Materials** 1 (box)**Sketchbook****Unit ID** /repositories/5/archival_objects/46257**Unit Date** undated**Mixed Materials** 1 (box)**Prints****Unit ID** /repositories/5/archival_objects/46258**Unit Date** 1960**Mixed Materials** 1 (box)**Physical Location** Located in oversize - map drawer 24

Sketches, paintings, photographs

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Unit Date 1960-1974

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