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Descriptive Summary
Collection Title: Latin American political poster miscellany,
Date (inclusive): 1951-1987
Collection number: BANC PIC 2001.166--D
Extent: 31 prints (posters)
Repository: The Bancroft Library
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Abstract: A miscellany of posters, compiled by the library, covering Latin American political themes.
Languages represented: Most of the collection materials are in Spanish, with a few posters in English.
Physical location: Many of the Bancroft Library collections are stored offsite and advance notice may be required for use. For current information on the location of these materials, please consult the library's online catalog.

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Alternate Forms Available
There are no alternate forms of this collection.

Related Collections
Bancroft Library collections containing other Latin American posters include:
Nicaraguan poster collection (BANC PIC 1999.042)
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Mexican posters on social and educational themes (BANC PIC 2001.206)
Taller de Gráfica Popular collection (BANC PIC 1999.039)
Cuban poster collection (BANC PIC 2001.061)
Data Center poster collection (BANC PIC 1999.087)

Acquisition Information
The initial 30 posters of the Latin American Political Posters Collection were purchased by The Bancroft Library from a commercial vendor in 2001.

Accruals
This miscellany is open to future additions from various sources.

Processing History
Processed by Lincoln Cushing in 2005.

Arrangement
Items in this collection were assigned item numbers as they were inventoried by the library. These are simply sequential numbers appended to the collection number (BANC PIC 2001.166). They reflect no intellectual arrangement, no evidence as to provenance, and they are not related to the creation of the items in any way. The numbers are required for item identification and retrieval from storage.

Scope and Content of Collection
A factitious miscellany, compiled by the library, of posters covering Latin American political themes. Included are posters produced by both official and independent politically-Left organizations in Mexico, Cuba, El Salvador, and Guatemala, as well as posters made in the United States on the subject of Latin America. Topics include solidarity with the Allende government of Chile, support for the revolutionary forces in El Salvador, and Mexican-Soviet Union relations. Includes eight Adelante “wall newspapers” issued by the Arbenz government of Guatemala as well as other propaganda concerning land reform and highway construction.

Indexing Terms
The following terms have been used to index the description of this collection in the library's online public access catalog.
Political posters, Latin American.
Latin America--Politics and government--20th century--Posters.
Posters.

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**Festival de solidaridad obrera con el pueblo de El Salvador 1981**
BANC PIC 2001.166.001--B

Physical Description: 1 print : offset lithograph ; 50 x 34.5 cm.
Scope and Content Note
Fists, one holding flower.
Additional Note
Event held February 14, 1981 in Mexico City.

**Libertad a los patriotas sandinistas FSLN undated**
BANC PIC 2001.166.002--D

Creator/Collector: Comité de la Juventud y los Estudiantes en Solidaridad con Centroamérica
Physical Description: 1 print : offset lithograph ; 43 x 63 cm.
Scope and Content Note
Three different graphic treatments of man pointing.
Additional Note
Artist: MAG.
Additional Note
Country of origin: Mexico
Solidaridad de artistas plasticos con la lucha del pueblo de Nicaragua - Subasta/exposicion 1979 BANC PIC 2001.166.003--D

Creator/Collector: Coordinadora de Solidaridad con el Pueblo de Nicaragua/Mexico
Physical Description: 1 print : offset lithograph ; 70 x 46 cm.
Scope and Content Note
Drawing of armed revolutionary, map of Nicaragua.
Additional Note
Design: Aquino, Arnulfo.
Additional Note
Country of origin: Mexico

Tribuna nacional - hoy Granada; mañana... - por la unidad latinoamericano undated BANC PIC 2001.166.004--D

Physical Description: 1 print : offset lithograph ; 70 x 47 cm.
Scope and Content Note
Fists with machete, submachine gun stopping U.S. tank.
Additional Note
Image based on linoleum cut.
Additional Note
Country of origin: [Mexico?]


Creator/Collector: Instituto de Amistad e Intercambio Cultural Mexico
Physical Description: 1 print : offset lithograph ; 58 x 44 cm.
Scope and Content Note
Worker holding USSR symbol globe in upraised hand.
Additional Note
Monday, August 1 through Sunday, August 7.
Additional Note
Country of origin: Mexico


Creator/Collector: Coordinadora Nacional Plan de Ayala
Physical Description: 1 print : offset lithograph ; 70 x 47 cm.
Scope and Content Note
Workers, huge fist with sickle.
Additional Note
Lists basic demands of the CNPA.
Additional Note
Country of origin: Mexico
El pueblo puede y debe terminar con la carestia de la vida undated  
BANC PIC 2001.166.007--D  
Creator/Collector: Partido Comunista de Mexico  
Physical Description: 1 print : offset lithograph ; 70 x 47.5 cm.  
Scope and Content Note  
Includes linoleum cut image of unresponsive bureaucrat.  
Additional Note  
Stamped "archivo - Taller de Grafica Popular" on verso.  
Additional Note  
Country of origin: Mexico

Universidad Obrera de Mexico - 50 aniversario 1936-1986 1986 BANC PIC 2001.166.008--C  
Creator/Collector: Universidad Obrera de Mexico  
Physical Description: 1 print : offset lithograph ; 51 x 38 cm.  
Scope and Content Note  
Literate worker breaking chains.  
Additional Note  
Artist: Balmori, S.  
Additional Note  
Country of origin: Mexico

60 aniversario de la gran revolucion socialista de Octubre [1977]  
BANC PIC 2001.166.009--B  
Creator/Collector: Instituto de Amistad e Intercambio Cultural Mexico-URSS, A.C.  
Physical Description: 1 print : offset lithograph ; 47 x 31 cm.  
Scope and Content Note  
Soviet logo, Institute logo paired flags.  
Additional Note  
Country of origin: Mexico

Solidaridad con Nicaragua - Museo de San Carlos undated BANC PIC 2001.166.010--D  
Creator/Collector: Coordinadora de Solidaridad con el Pueblo de Nicaragua  
Physical Description: 1 print : screenprint[?]; 63 x 43 cm.  
Scope and Content Note  
Woman with child fleeing tragedy.  
Additional Note  
Museo de San Carlos, Mexico D.F.  
Additional Note  
Country of origin: Mexico

Paz y libertad al pueblo hermano de Guatemala undated BANC PIC 2001.166.011--D  
Physical Description: 1 print : screenprint ; 65 x 48.5 cm.  
Scope and Content Note  
Woodcut of corpse in burned-out urban landscape.  
Additional Note  
Country of origin: [Mexico?]
La revolución [Chilena] no la para nadie [1973?] BANC PIC 2001.166.012--C
Creator/Collector: [Non-Intervention in Chile (NICH)?]
Physical Description: 1 print : offset lithograph ; 57 x 45 cm.
Scope and Content Note
Silhouette of demonstrators with Chilean flags.
Additional Note
San Francisco events- Tuesday October 9 presentation, Saturday, October 13 rally.
Additional Note
Country of origin: United States

"La semilla de la revolución en El Salvador está sembrada y fructificará" - Farabundo Martí 1980 BANC PIC 2001.166.013--D
Creator/Collector: Bloque Popular Revolucionario
Physical Description: 1 print : offset lithograph ; 44 x 63.5 cm.
Scope and Content Note
Portrait of Farabundo Martí.
Additional Note
5th anniversary July 30, 1980.
Additional Note
Country of origin: El Salvador

For a democratic Chile [1974?] BANC PIC 2001.166.014--C
Creator/Collector: Chile Emergency Committee, Philadelphia
Physical Description: 1 print : offset lithograph ; 57 x 43 cm.
Scope and Content Note
Popular mural art with flag.
Additional Note
Printed at Philadelphia Resistance Print Shop.
Additional Note
Country of origin: United States

Other hands shall take up your struggle - Allende undated BANC PIC 2001.166.015--C
Physical Description: 1 print : screenprint ; 58.5 x 44 cm.
Scope and Content Note
Photo of Allende, shattered glass.
Additional Note
Country of origin: [United States]

Stop the terror in Chile undated BANC PIC 2001.166.016--D
Creator/Collector: Young Workers Liberation League
Physical Description: 1 print : screenprint[?] ; 66 x 51 cm.
Scope and Content Note
Long line of bound prisoners.
Additional Note
Artist: Simon, Suzanne; stamp on verso "Resource Center, Public Art Workshop, 5623 W. Madison, Chicago, 60644".
Additional Note
Country of origin: United States
Stopping the War Starts Here - protest arms shipments to Central America 1987
BANC PIC 2001.166.017--D
Creator/Collector: Bay Area Pledge of Resistance [San Francisco]
Physical Description: 1 print : offset lithograph ; 65 x 78 cm.
Scope and Content Note
Hands raised in front of youth, stopping weapons.
Additional Note
Artist: Alicia, Juana. Demonstration at Concord Naval Weapons Station.
Additional Note
Country of origin: United States

Physical Description: 1 print : offset lithograph ; 52.5 x 41.5 cm.
Scope and Content Note
Two peasants looking at map posted on wall.
Additional Note
Artist: Vasquez, J.V.; "Tipografia Nacional - Guatemala"; refers to massive construction project supported by President Arbenz.
Additional Note
Country of origin: Guatemala

Physical Description: 1 print : offset lithograph ; 56 x 40 cm.
Scope and Content Note
Peasant in field with rolled title.
Additional Note
Additional Note
Country of origin: Guatemala

Con la carretera al Atlantico una liberacion economica [circa 1950-1955]
BANC PIC 2001.166.020--C
Physical Description: 1 print : offset lithograph ; 60 x 45 cm.
Scope and Content Note
Highway turning into fist.
Additional Note
Artist: Aragon, Victor Manuel."Tipografia Nacional - Guatemala." refers to massive construction project supported by President Arbenz.
Additional Note
Country of origin: Guatemala
**Portraits from Cuba**

*Homenaje a la revolucion cubana en su XX aniversario 1978*

Creator/Collector: Casa de las Americas [Havana]

Physical Description: 1 print : offset lithograph ; 50.5 x 76 cm.

Additional Note

Paired portraits of José Martí, Fidel Castro.

Country of origin: Cuba

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**Portraits from Guatemala**

*Guatemala Nueva - Guatemala libre, Soberana e Independiente - 1821-1953 [1953]*

Creator/Collector: Guatemala. Secretaría de Propaganda y Divulgacion

Physical Description: 1 print : offset lithograph ; 54 x 75 cm.

Additional Note

Three portraits of national heroes.

Country of origin: Guatemala

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**Periodicals from Guatemala**

*Adelante-periodico mural, organo de la revolucion, no. 69 (March 1953)*

Creator/Collector: Guatemala. Secretaría de Propaganda y Divulgacion

Physical Description: 1 print : offset lithograph ; 55 x 75 cm.

Country of origin: Guatemala

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*Adelante-periodico mural, organo de la revolucion, no. 68 (February 1953)*

Creator/Collector: Guatemala. Secretaría de Propaganda y Divulgacion

Physical Description: 1 print : offset lithograph ; 53 x 75 cm.

Country of origin: Guatemala

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*Adelante-periodico mural, organo de la revolucion, no. 13 (October 1951)*

Creator/Collector: Guatemala. Secretaría de Propaganda y Divulgacion

Physical Description: 1 print : offset lithograph ; 54 x 80.5 cm.

Country of origin: Guatemala

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*Adelante-periodico mural, organo de la revolucion, no. 43 (June 1952)*

Creator/Collector: Guatemala. Secretaría de Propaganda y Divulgacion

Physical Description: 1 print : offset lithograph ; 53 x 78 cm.

Country of origin: Guatemala
Adelante-periodico mural, organo de la revolucion, no. 82 (August 1953) 1953
BANC PIC 2001.166.027--D
  Creator/Collector: Guatemala. Secretaría de Propaganda y Divulgación
  Physical Description: 1 print : offset lithograph ; 56 x 75 cm.
  Additional Note
  Country of origin: Guatemala

Adelante-periodico mural, organo de la revolucion, no. 2 (August 1951) 1951
BANC PIC 2001.166.028--D
  Creator/Collector: Guatemala. Secretaría de Propaganda y Divulgacion
  Physical Description: 1 print : offset lithograph ; 55 x 80.5 cm.
  Additional Note
  Country of origin: Guatemala

Adelante-periodico mural, organo de la revolucion, no. 38 (October 1953) 1953
BANC PIC 2001.166.029--D
  Creator/Collector: Guatemala. Secretaría de Propaganda y Divulgacion
  Physical Description: 1 print : offset lithograph ; 55 x 75 cm.
  Additional Note
  Country of origin: Guatemala

Adelante-periodico mural, organo de la revolucion, no. 46 (March 1954) 1954
BANC PIC 2001.166.030--D
  Creator/Collector: Guatemala. Secretaría de Propaganda y Divulgacion
  Physical Description: 1 print : offset lithograph ; 55 x 77 cm.
  Additional Note
  Country of origin: Guatemala

Adelante-periodico mural, organo de la revolucion, no. 5 (July 1952) 1952
BANC PIC 2001.166.031--D
  Creator/Collector: Guatemala. Secretaría de Propaganda y Divulgacion
  Physical Description: 1 print : offset lithograph ; 55 x 54 x 79 cm.
  Additional Note
  Country of origin: Guatemala