

WILLIS, DEBORAH, 1948- "Carl Van Vechten: American Portraitist" exhibit materials, 1992

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Descriptive Summary

Creator: Willis, Deborah, 1948-
Title: "Carl Van Vechten: American Portraitist" exhibit materials, 1992
Call Number: Manuscript Collection No. 1157
Extent: .25 linear foot (1 box) and 1 oversized papers box (OP)
Abstract: Collection of materials related to the "Carl Van Vechten; American Portraitist" exhibition curated by Deborah Willis including exhibit text and photographs.
Language: Materials entirely in English.

Administrative Information

Restrictions on Access

Unrestricted access.

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Source

Gift, 2010.

Citation

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Processing

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Biographical Note

Deborah Willis (1948-), African American photographer and photographic historian.

Scope and Content Note

The collection contains items that were part of the "Carl Van Vechten: American Portraitist" exhibition curated by Deborah Willis at the "African Americans and Europe" conference in 1992. Materials include exhibit text written by Deborah Willis and Nathan Huggins and 25 Carl Van Vechten photographs. The photographs are copies from original negatives held at the Schomburg Center for Research in Black Culture.

Arrangement Note

Arranged by record type

Container List

Exhibit text

Box	Folder	Content
1	1	Introductory text by Deborah Willis
OP1	1	Exhibit text by Nathan Huggins

Photographs

1	2	Ailey, Alvin
1	3	Anderson, Marian
1	4	Bailey, Pearl
1	5	Baker, Josephine
1	6	Belafonte, Harry
1	7	Bunche, Ralph
1	8	Calloway, Cab
1	9	Cullen, Countee
1	10	Dee, Ruby
1	11	Dodson, Owen
1	12	Dunham, Katherine
1	13	Himes, Chester
1	14	Holder, Geoffrey
1	15	Hughes, Langston
1	16	Hurston, Zora Neale
1	17	Jackman, Harold
1	18	de Lavallade, Carmen
1	19	Price, Leontyne
1	20	Primus, Pearl
1	21	Robeson, Paul
1	22	Van Vechten, Carl
1	23	Warfield, William
1	24	Wright, Richard
