Asian Art Lantern Slide Collection

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Descriptive Summary

Title: Asian Art Lantern Slide Collection
Dates: circa 1900-1930
Collection Number: PBI.005
Creator/Collector: Department of History, Pomona College
Extent: 35 boxes (12 linear feet), approximately 2,240 slides
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Abstract: This collection of 2,240 black-and-white glass lantern slides features images of Asian art, architecture, monuments, maps, and landscapes from the early twentieth century. Countries represented include China, Japan, Korea, and India. The slide collection was created by the Pomona College Department of History.

Language of Material: English

Access
Collection is open for research.

Publication Rights
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Acquisition Information
Material was donated to the Pacific Basin Institute by the Pomona College History Department.

Scope and Content of Collection
This collection of 2,240 black-and-white glass lantern slides features images of notable Asian art, architecture, monuments, and landscapes from the early twentieth century. Countries represented include China, Japan, Korea, and India. The collection also includes a number of art-historical images of Greece and Asia Minor. The collection was amassed by the Department of History at Pomona College, most likely for lectures on art history. The collection also includes a box of notecards with additional descriptions of each lantern slide.

Indexing Terms
Lantern slides--History
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Container List

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