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Bradley Brooks Papers

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Summary information

Repository:	Archives, Indianapolis Museum of Art at Newfields
Title:	Bradley Brooks Papers
Reference code:	HIS002
Date:	1914-2008, undated (creation)
Physical description:	2.5 linear feet

Scope and content

The Bradley Brooks Papers, 1914-2008, contains records during Brooks' time working at the Indianapolis Museum of Art as the Director of Historic Properties between 2006 and 2015. While some of the records were created by Brooks himself, many of the records he collected as background information used within educational binders to aid in projects and serve as resources. Most of the records pertain to the historical houses under Brooks' care, including the Lilly House, the Miller House, and multiple other historical sites. Researchers will find information regarding the architects and oral interviews pertaining to the histories of the sites of value.

Notes

Arrangement

Subject.

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Note [Sources]

Material in the collection.

Other notes

- **Publication status:** Published
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Access points

- Girard, Alexander Hayden, 1907-1993 (subject)

- Kiley, Dan Urban, 1912-2004 (subject)
- Lilly, Josiah Kirby Jr., 1893-1966 (subject)
- Miller, J. Irwin (1909-2004) (subject)
- brochures (documentary form)
- checklists (documentary form)
- clippings (information artifacts) (documentary form)
- contracts (documentary form)
- correspondence (documentary form)
- financial records (documentary form)
- inventories (documentary form)
- memorandums (documentary form)
- notes (documentary form)
- photographs (documentary form)
- slides (photographs) (documentary form)
- cassette tapes (documentary form)
- compact discs (documentary form)
- Architecture, Domestic--Indiana (subject)
- Modern movement (Architecture) (subject)
- Modern movement (Architecture) -- Indiana -- Columbus (subject)
- Columbus (Ind.) -- Buildings, structures, etc., (place)
- Lilly House (Indianapolis, IN.) (place)
- Miller House (Columbus, IN.) (place)

Collection holdings

HIS002-I - Architecture

Title: Architecture

Reference code: HIS002-I

Date: 1998-1999 (date of creation)

Scope and content: Architecture, 1998-1999 contains records regarding the architecture and architects who have worked on the historical houses affiliated with Newfields. The artifacts include Lewis Ketchum Davis, Frederick William Wallick, Douglas Risborough, Charles Latham, Alexander Girard, and G.M. McDougall.

Publication status:

Published

File: HIS002-I-B1F1 - Architects

Title: Architects

Reference code: HIS002-I-B1F1

Date: 1998-1999 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

File: HIS002-I-B1F2 - Architects

Title: Architects

Reference code: HIS002-I-B1F2

Date: 1998-1999 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

File: HIS002-I-B1F3 - Architects

Title: Architects

Reference code: HIS002-I-B1F3

Date: 1998-1999 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

File: HIS002-I-B1F4 - Architectural plans from 1933 and 1959

Title: Architectural plans from 1933 and 1959

Reference code: HIS002-I-B1F4

Date: 1998 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

File: HIS002-I-B1F5 - Articles and pamphlets

Title: Articles and pamphlets

Reference code: HIS002-I-B1F5

Date: undated (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

HIS002-II - Interviews

Title: Interviews

Reference code: HIS002-II

Date: 1917-1998 (date of creation)

Scope and content: Reports, 1917-1998, contains articles, essays, and literature written about historical houses, architecture, and furniture.

Publication status:

Published

File: HIS002-II-B1F6 - Historic furnishing at Oldfields

Title: Historic furnishing at Oldfields

Reference code: HIS002-II-B1F6

Date: 1995 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

File: HIS002-II-B1F7 - “Clarity, contrast, and simplicity: changes in American interiors, 1880-1930”

Title: “Clarity, contrast, and simplicity: changes in American interiors, 1880-1930”

Reference code: HIS002-II-B1F7

Date: 1995 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

File: HIS002-II-B1F8 - Short essays

Title: Short essays

Reference code: HIS002-II-B1F8

Date: 1997 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

File: HIS002-II-B1F9 - Education literature

Title: Education literature

Reference code: HIS002-II-B1F9

Date: 1917-1998 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

HIS002-III - Reports

Title: Reports

Reference code: HIS002-III

Date: 1974-2007 (date of creation)

Scope and content: Interviews, 1974-2007 contains audio recordings of oral interviews, audio transcriptions, notes, and materials used. The interviews pertain to the history of the historical properties overseen by Bradley Brooks. First-hand accounts are included.

Publication status:

Published

HIS002-III-B3F1 - Oral history audio

Title: Oral history audio

Reference code: HIS002-III-B3F1

Date: 1992-2003 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

HIS002-III-B4F1 - Oral history audio

Title: Oral history audio

Reference code: HIS002-III-B4F1

Date: 1992-2003 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

HIS002-III-B1F10 - Oral history transcriptions

Title: Oral history transcriptions

Reference code: HIS002-III-B1F10

Date: 2000-2006 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

HIS002-III-B1F11 - Interview transcriptions

Title: Interview transcriptions

Reference code: HIS002-III-B1F11

Date: 1974 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

HIS002-III-B1F12 - Interview notes

Title: Interview notes

Reference code: HIS002-III-B1F12

Date: 2007 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

HIS002-III-B1F13 - Interview materials

Title: Interview materials

Reference code: HIS002-III-B1F13

Date: undated (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

HIS002-IV - Historical Houses

Title: Historical Houses

Reference code: HIS002-IV

Date: 1914-2003 (date of creation)

Scope and content: Historical Houses, 1914-2003 contains information about various historical properties including the Lilly House, the Miller House, Red Oaks, Twin Oaks, Eagle Creek, Brewster House, Sommers House, Wheeler-Stokely Mansion, the Allison mansion, and Philip Johnson's Glass House. Most of the records are about the Lilly House and the Miller House.

Publication status:

Published

Subseries: HIS002-IV-a - Lilly House

Title: Lilly House

Reference code: HIS002-IV-a

Date: 1914-2012 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

Sub-subseries: HIS002-IV-a-i - Families

Title: Families

Reference code: HIS002-IV-a-i

Date: 1914-2012 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

File: HIS002-IV-a-i-B1F14 - Landons

Title: Landons

Reference code: HIS002-IV-a-i-B1F14

Date: 1920-2003 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

File: HIS002-IV-a-i-B1F15 - Landons

Title: Landons

Reference code: HIS002-IV-a-i-B1F15

Date: 1920-2003 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

File: HIS002-IV-a-i-B1F16 - Landons

Title: Landons

Reference code: HIS002-IV-a-i-B1F16

Date: 1920-2003 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

File: HIS002-IV-a-i-B1F17 - Landons

Title: Landons

Reference code: HIS002-IV-a-i-B1F17

Date: 1920-2003 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

File: HIS002-IV-a-i-B1F18 - Lillys

Title: Lillys

Reference code: HIS002-IV-a-i-B1F18

Date: 1973-2012 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

File: HIS002-IV-a-i-B1F19 - Lillys

Title: Lillys

Reference code: HIS002-IV-a-i-B1F19

Date: 1973-2012 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

File: HIS002-IV-a-i-B1F20 - Lillys

Title: Lillys

Reference code: HIS002-IV-a-i-B1F20

Date: 1973-2012 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

File: HIS002-IV-a-i-B1F21 - Media publications

Title: Media publications

Reference code: HIS002-IV-a-i-B1F21

Date: 1914-1966 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

Sub-subseries: HIS002-IV-a-ii - Exhibitions and Programs

Title: Exhibitions and Programs

Reference code: HIS002-IV-a-ii

Date: 1973-2012 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

File: HIS002-IV-a-ii-B1F22 - Audio tour transcription

Title: Audio tour transcription

Reference code: HIS002-IV-a-ii-B1F22

Date: 2002 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

File: HIS002-IV-a-ii-B3F2 - Audio tour audio

Title: Audio tour audio

Reference code: HIS002-IV-a-ii-B3F2

Date: 2002 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

File: HIS002-IV-a-ii-B1F23 - Colonial Dames of America: furnishing and decorative arts exhibition

Title: Colonial Dames of America: furnishing and decorative arts exhibition

Reference code: HIS002-IV-a-ii-B1F23

Date: 1973-2012 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

File: HIS002-IV-a-ii-B1F24 - Oldfields: the JK Lilly Jr. estate exhibition database

Title: Oldfields: the JK Lilly Jr. estate exhibition database

Reference code: HIS002-IV-a-ii-B1F24

Date: undated (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

File: HIS002-IV-a-ii-B1F25 - Oldfields: the JK Lilly Jr. estate exhibition database

Title: Oldfields: the JK Lilly Jr. estate exhibition database

Reference code: HIS002-IV-a-ii-B1F25

Date: undated (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

File: HIS002-IV-a-ii-B1F26 - IMA/Oldfields exhibit

Title: IMA/Oldfields exhibit

Reference code: HIS002-IV-a-ii-B1F26

Date: 2001 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

File: HIS002-IV-a-ii-B1F27 - “Visions of Oldfields” exhibition

Title: “Visions of Oldfields” exhibition

Reference code: HIS002-IV-a-ii-B1F27

Date: 1999 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

Sub-subseries: HIS002-IV-a-iii - Corporate Documents

Title: Corporate Documents

Reference code: HIS002-IV-a-iii

Date: 1992-2003 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

File: HIS002-IV-a-iii-B1F28 - National historic landmark designation

Title: National historic landmark designation

Reference code: HIS002-IV-a-iii-B1F28

Date: 2001-2003 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

File: HIS002-IV-a-iii-B1F29 - National endowment for humanities proposal

Title: National endowment for humanities proposal

Reference code: HIS002-IV-a-iii-B1F29

Date: 1992 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

File: HIS002-IV-a-iii-B1F30 - Docent training program lectures

Title: Docent training program lectures

Reference code: HIS002-IV-a-iii-B1F30

Date: 1996-1999 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

File: HIS002-IV-a-iii-B1F31 - Carol Schleif papers

Title: Carol Schleif papers

Reference code: HIS002-IV-a-iii-B1F31

Date: 2000-2003 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

Sub-subseries: HIS002-IV-a-iv - House Interior

Title: House Interior

Reference code: HIS002-IV-a-iv

Date: 1993-2004 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

File: HIS002-IV-a-iv-B1F32 - Floorplans and furniture

Title: Floorplans and furniture

Reference code: HIS002-IV-a-iv-B1F32

Date: 2003 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

File: HIS002-IV-a-iv-B1F33 - Floorplans and furniture

Title: Floorplans and furniture

Reference code: HIS002-IV-a-iv-B1F33

Date: 2003 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

File: HIS002-IV-a-iv-B1F34 - Floorplans and furniture

Title: Floorplans and furniture

Reference code: HIS002-IV-a-iv-B1F34

Date: 2003 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

File: HIS002-IV-a-iv-B1F35 - Floorplans and furniture

Title: Floorplans and furniture

Reference code: HIS002-IV-a-iv-B1F35

Date: 2003 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

File: HIS002-IV-a-iv-B1F36 - Floorplans and furniture

Title: Floorplans and furniture

Reference code: HIS002-IV-a-iv-B1F36

Date: 2003 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

File: HIS002-IV-a-iv-B1F37 - Restoration planning reports

Title: Restoration planning reports

Reference code: HIS002-IV-a-iv-B1F37

Date: 1994-1997 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

File: HIS002-IV-a-iv-B1F38 - Draperies proposal

Title: Draperies proposal

Reference code: HIS002-IV-a-iv-B1F38

Date: 1990 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

File: HIS002-IV-a-iv-B1F39 - Hiller group papers

Title: Hiller group papers

Reference code: HIS002-IV-a-iv-B1F39

Date: 2001-2002 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

File: HIS002-IV-a-iv-B1F40 - Carpets

Title: Carpets

Reference code: HIS002-IV-a-iv-B1F40

Date: 2001-2004 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

File: HIS002-IV-a-iv-B2F1 - NEH grant application

Title: NEH grant application

Reference code: HIS002-IV-a-iv-B2F1

Date: 1993 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

File: HIS002-IV-a-iv-B2F2 - Restoration project interactive exhibition workbook

Title: Restoration project interactive exhibition workbook

Reference code: HIS002-IV-a-iv-B2F2

Date: undated (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

File: HIS002-IV-a-iv-B2F3 - Restoration project interactive exhibition workbook

Title: Restoration project interactive exhibition workbook

Reference code: HIS002-IV-a-iv-B2F3

Date: undated (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

File: HIS002-IV-a-iv-B2F4 - Restoration project interactive exhibition workbook

Title: Restoration project interactive exhibition workbook

Reference code: HIS002-IV-a-iv-B2F4

Date: undated (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

File: HIS002-IV-a-iv-B2F5 - Billiards room doorframe label

Title: Billiards room doorframe label

Reference code: HIS002-IV-a-iv-B2F5

Date: undated (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

File: HIS002-IV-a-iv-B2F6 - Garage

Title: Garage

Reference code: HIS002-IV-a-iv-B2F6

Date: 2000-2001 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

File: HIS002-IV-a-iv-B2F7 - Landon era photos

Title: Landon era photos

Reference code: HIS002-IV-a-iv-B2F7

Date: undated (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

Sub-subseries: HIS002-IV-a-v - Décor and Inventory

Title: Décor and Inventory

Reference code: HIS002-IV-a-v

Date: 1966-2008 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

File: HIS002-IV-a-v-B2F8 - Sally Reahard object donations

Title: Sally Reahard object donations

Reference code: HIS002-IV-a-v-B2F8

Date: 2003 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

File: HIS002-IV-a-v-B2F9 - Furniture checklists, catalogues, and object reports

Title: Furniture checklists, catalogues, and object reports

Reference code: HIS002-IV-a-v-B2F9

Date: 2008 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

File: HIS002-IV-a-v-B2F10 - Objects preliminary examination list

Title: Objects preliminary examination list

Reference code: HIS002-IV-a-v-B2F10

Date: 2000 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

File: HIS002-IV-a-v-B2F11 - Docent inventory gallery list

Title: Docent inventory gallery list

Reference code: HIS002-IV-a-v-B2F11

Date: 1988 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

File: HIS002-IV-a-v-B2F12 - Furniture and décor background information

Title: Furniture and décor background information

Reference code: HIS002-IV-a-v-B2F12

Date: 1982-1988 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

File: HIS002-IV-a-v-B2F13 - Military collectibles of Josiah Kirby Lilly

Title: Military collectibles of Josiah Kirby Lilly

Reference code: HIS002-IV-a-v-B2F13

Date: 1966 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

Subseries: HIS002-IV-b - Miller House

Title: Miller House

Reference code: HIS002-IV-b

Date: 1953-2008 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

Sub-subseries: HIS002-IV-b-i - Building and Furniture

Title: Building and Furniture

Reference code: HIS002-IV-b-i

Date: 1961-1984 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

File: HIS002-IV-b-i-B2F14 - Interior photos

Title: Interior photos

Reference code: HIS002-IV-b-i-B2F14

Date: 1969-1982 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

File: HIS002-IV-b-i-B2F15 - Exterior photos

Title: Exterior photos

Reference code: HIS002-IV-b-i-B2F15

Date: 1961-1984 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

File: HIS002-IV-b-i-B2F16 - Furniture

Title: Furniture

Reference code: HIS002-IV-b-i-B2F16

Date: undated (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

File: HIS002-IV-b-i-B2F17 - Renovation project

Title: Renovation project

Reference code: HIS002-IV-b-i-B2F17

Date: undated (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

Sub-subseries: HIS002-IV-b-ii - Corporate Documents

Title: Corporate Documents

Reference code: HIS002-IV-b-ii

Date: undated (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

File: HIS002-IV-b-ii-B2F18 - Budget, costs, and expenses

Title: Budget, costs, and expenses

Reference code: HIS002-IV-b-ii-B2F18

Date: undated (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

File: HIS002-IV-b-ii-B2F19 - Correspondence

Title: Correspondence

Reference code: HIS002-IV-b-ii-B2F19

Date: 1953-1977 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

File: HIS002-IV-b-ii-B2F20 - Future of Miller house project

Title: Future of Miller house project

Reference code: HIS002-IV-b-ii-B2F20

Date: 2008 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

File: HIS002-IV-b-ii-B2F21 - Columbus, IN visitors' center

Title: Columbus, IN visitors' center

Reference code: HIS002-IV-b-ii-B2F21

Date: undated (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

File: HIS002-IV-b-ii-B2F22 - Historic landmark nomination

Title: Historic landmark nomination

Reference code: HIS002-IV-b-ii-B2F22

Date: undated (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

File: HIS002-IV-b-ii-B2F23 - Joseph Irwin Miller papers

Title: Joseph Irwin Miller papers

Reference code: HIS002-IV-b-ii-B2F23

Date: undated (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

Sub-subseries: HIS002-IV-b-iii - Photos and Media

Title: Photos and Media

Reference code: HIS002-IV-b-iii

Date: undated (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

File: HIS002-IV-b-iii-B2F24 - Miller House look book by Stoller

Title: Miller House look book by Stoller

Reference code: HIS002-IV-b-iii-B2F24

Date: undated (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

File: HIS002-IV-b-iii-B2F25 - Magazines and newspapers

Title: Magazines and newspapers

Reference code: HIS002-IV-b-iii-B2F25

Date: undated (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

File: HIS002-IV-b-iii-B2F26 - Photo album

Title: Photo album

Reference code: HIS002-IV-b-iii-B2F26

Date: undated (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

Subseries: HIS002-IV-c - Other Houses and Historical Properties

Title: Other Houses and Historical Properties

Reference code: HIS002-IV-c

Date: undated (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

File: HIS002-IV-c-b2f27 - Red oaks

Title: Red oaks

Reference code: HIS002-IV-c-b2f27

Date: undated (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

File: HIS002-IV-c-b2f28 - Twin oaks

Title: Twin oaks

Reference code: HIS002-IV-c-b2f28

Date: undated (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

File: HIS002-IV-c-b2f29 - Eagle creek

Title: Eagle creek

Reference code: HIS002-IV-c-b2f29

Date: undated (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

File: HIS002-IV-c-b2f30 - Brewster house

Title: Brewster house

Reference code: HIS002-IV-c-b2f30

Date: undated (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

File: HIS002-IV-c-b2f31 - Sommers house

Title: Sommers house

Reference code: HIS002-IV-c-b2f31

Date: undated (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

File: HIS002-IV-c-b2f32 - Wheeler-Stokely mansion

Title: Wheeler-Stokely mansion

Reference code: HIS002-IV-c-b2f32

Date: undated (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

File: HIS002-IV-c-b2f33 - Riverdale: the Allison mansion

Title: Riverdale: the Allison mansion

Reference code: HIS002-IV-c-b2f33

Date: undated (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

File: HIS002-IV-c-b2f34 - Philip Johnson's glass house

Title: Philip Johnson's glass house

Reference code: HIS002-IV-c-b2f34

Date: 2006 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

HIS002-V - Media

Title: Media

Reference code: HIS002-V

Date: 1953-2008 (date of creation)

Scope and content: Media, 1920-1998, contains cassette tapes, CDs, and slides that are either unlabeled or do not belong to a previous series.

Publication status:

Published

File: HIS002-V-b4f2 - Schools and conventions cassette tapes

Title: Schools and conventions cassette tapes

Reference code: HIS002-V-b4f2

Date: undated (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

File: HIS002-V-b3f3 - CDs

Title: CDs

Reference code: HIS002-V-b3f3

Date: undated (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

File: HIS002-V-b2f35 - slides

Title: slides

Reference code: HIS002-V-b2f35

Date: 1920-1998 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

File: HIS002-V-b2f36 - slides

Title: slides

Reference code: HIS002-V-b2f36

Date: 1920-1998 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

File: HIS002-V-b2f37 - slides

Title: slides

Reference code: HIS002-V-b2f37

Date: 1920-1998 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published
