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Annual Report

OCTOBER 1, 2021-SEPTEMBER 30, 2022

Letter from the **Interim Director**



Ursula von Rydingsvard with URODA, at her fabrication studio in Greenpoint, Brooklyn, 2015. Photograph by Jerry L. Thompson. Jerry L. Thompson papers.



DEAR FRIENDS.

Thank you for making fiscal year 2022 (October 1, 2021 to September 30, 2022) another remarkable year for the Archives of American Art. From acquiring 67 new collections and making 215 finding aids available online (a new record), to reopening our beautifully renovated DC reading room and offices, this year is one of tremendous growth and achievement. In these pages, you will find highlights of the Archives of American Art's accomplishments made possible, in large part, by friends and donors like you.

As I look back on this year, our special event on December 16, 2021, celebrating the acquisition and conservation of George Leslie Stout's WWII diaries, stands out. This event, organized by our associate director for advancement, Jenny L. Williams, was hosted by German Ambassador Emily Haber at her residence in Washington, DC. Ambassador Haber's home was an appropriately distinguished setting to thank our donors, to honor Stout's service and the heroism of the Monuments Men, and to underscore the value of preserving our cultural heritage. Smithsonian Secretary Lonnie G. Bunch III, and Ambassador Haber gave remarks. Stout's diaries, in which he recorded his movements through Europe in 1944 and 1945, discovering and recovering looted treasures stockpiled by the Third Reich, were on display, along with the Congressional Gold Medal that was awarded to the Monuments Men in 2015 and held in trust at the Archives of American Art.

This year we digitized the papers of land artists Robert Smithson and Nancy Holt. We are pleased to announce that this most-requested collection is now available online. Our collecting efforts are almost back to normal, post-pandemic. New notable collections include the papers of painters Audrey Flack and Robert Bechtle, art writers Robert Hughes and Kim Levin, collector Hester Diamond, and director emeritus of the Museum of Arts and Design Paul J. Smith, among others.

In many ways, 2022 was "the year of the woman" at the Archives of American Art. For our podcast, Articulated, we launched a new six-part series, "Between Artists," featuring women artists responding to, and in conversation with, past voices from the Archives' oral history collection. The Fall 2022 issue of the Archives of American Art Journal was all about women, including an article by Grace Kuipers on Flo Allen, a Bay Area artists' model and labor activist. Among our fundraising successes, we were awarded six separate grants from the Smithsonian American Women's History Initiative to support conservation, processing, and digitization, as well as improved access to oral history transcripts. We are honored to hold the papers of more women artists than any other archive or special collection in the world, and these projects shine a bright light on one of our great strengths.

What's more, we joined the Cooper Hewitt, Smithsonian Design Museum on a successful proposal to fund a research assistant who will explore the lives of women who worked in the studio of textile designer Dorothy Liebes. This research enhances our knowledge of Liebes's network and will contribute to a major exhibition, A Dark, a Light, a Bright: The Designs of Dorothy Liebes, opening at the Cooper Hewitt in July 2024. The Archives was also part of a multi-unit award to digitize audio visual materials across the Smithsonian. Our piece of that proposal will fund the digital preservation of audio and video recordings among the papers of feminist artist Nancy Spero.

Archives of American Art

Letter from the Interim Director



Paulus Berensohn, circa 2010. Photographer unknown. Paulus Berensohn papers.

In May, we held a Computer Art Study Day, supported by the Terra Foundation for American Art. This convening, organized by Josh Franco, brought together key stakeholders in preserving the history of computer art, including artists, art historians, and a broad range of museum professionals from the US, Canada, and Germany. The expansive conversations helped us gain new clarity around the challenges of preserving this often-elusive historical record.

Thomas Edwards, with assistance from Lewis Tio, produced the Archives' first compressive guide to our Asian Pacific American holdings. This publication lays the groundwork for a new federally funded, five-year collecting initiative, beginning in 2023 with substantial support from the Smithsonian Asian Pacific American Center.

Now more than ever, our oral history program is focused on recording diverse life stories and points of view. Recent highlights include interviews of filmmaker Erika Beckman, Navajo textile artist D. Y. Begay, African American painter and educator Nanette Carter, painter Walton Ford, Chicana printmaker Ester Hernandez, and photographer David Levinthal.

We look forward to the re-opening of the Lawrence A. Fleischman Gallery in the Donald W. Reynolds Center, now in a new and improved location. The inaugural exhibition in the new space will feature highlights from our collections selected by the Archives staff.

For board of trustees news, in March we celebrated Bridget Moore's official transition from board chair to trustee emerita and marked George Frederick Mead Merck's first official day as the new chair of the board. Since joining us in 2017, George has been a remarkable advocate. In addition to his consistent presence and valued input, he has ably led the gala committee, finding fresh ways to boost our largest annual fundraising event. We also welcomed Diane Fogg back on the board and new trustee Jessica Stafford Davis. Amanda Quinn Olivar worked with us to produce a sensational virtual program on March 4, in partnership with the Bakersfield Museum of Art, highlighting her family's art collection and the Archives' strong history of collecting the papers of West Coast artists.

You are a huge part of making all this possible. Your generosity helps enable much of our important work, and we are grateful. Thank you!

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October 14

Oral history archivist Jennifer Snyder co-chaired a town hall session about the revised Oral History Association's publication Archiving Oral History: Manual of Best Practices, at the OHA annual meeting in Los Angeles.

October 14

Archivist Rayna Andrews participated in the virtual panel "Black Art Librarians: Vision and Image," at the conference BLACK PORTRAITURE[S]: Absent/ed Presence, hosted by the Agnes Etherington Art Centre, Queen's University, Kingston, Ontario, Canada.

October 21

Interim director Liza Kirwin participated in a virtual panel, "What does it take to build an archive?" sponsored by the ArtCenter College of Design, in Pasadena, CA.

November 5

As part of the 2021 CraftNOW symposium in Philadelphia, Liza Kirwin led a conversation with former Archives trustee Helen W. Drutt English about her life experience at the center of the contemporary craft world.

November 5

Head of collecting Josh T Franco and registrar and collections manager Susan Cary hosted a workshop on archival policies and procedures for the Association of Registrars and Collections Specialists' annual conference.

December 16

German Ambassador to the United States Emily Margarethe Haber hosted the Archives of American Art, Smithsonian Secretary Lonnie G. Bunch III, and special guests for a reception at her residence in celebration of the recently acquired World War II diaries of Monuments Man George Leslie Stout.



Liza Kirwin with Secretary Lonnie G. Bunch, III, his wife Maria Marable-Bunch, and German Ambassador Emily Margarethe Haber at the December 16 event.

February 2

at Little Rock.

March 4

collections.



Jennifer Snyder participated in a panel about conducting oral history interviews as part of the Master of Arts in Public History program at the University of Arkansas

Gerald and Bente Buck West Coast Collector Matthew Simms joined trustee Amanda Quinn Olivar, her mother Joan Agajanian Quinn, and curator Rachel McCullah Wainwright for a collaborative virtual event showcasing the exhibition On the Edge: Los Angeles Art, 1970s-1990s, from the Joan and Jack Quinn Family Collection at the Bakersfield Museum of Art and related material in the Archives'

Rachel McCullah Wainwright, Joan Agajanian Quinn, Amanda Quinn Olivar, Liza Kirwin, and Matthew Simms during On the Edge, the Archives' virtual collaboration with the Bakersfield Museum of Art, March 4, 2022.



Elsa Flores, portrait study, annotated: "La Santisima Joan Quinn—Patron Saint to the Arts, Elsa Flores '96, painted photo xerox." Carlos Almaraz and Elsa Flores papers. Featured in the March 4 event.

Events

March 25

Head of collecting Josh T Franco moderated the panel "Artistic Communities in New York," as part of the virtual conference This Must Be the Place: Latin American Artists in New York, 1965-1975, sponsored by the Americas Society in New York City.

April 1

Josh T Franco presented on DC artists in the Archives of American Art at the DC Public Library's Think-In on local art at the Martin Luther King Jr. Memorial Library.

April 13

Digital initiatives archivist Jess Purkis was a speaker at the Smithsonian Transcription Center's One Million Pages celebration.

April 25

Jess Purkis presented at a virtual transcribe-a-thon for 4,000 volunteers focused on the Archives' resources, cohosted by the Smithsonian Transcription Center and Bank of America.

May 2

Liza Kirwin presided over an afternoon symposium and panel discussion, "New Research, Collaborations, and Provenance Resources," a reunion of the German/ American Provenance Research Exchange Program (PREP), co-hosted by the Embassy of the Federal Republic of Germany and the Archives of American Art, at the Embassy in Washington, DC. The gathering honored former Smithsonian senior program officer Jane Milosch, director of the PREP program, who was awarded the Cross of the Order of Merit of the Federal Republic of Germany for her efforts to identify art confiscated by the Nazis during World War II.

May 19-20

Josh T Franco led a Computer Art Study Day, supported by the Terra Foundation for American Art, at the Archives' headquarters in Washington, DC. The convening gathered key stakeholders in preserving the history of computer art, including artists, art historians, and a broad range of museum professionals from the US, Canada, and Germany.



Josh T Franco and artist Fred Truck review items from his papers on a behind-the-scenes tour of the Archives' storage for Computer Art Study Day, May 19–20, 2022.

May 31

June 6





Josh T Franco participated in a closed-door convening of artists, scholars, and writers at the Museo del Barrio, New York City, to generate new methods of approaching the theme of "Expanded Graphics" at the museum.

As part of our public programming to celebrate the Archives' newly renovated reading room, Liza Kirwin, Josh T Franco, and Gil and Ann Kinney New York Collector Jacob Proctor participated in a panel discussion, "Past, Present, and Future: Collecting for the Archives of American Art," moderated by Ben Gillespie, Arlene and Robert Kogod Secretarial Scholar for Oral History.

The Archives' new reading room, June 2022.

June 14

Josh T Franco participated in the panel "Research Subjects Ancestors" as part of Engaging Latinx Art: Methodological and Pedagogical Approaches, a National Endowment for the Humanities' Summer Institute hosted by the Museum of Fine Arts, Houston.



A new mural in the Archives' renovated office space, June 2022.



Ben Gillespie, Liza Kirwin, Josh T Franco, and Jacob Proctor at our June 6 panel discussion.

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August 5

Liza Kirwin hosted a gathering of 25 cultural heritage professionals from the Army Reserve and international military personnel who were participating in the Army Monuments Officer Training program. She presented diaries, letters, photographs, and other original documents of the Monuments Men, as well as the Congressional Gold Medal awarded to them in 2015. This event was sponsored by the Smithsonian Cultural Rescue Initiative.





LEFT AND ABOVE: Participants in the Army Monuments Officer Training program visit the Archives to see the papers of Monuments Men who served in World War II.

September 6

Liza Kirwin virtually visited Linda Merrill's art history class at Emory University to talk about painter Edmund Tarbell in Paris in the 1880s, and the adventure of acquiring his papers. Dr. Merrill, a former curator of American art at the Freer, is senior lecturer and director of undergraduate studies in art history at Emory.

September 8

Josh T Franco participated in a live event with Devon Dikeou, Archive Live: Unpacking the Archives of Devon Dikeou with Josh T Franco, at the Dikeou Collection in Denver, CO.



Josh T Franco and Devon Dikeou in Denver, CO, September 8, 2022.

Unboxed Lunch

The Archives virtual program, Unboxed Lunch, is now in its second season. Designed to attract a broad, diverse lunchtime audience, Unboxed Lunch relies on an element of surprise and curiosity, with a staff member "unboxing" a newly acquired collection live online. It is a perfect platform to talk about new collections, start new conversations about our work, and field questions from the audience throughout the 30-minute program.

October 22: Ro November 19: December 15: January 21: Rin February 18: El



Collecting and Processing the Robert Pincus-Witten Papers with Jennifer Neal, archivist, and Proctor, Gilbert and Ann Kinney New York Collect

Unboxed Lunch invitation, October 22, 2021.

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Susan Schwalb papers	June 24: Marie Romero Cash papers
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Discover the Rimer Cardillo papers with Josh T. Franco, National Collector

Unboxed Lunch invitation, January 21, 2022.



Discover the Roberta Allen papers with Jacob Proctor, the Archives' Gilbert and Ann Kinney New York Collector

Unboxed Lunch invitation, September 16, 2022.

Publications

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Publications



Archives of American Art Journal Volume 61, Number 1, Spring 2022 Volume 61, Number 2, Fall 2022

In early March, the Spring 2022 journal debuted online and in print. The issue tackled wide-ranging subject matter including the historiography of French impressionism, nonbinary approaches to sex in midcentury painting, and public art that represents the US-Mexico border. It also included a suite of original art works by Mary Lum inspired by source material in the Ray Yoshida Papers.

In Fall 2022, the journal highlighted how a new generation of researchers is mining the Archives' holdings to rethink women's roles in established narratives of twentieth-century American art. The issue also featured a conversation among a diverse group of eleven college and museum educators about teaching with primary sources, an outgrowth of the Archives' ongoing Teaching with Primary Sources initiative.

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new and unimagined ways.

Articulated: Dispatches from the Archives

Since 1958, the Archives of American Art's oral history program has preserved the distinct voices and human memory of the American art world in more than 2,500 interviews. The Archives' monthly podcast Articulated draws on those interviews of the famous and the forgotten, featuring firsthand accounts from artists, dealers, writers, and other key figures, in dialogue with today's thought leaders. Their expansive conversations and often surprising memories challenge us to see the world and our shared history in

Launched on August 26, 2021, Articulated is supported by the Alice L. Walton Foundation.

Episodes airing this fiscal year

Season One

5. The AIDS Crisis and Oueer Activist Art

6. I am a Lesbian and Proud: the AIDS crisis, community, and queer visibility

7. Women and Technology

8. The Preservation and Maintenance of Cultural Heritage

9. Oral History at the Archives of American Art

Season Two

1. Frederick Weston: A Legacy of Love

2. Jesse Treviño: Spurring San Antonio

3. Catherine Opie: Holding History

4. Imagining Feminism: Sarah Charlesworth and Celia Alvarez Muñoz

5. Border Material: Mending with Consuelo Jiménez Underwood

6. Rage and Mourning: Women's Art in Public with Suzanne Lacy and Juana Alicia

7. Lehuauakea, "Weaving and Shaping Native Art Today: a balance between the contemporary and the traditional"

8. Maia Cruz Palileo, "By Gut and Heart: painting with Kay WalkingStick"

9. Mari Hernandez, "Kathy Vargas: the personal political"





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1 Abraham Walkowitz in his studio, 1908. Photographer unknown. Abraham Walkowitz papers. Walkowitz was the first individual interviewed by the Archives for its oral history program, examined in the ninth episode of season 1.

2 Frederick Weston and Marguerite Van Cook at the Archives' Visual Arts and the AIDS Epidemic Symposium, Whitney Museum of American Art, July 13, 2018. Photograph by Filip Wolak. Weston was the focus of Articulated's opening episode of season 2.

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December 3, 2021–March 27, 2022

Andy Warhol: Lifetimes

ITEMS LENT: From the papers of David Bourdon, Russell Lynes, Philip Pearlstein, Cosmos Andrew Sarchiapone, and Alan Solomon, as well as items from the Exhibition records of the Contemporary Study Wing of the Finch College Museum of Art, Leo Castelli Gallery records, and Stable Gallery records.

VENUE: Aspen Art Museum, Aspen, CO

January 20–April 24, 2022

Art for the Future: Artists Call and **Central American Solidarities**

ITEMS LENT: A 1983 flier for the Procession for Peace and two name strips from the Procession for Peace, American Fernanda Perdomo, El Salvador, and Maria Pixtay, Guatemala, from the Nancy Spero papers.

VENUE: Tufts University Art Galleries, Aidekman Arts Center, Medford, MA

October 17, 2021–May 1, 2022

Bernard Langlais: Live and Let Live On

ITEMS LENT: 28 items from the papers of Bernard Langlais, including several letters and notes by Helen Langlais, newspaper clippings about Bernard Langlais and his work, and several photographs of the couple.

VENUE: The John Michael Kohler Arts Center, Sheboygan, WI

February 5-May 22, 2022

Folklore & Avant-garde: The **Reception of Popular Traditions in** the Age of Modernism

ITEMS LENT: Two preliminary works of art by Harry Bowden from his papers, including Study for Williamsburg Mural and Suggestion for a Mural, as well as the December 1935 issue of Art Front from the Balcomb and Gertrude Greene papers.

VENUE: Eskenazi Museum of Art, Indiana University, Bloomington, IN





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1 Andy Warhol and his dog, Archie, North Union Square, 1975. Photograph by Cosmos Andrew Sarchiapone. Cosmos Andrew Sarchiapone papers. From Andy Warhol: Lifetimes.

2 Bernard and Helen Langlais, circa 1960. Photographer unknown. Bernard Langlais papers. From Bernard Langlais: Live and Let Live On.

Forrest Bess: Out of the Blue

ITEMS LENT: Forrest Bess's medical thesis, installation photographs of Bess's exhibitions at the Betty Parsons Gallery, photographs of Bess, newspaper clippings, and letters from Forrest Bess to Mary and Earle Ludgin, Betty Parsons, and Meyer Shapiro. Also included is a letter from Bess to President Dwight D. Eisenhower urging him to use Bess's research in the field of "individuation," a combination of art and psychology that he suggests could combat communism.

March 19-September 18, 2022

Marcel Duchamp: A Revision of the Object

ITEMS LENT: Photographic portraits of Marcel Duchamp and photographs of Duchamp with Louise and Walter Arensberg, Raymond Duchamp-Villon, Katharine Kuh, Joseph Stella, and Jacques Villon, as well as correspondence between Duchamp and Joseph Cornell, Jean Crotti, Suzanne Duchamp, and others. Material is derived from numerous collections, including the Joseph Cornell papers, Katharine Kuh papers, Walt Kuhn Family papers and Armory Show records, Beatrice Wood papers, and others.

VENUE: Museum Für Moderne Kunst, Frankfurt, Germany



larry Bowden, Suggestion for a Mural, gouache and graphite on paper, circa 1936. Harry Bowden apers. From Folklore & want-garde: The Reception of Popular Traditions in the Age of Modernism.

September 30, 2022–January 15, 2023

VENUE: Camden Art Centre, London, England

February 17-June 26, 2022

Meet the Little Prince

ITEMS LENT: Numerous manuscript pages from Letter A Leon Werth, Antoine Saint-Exupéry's introduction to his friend Leon Werth's memoir, 33 Jours, as well as illustrations by Saint- Exupéry based on his "Little Prince" character, which he sent to Hedda Sterne

VENUE: The Musée des Arts Décoratifs, Paris, France



Marcel Duchamp, 1950. Photograph by Robert Bruce Inverarity. Robert Bruce Inverarity papers. From Marcel Duchamp: A Revision of the Object.



Antoine de Saint-Exupéry to Hedda Sterne, circa 1942. Hedda Sterne papers. From Meet the Little Prince.

Selected New Collections

Robert Bechtle papers, circa 1950-2015 Bob and Bob papers, circa 1974–2021 Manuel Bromberg papers, circa 1934–2015 Callicoon Fine Arts records, 2009-2021 Eileen Cowin papers (addition), circa 1977-2020 Hester Diamond papers, circa 1953–2020 Audrey Flack papers (addition), 1950–1922 Four Walls records, 1984–2000 Shirley Gorelick papers, circa 1940–1996 Stanley and Elyse Grinstein papers (addition), circa 1960-2015 Robert Hughes papers, 1958–2012 William Kent papers, 1919–2012 Cleve Overton papers, circa 1940-2021 Robert Reed papers, 1961–2020 Donald Saff papers and Saff Tech Arts records, circa 1980-2015 Michael Simon papers, circa 1982–2012 Paul J. Smith papers, 1955-2011. Stephen Poleskie papers and Chiron Press records, circa 1963-2011

Tom Wudl papers, 1920–2022

Lily Yeh papers, circa 1994–2020







CLOCKWISE FROM TOP

1 Robert Bechtel, study, March 3, 1987. Robert Bechtle papers.

2 Janine Antoni and Beth Haggard at the opening of The Travel and Leisure Show, March 1, 1992. Four Walls records.

3 Cleve Overton working on the potter's wheel at Earthworks Studio, Staten Island, New York, circa 1970. Photographer unknown. Cleve Overton papers.

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Sonya Clark during her oral history interview, June 13-14, 2022.

Oral History Highlights

Interviews Conducted

	Maren Hassinger
	Ester Hernandez
	Virginia Jaramilla
	Brenda Kingery
	David Levinthal
	Linda Lucero
	EJ Montgomery
	Sheila Pepe
ez	David Reed
	Deborah Roberts
	Lou Stovall
	Mario Ybarra, Jr.



Walton Ford in his studio, New York City, July 26, 2022. Photograph by Ben Gillespie.

"...it wasn't me that was painting these pictures. The animals had to tell these stories. They needed to communicate them to us, and this was what I was put on the planet to do."

WALTON FORD, 2022

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1 Mural in progress, the Dandelion School in Beijing, China, 2019. Photographer unknown. Lily Yeh papers.

2 Paul J. Smith holds Kiss frontman Paul Stanley's boot, included in the exhibition The Great American Foot, Museum of Contemporary Crafts, April 14-June 30, 1978, Paul J. Smith papers.

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Lyonel Feininger, landscape sketch, September 10, 1909. Alfred Vance Churchill papers regarding Lyonel Feininger.

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4 Nancy Spero photographed for Galerie Breteau, Paris, circa 1960. Photographer unknown. Nancy Spero papers.

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6 Page from Worden Day sketchbook, circa 1980. Worden Day papers.

7 Mark di Suvero (left) at Storm King Art Center, Mountainville, New York, July 2015. Photograph by Jerry L. Thompson. Jerry L. Thompson papers. Courtesy of Storm King.

8 Page from Beverly Buchanan sketchbook, 1987–1991. Beverly Buchanan papers.

9 Grant Wood to Zenobia B. Ness, October 28, 1930. Grant Wood papers.

10 Senga Nengudi at the beach, date unknown. Photographer unknown. Senga Nengudi papers.

11 Page from Edward Mitchell Bannister scrapbook, 1866–1901. Edward Mitchell Bannister scrapbook.

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