**COOPER, SAMUEL INMAN, 1894-1974.**
**Samuel Inman Cooper papers, 1950-1970**

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**Title:** Samuel Inman Cooper papers, 1950-1970  
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**Extent:** 7.5 linear feet (14 boxes) and 1 oversized paper box (OP)  
**Abstract:** Papers of Atlanta architect Samuel Inman Cooper, including correspondence, photographs, plans, printed material, and memorabilia.  
**Language:** Materials entirely in English.

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Collection Description

Biographical Note
Samuel Inman Cooper, architect, was born February 14, 1894, in Atlanta, Georgia, and died there June 7, 1974. He obtained degrees from Princeton University (Litt. B., 1917) and the University of Pennsylvania (architecture, 1921); was a draftsman in the Atlanta office of A. Ten Eyck Brown (1922-1925); president of Cooper and Cooper, Inc., architects and engineers (1925-1942); vice president (1945-1952) and president (1952-1965) of Cooper, Bond & Cooper, Inc., architects and engineers; and chairman of Cooper, Barrett, Skinner, Woodbury and Cooper, Inc., architects (1965-1972). A designer of school, office, and apartment buildings, Cooper was also a delegate to eight meetings of the Pan American Congress of Architects (1947-1965), chairman of the Atlanta Civic Design Commission (1967-1970), and active in many Atlanta civic organizations. He married Augusta Skeen Cooper in 1930.

Scope and Content Note
The collection consists of correspondence, photographs, plans, printed material, and memorabilia of Samuel Inman Cooper from 1950-1970. The correspondence pertains to buildings designed by Cooper; a photograph album contains plans and photos of the Reid House; printed materials are from the American Federation of Architects, and Princeton University; and memorabilia includes Cooper's diplomas. The collection also includes records relating to his participation in the Pan American Congress of Architects.

Arrangement Note
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