

# Finding aid for the E. Maurice Bloch papers, circa 1925-1989

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**Descriptive Summary** 

**Title:** E. Maurice Bloch papers **Date (inclusive):** circa 1925-1989

Number: 910003

Creator/Collector: Bloch, E. Maurice

Physical Description: 45 Linear Feet(87 boxes)

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**Abstract:** The papers span the life and career of American art historian, professor, curator and collector, E. Maurice Bloch, from his student days in New York City to his retirement in Los Angeles (bulk ca. 1935-1989). It includes extensive correspondence, research and lecture notes, syllabi, photographs, lists, manuscripts, minutes, reports, and clippings, detailing his principal interests (George Caleb Bingham and Benjamin West, and collecting), and his associations with institutions (Virginia Steele Scott Gallery, Grunwald Center for the Graphic Arts, University of California, Los Angeles) as well as with art students, historians, artist friends, colleagues, and dealers.

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Language: Collection material is in English

## **Biographical/Historical Note**

E. Maurice Bloch, American art historian, professor, curator and collector, was born in New York City, October 26, 1916, the only child of immigrant parents. His mother, who studied to be a singer, was from Austria; his father was a businessman, born in Holland. His parents, particularly his mother, encouraged and supported Bloch's interest in art.

Bloch enrolled at New York University, first as an undergraduate in the School of Architecture and Allied Arts, then as a graduate student in the Institute of Fine Arts, for which he wrote a dissertation on George Caleb Bingham (not completed until 1967).

He taught at the University of Missouri (1944-1945), NYU's Washington Square Campus (1945-1946), and the University of Minnesota (1946-1947). He was curator of prints at Cooper Union Museum (1952- ca. 1957). His employment at the University of California, Los Angeles began in 1956 and lasted until 1982 when he retired. During his tenure at UCLA, Bloch also served as a curator with the Grunwald Center for the Graphic Arts, from which he also retired in 1982.

Beginning in 1975 Bloch served on the board of the Virginia Steele Scott Foundation, and as the Second Vice President for Art helped transform what had been an eclectic, private collection into a public collection of American art (now the Virginia Steele Scott Gallery at the Huntington Library). Bloch was involved with the Western Division of the Archives of American Art since the early 1980s, and helped negotiate a cooperative arrangement between the AAA, the Virginia Steele Scott Gallery and the Huntington Library.

His scholarly interests were in American art. The majority of his completed projects concern George Caleb Bingham. He wrote his dissertation on Bingham and the catalog raisonné of Bingham's paintings (1967, revised edition 1986), a catalog raisonné of Bingham's drawings (1975), numerous articles, and curated at least three exhibits of Bingham's work. His other large project, never completed, was his work toward a catalog of Benjamin West's paintings.

Bloch's own collecting interests ranged widely. His personal collections contained paintings, drawings (including those by West), stamps, illustrated sheet music, and autographs, although he limited himself primarily to American artists, illustrators and topics.

Bloch never married. He maintained an extraordinarily close relationship with his mother and father, who lived with him after he moved to California, until their deaths.

The Oral History Program at the University of California, Los Angeles published an oral history of E. Maurice Bloch in 1991 from interviews conducted by Bernard Galm in 1987. Bloch died December 1989 in Los Angeles.

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## **Acquisition Information**

Acquired in 1991, with additional material received in 1993.

## **Processing History**

After Bloch's death in 1989, his archive was moved from his home to a warehouse. It was acquired by the Getty Research Institute in 1991. Although there was some disarray among his papers, his filing system was for the most part preserved. Books received with Bloch's papers are in the Getty Research Institute Library. Of his collections, the Getty Research Institute acquired only the panorama exhibits ephemera collection. Neil Hathaway processed and arranged the archive in 1992, with assistance from Jocelyn Gibbs. Hathaway and Gibbs wrote this finding aid.

## **Scope and Content of Collection**

The E. Maurice Bloch papers (45 linear ft.) document his graduate studies in art history at New York University, touch on his work as a curator at Cooper Union and the Grunwald Center for Graphic Arts (the University of California, Los Angeles), and address his teaching and research through extensive correspondence files, student lecture notes and syllabi, and research notes, photographs and manuscripts for articles and lectures.

His interest in American art, and intensive research on George Caleb Bingham and Benjamin West in particular, are evident in the archive's research papers which include correspondence, notes and manuscripts. His association with, and the subsequent development of the Virginia Steele Scott Gallery (at the Huntington Library) are well documented through meeting minutes, correspondence and in-house reports. There is very little personal material in the collection, although his letters (he kept carbon copies of most of his letters) to dealers, artist friends and colleagues reveal the cast of his personality and interests. A few personal documents fill in scant details of his life and his drawings and sketchbooks display an early interest in art. His own collecting interests are revealed in his large clippings file and extensive correspondence with dealers about his wants lists. His personal collections of paintings, drawings, autograph letters and printed materials, were not acquired by the Getty, except for his collection of panorama exhibits ephemera, which may be consulted in the Getty Research Library, Special Collections.

## **Arrangement note**

The Papers are organized in 9 series: Series I. Correspondence, 1941-1989; Series II. New York University, Institute of Fine Arts, 1936-1988; Series III. Teaching materials, 1945-1982; Series IV. George Caleb Bingham research, 1943-1989; Series V. Benjamin West research, 1821-1987; Series VI. Research on 19th-century art, 1945-1987; Series VII. Curatorial and advisory positions, 1953-1989; Series VIII. Bloch's personal collection, 1935-1989; Series IX. Personal and miscellaneous files, 1920s-1970s.

## Subjects - Names

Bloch, E. Maurice

Mount, William Sidney, 1807-1868

Lanman, Charles, 1819-1895

Bingham, George Caleb, 1811-1879

West, Benjamin, 1738-1820

## **Subjects - Corporate Bodies**

Virginia Steele Scott Gallery

Virginia Steele Scott Foundation

University of California, Los Angeles

Tamarind Lithography Workshop

New York University. Institute of Fine Arts

Henry E. Huntington Library and Art Gallery

## **Subjects - Topics**

Art -- Collectors and collecting -- United States

Art -- Study and teaching -- United States

Art historians -- United States

Art museum curators -- United States

Art. American

Drawing -- United States -- Exhibitions

## Contributors

Vose Galleries of Boston

Maxwell, George T.

Kwiat, Joseph

Kennedy Galleries

Jones, Claude E.

Hirschl & Adler Galleries

Heilbron, Bertha L. (Bertha Lion), 1895-1972

Cowdrey, Mary Bartlett, 1910-1974

Bloch, E. Maurice

Zapf, Hermann

Wayne, June, 1918-2011

## Series I. Correspondence, 1941-1989

Physical Description: 4 box(es)

**Scope and Content Note** 

Series contains three groupings of letters: one group of occasional letters (1965-1988) and two runs of letters received and sent (1941-1982 and 1976-1989). Correspondents include artists, curators, students, colleagues and friends. Some of the same correspondents appear in letters filed within other series. Patricia Trenton, a student of Bloch's during the late 1960s and curator at the Denver Art Museum, kept up a lively correspondence with Bloch which can be found here and among his research files. Other correspondents, some with especially thick files, include colleagues, curators, collectors, dealers, and artists: J. Carter Brown, E. John Bullard, Albert Christ-Janer, M. B. Cowdrey, Lorser Feitelson, Eva Gatling, William Gerdts, Hans A. Halbey, Edith Hamelin, Milton Hebald, Bertha Heilbron, Claude (Mac) Jones, Jacob Kainen, Donald D. Keyes, Stanley Lewis, John McCall, George T. Maxwell, Ruth S. Magurn, Paul Mills, Annemarie H. Pope, Lessing J. Rosenwald, Karl Schrag, Frederick Shane, Ross Taggart, Herbert Weissburger, Allen S. Weller, Christopher J. White, Hermann Sapf, Jake Zeitlin, Jerrold Ziff.

## Series I.A. Occasional letters received, , 1965-1988 undated

Physical Description: .5 linear ft.

**Scope and Content Note** 

Primarily thank-you letters and Christmas cards received, arranged chronologically.

box 1, folder 1-4	Thank you letters, Christmas cards, etc. , 1965-1988 undated
box 1, folder 1	1965-1979
box 1, folder 2	1980-1984
box 1, folder 3	1985-1988
box 1, folder 4	undated

## Series I.B. Letters received and letters sent, 1941-1982

Physical Description: 2.25 Linear Feet

**Scope and Content Note** 

Arranged alphabetically with Bloch's carbon or photocopied responses.

box 2, folder 1 A, 1941-1975 box 2, folder 2

B, 1945-1980

**Scope and Content Note** 

including Leonard Bloch (E. M.'s father; 1957), Dorothy Brown (artist, UCLA colleague; 1960s), J. Carter Brown (1971-1973), Edna Buchanan (1949-1962; see also Anna Erickson), and E. John Bullard (Bloch student at the National Gallery; 1968-1975).

box 2, folder 3 C. 1949-1975

**Scope and Content Note** 

including Albert Christ-Janer (Bingham scholar; 1972-1973), and M. B. Cowdrey (historian of American art; 1948-1958)

box 2. folder 4 D, (for Virginia Downes, see Ethyl Myers) 1952-1981

box 2, folder 5 E, 1949-1971

**Scope and Content Note** 

including Anna E. (Nancy) Erickson (art collector)

box 2, folder 6 F, 1948-1978

**Scope and Content Note** 

including Lorser Feitelson (American painter and printmaker; 1963-1978)

box 2, folder 7 G, 1952-1976

**Scope and Content Note** 

including Eva Gatling (curator Cooper Union and Des Moines Art Center; 1952-1960, undated), William Gerdts (Newark Museum and CUNY; 1955-1962), and Arnold Gross (lithographer; 1975-1976); [see also oversize box 87]

box 2, folder 8 H-I, 1950-1975

**Scope and Content Note** 

including Hans A. Halbey (Kingspoor Museum; 1960-1968), Edith Hamelin ('Dale,' wife of Maynard Dixon; 1958-1970), Milton Hebald (American artist and collector; 1968-1970), Cornelia Jett Henry (Cooper Union colleague; 1958-1959, undated), Bertha Heilbron (Minnesota Hst. Society and panorama scholar; 1950-1968); [see also box 44, folder 3], and Werner Hirsch (Cambridge don; 1972, 1975)

box 2, folder 9 J, , 1955-1975 undated

**Scope and Content Note** 

including Claude E. (Mac) Jones (UCLA English professor; 1959-1971, undated)

box 3, folder 1 K, 1946-1978

**Scope and Content Note** 

including Jacob Kainen (Smithsonian prints curator and printmaker; 1959-1978), Francis (Bob) Kelly (artist and conservator; 1961-1969), Donald D. Keyes (art historian; 1967-1975), Eckhardt Knab (Albertina and Gemäldegalerie, Vienna; 1955-1961), and Joseph Kwiat

box 3, folder 2 L, 1952-1981

**Scope and Content Note** 

including Stanley Lewis (art historian; 1952-1959)

box 3, folder 3	Mc, 1949-1975
	Scope and Content Note
	including John McCall (expert on Japanese prints; 1949-1956), and Dorothy McNeilly (Charles Lanman descendant; 1974-1975); [see also box 40, folder 4]
box 3, folder 4 box 3, folder 5	George T. Maxwell (cartoonist, illustrator and collector) 1949-1959 M, 1949-1978
	Scope and Content Note
	including Ruth S. Magurn (Fogg prints curator; 1970-1975, undated), Paul Mills (Oakland Art Museum; 1957-1962), and Ethel Myers (ceramicist) and her daughter Virginia Downes (1958-1972)
box 3, folder 6	N, 1951-1975
	Scope and Content Note
	including Harry Nadler (artist; 19??)
box 3, folder 7	P-Q, 1954-1974
box 5, loidel 7	Scope and Content Note
	including Roi Partridge (printmaker; 1974), Clare Elsne Peck (artist; 1960), and Annemarie H. Pope (National Council on Fine Arts' Traveling Exhibition Service; 1954-1971)
box 3, folder 8	R, 1946-1972
	Scope and Content Note
	including Lessing J. Rosenwald (illustrations and book collector; 1961-1970)
box 3, folder 9	S, 1950-1988
	Scope and Content Note
	including Karl Schrag (artist; $1955-1977$ ) and Frederick Shane (Univ. of Missouri art historian; $1958-1971$ , undated)
box 4, folder 1	T-U, 1958-1975
	Scope and Content Note
	including Patricia Trenton (Bloch student and curator, Denver Art Museum; 1969-1974) and Ross Taggart (Nelson-Atkins). [See Series IV for other correspondence with both Trenton and Taggart].
box 4, folder 2	W, 1949-1982
	Scope and Content Note
	including Herbert Weissburger (NYU colleague; 1955-1961), Allen S. Weller (Univ. of Illinois art historian; 1949-1961), Sir Robert Witt (collector; 1951-1953), and Christopher J. White (Old Masters authority; 1959-1982, bulk to 1965)
box 4, folder 3	X-Z, 1955-1973
	Scope and Content Note
	including Hermann Zapf (German graphic designer; 1955-1969), Jake Zeitlin (rare book dealer; 1960-1973), and Jerrold Ziff (art historian; 1967-1972)
box 4, folder 4	Unidentified, , 1960-1974 undated

Series I.C. Letters received and sent, 1976-1989

Physical Description: .25 linear ft.

**Scope and Content Note** 

Correspondence of the same nature as the alphabetical subseries above, but arranged in

chronological order.

box 4, folder 5 **1976** 

Physical Description: ca. 25 items

box 4, folder 6 1977

Physical Description: ca. 40 items

box 4, folder 7 **1978** 

Physical Description: ca. 40 items

box 4, folder 8 **1979-1980** 

Physical Description: ca. 20 items

box 4, folder 9 **1981-1982** 

Physical Description: ca. 45 items

box 4, folder 10 **1983** 

Physical Description: ca. 30 items

box 4, folder 11 1984

Physical Description: ca. 50 items

box 4, folder 12 1985

Physical Description: ca. 40 items

box 4, folder 13 **1986-1987** 

Physical Description: ca. 30 items

box 4, folder 14 **1988-1989** 

Physical Description: ca. 45 items

box 4, folder 15 undated

**Physical Description:** 5 items

## Series II. New York University, Institute of Fine Arts, 1936-1958, 1988

Physical Description: 10 box(es)

**Scope and Content Note** 

Series comprises course outlines, syllabi, bibliographies, lecture notes and correspondence in 5 linear ft. These include courses Bloch took with Otto Benesch, Walter Friedlaender, Julius Held, Karl Lehmann, A. Philip McMahon, Richard Offner, Dimitri Tselos and Martin Weinberger, with some notes from lectures by Panofsky, and Richard Kautheimer. One small file offers administrative documents from his undergraduate years at NYU. Other files hold materials for his master's thesis (including the ms.), correspondence regarding his teaching at NYU, and supporting materials for his dissertation, the manuscript for which is filed in Series IV. Some correspondence with his professors is here and concerns his dissertation, other research, and news of his teaching and curatorial activities.

## Series II.A. Course syllabi, 1935-1942, undated

Physical Description: 2 Linear Feet

**Scope and Content Note** 

NYU-IFA course outlines, syllabi, bibliographies, slide lists, arranged alphabetically by instructor.

box 5, folder 1	Inventories of Bloch's NYU-IFA course material: "Selected list of [NYU-IFA] syllabi
	on hand,"
box 5, folder 2	Marcel Aubert, Gothic architecture
box 5, folder 2	-Early Gothic architecture in France, 1936
box 5, folder 2	- Later Gothic architecture in France, 1938
box 5, folder 3	Otto Benesch, Fine Arts class, "French Painting from the Revolution to the Present
	Time," undated
box 5, folder 4	Walter W. S. Cook, Research methods, Italian and Spanish Painting -"Fine Arts
	class 201-202, Methods of Research in the Fine arts." Selective bibliography on
	American Painting, with a bibliography for Fine Arts class 201
box 5, folder 4	-bibliography of Italian painting
box 5, folder 4	-"Spanish painting," fragment
box 5, folder 4	-Reading list for "Spanish painting from Goya to Miro," [see also box 7, folder
	4]
box 5, folder 5	Walter Friedlaender, Italian painting
box 5, folder 5	-"Fine Arts 228, Later Venetian painting and Northern Italian painting,"
	lectures 1-9
box 5, folder 5	-"Fine Arts 227, Florentine and central Italian painting of the sixteenth
	century," lecture 13 only.
box 5, folder 5	-"Fine Arts 229, Italian painting of the late XVI and XVII centuries," includes
	bibliography, lacking pp. 1-12
box 5, folder 6	Friedlaender, Baroque painting [see also box 6, folder 1]
box 5, folder 6	-bibliography for "Fine Arts 267Rubens and the Baroque," and including
	"Topics for Reports" for Fine Arts 267 and 339
box 5, folder 6	-"Fine Arts 226, Painting in the High Baroque,"
box 6, folder 1	Friedlaender, French painting and drawing
box 6, folder 1	-"Fine Arts 226, French painting in the XVI and early XVII centuries,"
box 6, folder 1	-Topics list for "Fine Arts 278, French Painting," and "Fine Arts 340, French
	painting XVI-XVIII," (bound together)
box 6, folder 2	Friedlaender
box 6, folder 2	-"Fine Arts 225French painting XVII-XVIII"
box 6, folder 2	-"Fine Arts 225French painting of the seventeenth and eighteenth
	centuries" (fuller version)
box 6, folder 2-3	-"Bibliography of French painting - 17th and 18th centuries"
box 6, folder 2	-"Bibliography of French painting (late 18th and early 19th centuries)"
box 6, folder 3	-"Fine Arts 268, French drawings of the XVI and XVII centuries," lectures 1 and
	15
box 6, folder 3	-"Fine Arts 226, From David to Cézanne," 3 different versions
box 6, folder 4	Robert Goldwater, "Fine Arts 167, Modern painting," with three leaves of Bloch's
	notes
box 6, folder 5	Julius Held, Flemish and Dutch painting
box 6, folder 5	-bibliography for Fine Arts 60, "Flemish painting of the sixteenth and
	seventeenth centuries"
box 6, folder 5	-"Fine Arts 210Dutch painting, 17th century," including bibliography and
	slide list
box 7, folder 1	Hans Huth, "Fine ArtsMuseum training"
box 7, folder 2	Richard Krautheimer, architecture
box 7, folder 2	-bibilography for "Fine Arts 274, Early Christian architecture,"
box 7, folder 2	-"Fine Arts 274, Gothic architecture"
box 7, folder 2	-miscellaneous and incomplete lectures on renaissance architecture in Italy
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box 7, folder 2	-"Fine Arts 248, Baroque architecture" [see also Special Collection accn. no. 900219]				
box 7, folder 3	Karl Lehmann(-Hartleben), ancient art				
box 7, folder 3	-bibliography for "Classical Greek art"				
box 7, folder 3	-"Fine Arts 254, Greek architecture of the classical period"				
box 7, folder 3	- Fine Arts 234, Greek architecture of the classical period -"Fine Arts 288Greek and Roman painting," with bibliography				
box 7, folder 3	-"Hellenistic Art," including bibliography, with handwritten date 7 Oct 1939				
box 7, folder 4	José Lopez-Rey, Spanish painting				
box 7, folder 4	-"Fine Arts 270Spanish painting from Goya to Miro," outline, slide list				
box 7 folder 1	(fragment)				
box 7, folder 4	-"Fine Arts 271, Modern Spanish painting," outline, slide list for lectures 1-11				
box 7, folder 5	A. Philip McMahon, "Fine Arts 11, Outline of the history of art, 1945-1946," 2 pp				
han 7 falden C	lecture schedule and reading list				
box 7, folder 6	Richard Offner, Italian painting				
box 7, folder 6	-"Fine Arts 288, Sienese Painting"				
box 7, folder 6	-"Fine Arts 290, Venetian painting," fragment of typescript				
box 7, folder 6	-"Fine Arts 291Venetian painting"				
box 7, folder 7	- bound volume: "Syllabus of Gothic and early Renaissance painting in Italy,"				
	with slide lists for classes "Italian painting and sculpture of the early				
	Renaissance, 154f[all], 1946" and "Great masters of the high Renaissance,"				
	155w[inter], 1947"				
box 8, folder 1-2	2 bound volumes: "Two made-up volumes of photographs from slides used by				
	Offner, 'Sienese painting' et al"				
box 8, folder 3	Erwin Panofsky, European art				
box 8, folder 3	- "Fine Arts 336Gothic and late medieval illuminated mss.," fragments				
box 8, folder 3	- "Early Flemish painting - syllabus"				
box 8, folder 3	- "Fine Arts 229, German painting," incomplete, lectures 1-6				
box 8, folder 3	- "German painting of the XVth century," with errata sheet				
box 8, folder 3	- "Italian baroque art, syllabus of lectures"				
box 8, folder 3	- "French painting of the XVII and XVIII centuries"				
box 8, folder 4	Rudolf M. Riefstahl, ancient art, furniture				
box 8, folder 4	- "Chronology of Egypt" for "Art of the Near East"				
box 8, folder 4	<ul> <li>chronologies for "Byzantine art": Roman history, Byzantine history,, and</li> </ul>				
	"chronology of the Byzantine empire," 1934 1936				
box 8, folder 4	- chronology for "Historic styles," copyright 1935				
box 8, folder 4	-chronologies for "Medieval furniture," and "English furniture," copyright 1935				
box 9, folder 1	Andrew C. Ritchie, English painting				
box 9, folder 1	-bibliography for and lecture 1 of "Fine Arts 46English painting, 16-18				
	centuries"				
box 9, folder 1	-"Fine Arts 79English painting," lectures 2, 7-13 [see also box 17, folder 1]				
box 9, folder 2	William Sawitzsky, "Fine Arts 51, Early American painting," bound with corrections				
	in Bloch's hand				
box 9, folder 3	Dimitri Tselos, Art of the middle ages				
box 9, folder 3	-"Fine Arts 181, Art of the early Middle Ages," lacking lectures 1-4				
box 9, folder 3	-"Fine Arts 282, Art of the early Middle Ages"				
box 9, folder 3	-"Fine Arts 182, Art of the later Middle Ages"				
box 9, folder 4	Tselos, Modern art				
box 9, folder 4	-"Fine Arts 69, Foundations of modern art," lacking 2 lectures				
box 9, folder 4	-"Fine Arts 36, Foundations of modern architecture and sculpture," incomplete				
,	[see also box 17, folder 1]				
box 9, folder 4	-"Fine Arts 135, Foundations of modern architecture and sculpture," including a				
	"bibliography of American architecture"				
box 9, folder 4	-"Fine Arts 252, American art," slide list				
box 9, folder 5	Martin Weinberger, Medieval, Renaissance, and Baroque sculpture				
box 9, folder 5	-"Fine Arts 279 [sic, 275]Romanesque and Gothic sculpture"				
box 9, folder 5	-"Fine Arts 274Renaissance sculpture in Italy," with Bloch's notes dated				
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box 9, folder 5	-"Fine Arts 283High Renaissance and Baroque sculpture in Italy"				
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box 9, folder 6	Weinberger, Painting, sculpture, museum training					
box 9, folder 6	-"Fine Arts 206Renaissance art of northern Europe," [see also box 16, folder					
	5 for second copies of lectures 7-10]					
box 9, folder 6	-"Fine Arts 284Northern High Renaissance and Baroque sculpture"					
box 9, folder 6	-"Fine Arts 210, Rembrandt and Dutch painting," incomplete					
box 9, folder 6	- Museum training course, "Exhibit: lithographs and sculpture - Honoré					
	Daumier/ arranged by student in Museum training under the direction of Dr.					
	Martin Weinberger " May 13-19, 1941					
box 9, folder 7	Miscellaneous materials without instructors' names, alpha by subject/title					
box 9, folder 7	-ancient architecture, outline of lectures, 1936-1937					
box 9, folder 7	-Renaissance architecture, outline of lectures, 1937-1938					
box 9, folder 7	-Italian baroque art, bibilography					
box 9, folder 7	-history of forgeries, early Christian and Byzantine art					
box 9, folder 7	-iconography, outline					
box 9, folder 7	-Tuscan communes of 12th and 13th centuries					
box 9, folder 7	-modern art: classicism and romanticism, outline of lectures					
box 9, folder 7	-museum training course: 17th c Dutch prints and Delft ware; history of					
	painting and sculpture, 1936, in Bloch's hand					
box 9, folder 7	-NYU-Met Museum bibliography for painting in Italy 17th -18th centuries					
box 9, folder 7	-"Fine Arts 27-28," watercolor class					
box 9, folder 7	-survey of renaissance art - Fine Arts 502, incomplete					
	Series II.B. Bloch's notes and term papers for NYU classes, 1936-1947, undated					
	Physical Description: ca. 2.5 lin. ft.					
	Scope and Content Note					
	Lecture notes, term papers, sketchbooks, and assorted notes, arranged roughly					
	alphabetically; by professors, then by subjects.					
box 10, folder 1	Otto Benesch					
box 10, folder 1	-French painting, 1943					
	Scope and Content Note					
	Paper, translation of portion of Thieme-Becker, 1941.					
box 10, folder 2-3	Walter Fridlaender, ca. 1940-1944					
box 10, folder 2	-Florentine painting, 1944					
box 10, folder 2	-Fine Arts 227, Florentine and central Italian painting of the 16th c.					
box 10, folder 2	-Later Venetian painting, 1941					
box 10, folder 3	-Italian painting of the late 16th and 17th centuries, with term paper, 1940					
box 10, folder 3	-Term paper on Géricault, for Fine Arts 226, David to Cézanne, 1941					
box 10, folder 4	Julius Held, Dutch painting of the 17th c., with term paper on Rembrandt, 1940					
box 10, folder 5	Karl Lehmann(-Hartleben), Greek art of the Hellenistic period, with term paper on					
	Pergamon altar, 1939-1940					
box 10, folder 6	A. Philip McMahon, Criticism of the fine arts, with term paper on Sextus Emiricus,					
	1939-1940					
box 10, folder 7	Richard Offner					
box 10, folder 7	-High Renaissance painting, 1940					
box 10, folder 7	-Venetian painting, 1942					
box 10, folder 7	-Sienese painting, 1944					
box 11, folder 1	Dimitri Tselos					
box 11, folder 2	-Early and later medieval art, 1942-1943					

box 11, folder 3

box 11, folder 4

box 11, folder 4

**Martin Weinberger** 

1940-1941

-Foundations of modern art and architecture and sculpture, 1938, 1941, 1947

-High Renaissance sculpture, with term paper on Bartolommeo Ammanati,

box 11, folder 4	-Term paper on Mantegna for Italian Renaissance sculpture course, 1940					
	Scope and Content Note					
	[see also Bloch's master's thesis, box 14, folder 9]					
box 11, folder 5	Edgar Wind, Iconography of the Renaissance, 1942					
box 12, folder 1	American art, 1942					
box 12, folder 2-7	Architecture, ancient to modern, include sketchbooks, 1936-1938					
box 12, folder 8	Principles of design - Met Museum of Art, fragment, 1937					
box 13, folder 1	French art, 18th c.					
box 13, folder 2	German art					
box 13, folder 3	Michelangelo, 1938, 1941					
	Scope and Content Note					
	(with Panofsky? Weinberger?)					
box 13, folder 4	Museum training/ research methods, 1941-1942					
	Scope and Content Note					
	(with Cook?)					
box 13, folder 5	History of ornament and sculpture, 1936-1937					
	Scope and Content Note					
	Including mimeographed sheets for student notes.					
	including mimeographed sheets for student notes.					
box 13, folder 6-11	Painting, gothic, renaissance, American, French, German; 1937, 1939, 1947? undated					
box 13, folder 12	Pottery, porcelain, bound term paper, undated					
box 14, folder 1	Renaissance, Italian art, undated					
box 14, folder 1-	Sculpture, ancient to Renaissance, 1942-1943, undated					
box 14, folder 5	Cosimo Tura, report on condition of his "Flight into Egypt"					
box 14, folder 6-7	Notes on lectures					
,	Scope and Content Note					
	Assorted notes on guest lectures and symposia given by, among others, Arthur Hind, Krautheimer, Lehmann, Offner, Panofsky, and Hans Tietze.					
	Series II.C. NYU School of Architecture and Allied Arts, Bloch's undergraduate years, 1936-1939					
	Physical Description: 10 items					
	Scope and Content Note					
	Bloch's undergraduate administrative records.					
box 14, folder 8	Correspondence, grades, commencement materials.					
	Series II.D. NYU-IFA, Bloch's master's thesis, 1940-1942					
	Physical Description: 1 folder(s)					
	Scope and Content Note					
	Bound thesis, associated material and correspondence.					
box 14, folder 9	"Iconography of Andrea Mantegna's half-length pictures of the 'Madonna and Child,'" October 1942					
	Scope and Content Note					
	Bound typescript of thesis with supporting materials including a critique by Richard					

# Series II.E. NYU Washington Square correspondence, 1945-1946

Physical Description: 1 folde Scope and Content Note Seven typed letters, concerning NYU. [For Bloch lecture notes fr see box 16, folders 4-7.]

box 14, folder 10

Correspondence, primarily with McMahon,

## Series II.F. NYU-IFA, Bloch's Ph.D. materials, 1944-1959

Physical Description: 1 folder(s)

**Scope and Content Note** 

Supporting, administrative materials and correspondence regarding Bloch's Ph.D.and NYU

commencement, ca. 45 items.

## box 14, folder 11

## Ph.D supporting materials

**Scope and Content Note** 

Records, oral exams, Ph.D. requirements, grades, commencement and other ceremony programs, letters from Walter Cook, Craig Hugh Smyth, and Martin Weinberger [For ms. of dissertation, see boxes 23-25].

## Series II.G. Correspondence with NYU-IFA professors, others, 1946-1988

Physical Description: 1 folder(s)

**Scope and Content Note** 

Letters, post cards, clippings, and other material primarily related to NYU-IFA professors and alumni

## box 14, folder 12

## Correspondence alphabetical, 1946-1987

**Scope and Content Note** 

Includes Walter Cook (1947-1959, 1962), A. Philip McMahon (1946), Craig Hugh Smyth (1956-1957), Dimitri Tselos (1954-1970, 1987).

## box 14, folder 13

## Alumni association flyers, letters, etc., 1959, 1972, 1988

## Series III. Teaching materials, 1945-1982 undated

Physical Description: 8 box(es)

**Scope and Content Note** 

Series contains Bloch's teaching and academic materials, 1945-1982, 4 linear ft., includes Bloch's lectures for the University of Missouri, University of Minnesota and UCLA courses, with reading lists and slides lists. Four folders of papers concern his students' work, exams, and correspondence and support materials for their masters' theses and Ph.D qualifying exams. Other correspondence and assorted documents relate to Bloch's employment, personnel actions, and tenure review, especially at UCLA.

## Series III.A. Lecture notes, 1945-1982

Physical Description: 2.5 Linear Feet

**Scope and Content Note** 

Class files containing lecture notes and other materials, chiefly for the teaching of University of Missouri and UCLA art history courses, arranged accordingly.

box 15, folder 1 box 15, folder 2	Introductory course, "Art and Archaeology" Univ. of Missouri, 1944-1945 American art, undated
	Scope and Content Note
	Includes Univ. of Missouri stationary.
box 15, folder 3-4	19th c. American architecture; American painting and sculpture
	Physical Description: ca. 200 pp.
box 15, folder 5	American art and architecture, UCLA art history courses 112A-C or 116A-C, 1961-1978
box 16, folder 1	American art and architecture, UCLA art history courses 112A-C or 116A-C, 1961-1978
box 16, folder 2 box 16, folder 3	American art, graduate seminar, UCLA, 1976 Medieval art, 1956, undated
box 16, folder 4-7	Renaissance art, NYU Washington Square campus, Univ. of Minnesota, UCLA, 1945-1947, 1957
	Scope and Content Note
	Includes mimeographs from NUY-IFA courses taught by Walter Cook and Martin Weinberger [see also box 5, folder 4 and box 9, folders 5-6].
box 16, folder 8-9 box 16, folder 10	Baroque art, UCLA art history course 104C and UCLA Extension, 1957-1962 French art, typed lecture notes
	Scope and Content Note
	U. of Missouri? Univ. of Minnesota?
box 17, folder 1-2	Modern art, Univ. of Minnesota and UCLA, 1946-1947, undated
	Scope and Content Note
	Includes a lecture from NYU-IFA course of Andrew Ritchie [see also box 9, folder 1]
box 17, folder 3 box 17, folder 4	Museum training, UCLA Extension and USC course 530, 1963, 1981, undated
box 17, loidel 4	History of ornament and decoration, 1963, 1966, undated
	Scope and Content Note
	Yyped lecture notes, slide lists from UCLA art history course 102.
box 17, folder 5	Painting, typed lecture notes, undated
box 18, folder 1	Painting, UCLA art history course 118B, 1957-1958
box 18, folder 2	History of prints and drawings, UCLA art history courses 117D, 121B, 1965-1966,
box 18, folder 3-4	1969, 1980, undated Critical and historical studies in drawings, UCLA art history courses 117D, 121B,
box 16, loider 5-4	121A-B, 1965-1980, undated
	Scope and Content Note
	With typed lecture notes, ca. 200 pp.
box 19, folder 1-2	History of prints, UCLA art history courses 117A, 120A-B, 1959, 1972, undated Scope and Content Note
	Typed lecture notes, ca. 300 pp; assorted handouts on prints.
box 18, folder 3	The contemporary print, UCLA Extension, 1964-1965
	Scope and Content Note
	Collaboration with Tamarind Lithography Workshop [for more on Tamarind, see box 65]

box 18, folder 4	Connoisseurship of prints, UCLA art department graduate seminar 402, 1978, undated
	Scope and Content Note
	Including mimeograph from Fogg Art Museum, typed lecture notes.
box 18, folder 5	Sculpture and architecture, UCLA art history course 118A, 1956, undated
	Scope and Content Note
	With typed lecture notes.
box 18, folder 6-7	Assorted lecture outlines, reading lists, undated
	Scope and Content Note
	Not all by Bloch.
box 18, folder 8 box 20, folder 1-2	Seminar and thesis topics for American art and illustration, undated Examinations: mid-term, final and Ph.D qualifying, 1950s-1980s
	Series III.B. Students' course work for Bloch's classes, 1940s-1980s
	Physical Description: 0.5 Linear Feet
	Scope and Content Note
	Materials related to Bloch's undergraduate and graduate students, including class rosts outlines, notes, term papers, bibliographies, and other supporting matter.
box 20, folder 3-4	Undergraduate: class notes, outlines, papers, 1944-1947, 1967, 1972, undated
box 21, folder 1-2	Graduate: assorted class rosters, papers, outlines, bibliographies, 1961-1981, undated
box 21, folder 3	Supporting materials and correspondence for master's theses, 1966, 1973, 1984-1985
	Series III.C. Universities of Missouri and Minnesota employment, 1944-1947
	Physical Description: 2 folder(s)
	Scope and Content Note
	Correspondence and other materials related to Bloch's early teaching activities as well a contemporary photograph of the professor.
box 21, folder 4	Univ. of Missouri, 1943-1945
	Physical Description: ca. 20 items
	Scope and Content Note
	Primarily correspondence; includes a contemporary photograph of Bloch.
box 21, folder 5	Univ. of Minnesota, 1946-1947
	Physical Description: ca. 25 items
	Scope and Content Note
	Primarily correspondence.
	Series III.D. UCLA employment, 1956-1989
	Physical Description: ca. 1 lin. ft.
	Scope and Content Note
	Administrative, professional, and committee correspondence and materials, as well as student records, related to Bloch's teaching activities at UCLA.

#### box 22, folder 1-3 Assorted documents gathered for promotion process 1956-1988

**Scope and Content Note** 

Congratulatory letters; notices of Bloch lectures, exhibits and appointments to committees at UCLA and outside.

box 22, folder 4 box 22, folder 5

## Assorted job opportunities; correspondence, printed ephemera, 1958-1978 UCLA Art department administrative papers, 1958-1985, undated

**Scope and Content Note** 

Degree requirements, administrative papers; Bloch's committee work regarding library and tenure.

box 22, folder 6

## Records of student exams, committees, 1959-1989 Series IV. George Caleb Bingham Research, 1943-1989

Physical Description: 13 box(es)

Scope and Content Note

Series contains papers relating to Bloch's writings, lectures and research on Bingham paintings, drawings, and biography. Files for Bloch's dissertation (1957) and monograph and catalog raisonné (1967) include manuscripts, galleys, photographs and correspondence relating to research and publishing 1942-1987. Other files pertain to articles and lectures Bloch wrote about Bingham, as well as exhibits he worked on, and include printed material, correspondence, manuscripts and research notes. Extensive correspondence about Bingham's portraits includes that with owners, descendants of owners and sitters, and museums and historical societies. Other correspondence, photographs and research materials relate to Bingham's genre paintings, landscapes, drawings, authentication and biography.

## Series IV.A. Publications and lectures, 1943-1987

Physical Description: 2 Linear Feet

**Scope and Content Note** 

Correspondence and research matter related to Bloch's writing and lecture activities, much of it surrounding his dissertation on Bingham, as well as work with various university presses, including manuscripts, typescripts, photographs, galleys, and other publication materials.

## box 23, folder 1

## Bingham dissertation, 1957, and monograph and catalog raisonné, 1967 1944-1971

**Scope and Content Note** 

Correspondence regarding provenance, photograph requests, research inquiries,

## box 23, folder 2

## Correspondence regarding permissions, 1945-1963

**Scope and Content Note** 

To reproduce photographs of Bingham's sketchbook at the Mercantile Library,

## box 23, folder 3

## Correspondence with UC Press, 1955-1966

**Scope and Content Note** 

[For more correspondence with UC Press see box 25, folder 3.]

Manuscript, preparatory and front matter, 1946, 1956, undated

## box 23. folder 4 box 23, folder 5

Manuscript, typescript for volume 1, undated

**Scope and Content Note** 

[N.B., fragile]

box 24, folder 1-3	Printers mss. for both volumes
box 24, loider 1-5	Scope and Content Note
	[for photomechanicals to 1967 edition, see box 32, folders 1-3.]
box 25, folder 1	Continuation of above, box 24.
box 25, folder 2	Correspondence regarding Praeger Press Bingham monograph, 1954-1970
	Scope and Content Note
	Never published.
box 25, folder 3	Correspondence regarding Bingham catalog raisonné, ; 1968-1976
	Scope and Content Note
	Primarily with Univ. of Missouri Press and St. Louis Mercantile Library, some correspondence with UC Press.
box 25, folder 4	Photographs, tearsheets of Bingham drawings
box 25, folder 5	Correspondence regarding photograph requests, permissions, provenance
	Scope and Content Note
	Also letters with U. of Missouri Press. Regarding revised Bingham catalog raisonné, 1979-1987. Also letters 1987-1988 with Univ. of Missouri Press regarding W. S. Mount drawings book that Bloch was under contract to write [see also box 41, folder 2]
box 26, folder 1	Continuation of folder 5 above
box 26, folder 2	Ms. and galley of front matter for Bingham catalog raisonné
box 26, folder 3-4	Photographs of Bingham work,
	Scope and Content Note
	Not all for 1986 book? see also box 32, folders 1-3.
box 27, folder 1	Bloch's articles and lectures about Bingham, 1960-1978, undated
	Scope and Content Note
	Also correspondence and notes. For lectures on American artists that include Bingham, see box 41, folder 5, Box 42, folder 1.
box 27, folder 2	Bingham's "color method" 1963-1970, undated
	Scope and Content Note
	Article for <i>Apollo</i> (1972/1973?). Correspondence, notes, handwritten and typed [for lectures?].
	Series IV.B. <b>Bingham exhibits, 1910, 1935-1986</b>
	Physical Description: 0.5 Linear Feet
	Scope and Content Note
	Correspondence, notes, inventories, inventories, clippings, catalogs, and other matter related to Bloch's work on various Bingham exhibits.
box 27, folder 3	Bloch's notes
	Physical Description: ca. 20 pp.
	Scope and Content Note
	Concerning 19th-century exhibits which included Bingham's work, with a 1910 catalog.

box 27, folder 4	National Council of Fine Arts exhibit, 1967 1964-1967
	Scope and Content Note
	Bingham exhibit which Bloch worked on. Correspondence, inventories, manuscript of
	catalog.
box 27, folder 5	Nelson Atkins and St. Louis Art Museum exhibit, 1975-1976
	Scope and Content Note
	Bingham exhibit which Bloch worked on. Correspondence, clippings, inventory,.
box 27, folder 6	Amon Carter Museum exhibit, 1976, 1972-1977
	Scope and Content Note
	Bingham exhibit on which Bloch worked. Correspondence, mostly with Mitchell Wilder, and inventories. Exhibit never mounted?
box 27, folder 7	Missouri Historical Society
	Scope and Content Note
	Bingham exhibit which Bloch worked on.
box 27, folder 8	Other modern Bingham exhibits 1935-1986
	Scope and Content Note
	Catalogs, inventories, correspondence, clippings.
	Series IV.C. Bingham portraits, 1940s-1980s
	Physical Description: 2.5 Linear Feet
	Scope and Content Note
	Correspondence, research notes, printed ephemera, and a large number of photographs
	related to Bloch's research on Bingham's portrait work, including contacts with
	descendants, owners, museums, and dealers.
box 28, folder 1-4	General correspondence concerning Bingham portraits with owners, descendants, historical societies, museums, 1943-1989
	Scope and Content Note
	Many photographs, arranged alphabetically by sitter: A-Mc
box 29, folder 1-5 box 30, folder 1-9	Correspondence and photographs, Mc-W, and names unknown Correspondence concerning authentication/attribution of portraits, 1944-1989
	Scope and Content Note
	Many of which were not by Bingham in Bloch's opinion. Correspondence with owners,
	descendants, museums, and dealers like Stuart Feld (Hirschl & Adler) and Robert Vose. Many photographs, arranged alphabetically by sitter: A-N.
box 31, folder 1-4	Correspondence and photographs, O-W, and names unknown
box 31, folder 5	Assorted portrait correspondence, 1968-1988
	Scope and Content Note
	Arranged chronologically.
box 31, folder 6 box 32, folder 1-2	Research notes and printed ephemera, , undated c1940s-1970s Photographs
20% 32, 101dCl 1 2	Scope and Content Note
	Of Bingham portraits, with some transparencies and negatives. Includes photographs
	marked for mechanical reproduction for 1967 or 1986 catalog raisonné.

box 32, folder 3	Photographs, late portraits		
	Series IV.D. Bingham narrative/genre paintings, 1944-1989		
	Physical Description: 0.5 Linear Feet		
	Scope and Content Note		
	Bloch's correspondence and research notes on Bingham's narrative/genre work.		
box 32, folder 4	Correspondence regarding individual paintings, B-J 1944-1989		
	Scope and Content Note		
	With some research notes, alphabetically arranged by title/subject.		
box 33, folder 1	Correspondence regarding individual paintings, L-W		
box 33, folder 2 box 33, folder 3-4	Paintings with political themes		
DOX 33, 1010er 3-4	Correspondence regarding attribution / authentication, 1946, 1964-1989		
	Scope and Content Note		
	Arranged chronologically.		
	Series IV.E. Bingham landscapes, 1944-1984		
	Physical Description: 2 folder(s)		
	Scope and Content Note		
	Bloch's correspondence and some photographs related to Bingham's landscape work.		
box 33, folder 5 box 34, folder 1	Correspondence (with some photographs) concerning 6 paintings, 1944-1984 Correspondence regarding attribution / authentication		
	Series IV.F. Bingham drawings and unidentified paintings, 1967-1985		
	Physical Description: 1 folder(s)		
	Scope and Content Note		
	Correspondence with various venues about Bingham drawings and other work, including a photograph of one item.		
box 34, folder 2	Correspondence regarding authentication		
	Physical Description: ca. 15 items		
	Series IV.G. Assorted materials regarding Bingham paintings, 1944-1984, undated		
	Physical Description: 4 folder(s)		
	Scope and Content Note		
	Photographs, slides, inventories, correspondence, and notes about Bingham's paintings, (including copies, and prints) and their attribution.		
box 34, folder 3	Parintings of doubtful attribution		
	Scope and Content Note		
	35 photographs of doubtful or erroneous attribution, keyed to a list "Paintings of George Caleb Bingham: a catalogue raisonné, Vol. IV - Photographs."		
box 34, folder 4	Miscellaneous inventories of Bingham works, 1944, undated		
	Scope and Content Note		
	[see also box 44, folder 5, and index card box 46.]		
box 34, folder 5	Miscellaneous photographs and slides of Bingham's work		

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# Correspondence and notes concerning copies and prints after Bingham, 1961-1984

## Series IV.H. Bingham biography, 1931, 1944-1988

Physical Description: ca. 1 lin. ft.

**Scope and Content Note** 

Material about Bingham's life, including correspondence with his descendants and others, notes, printed ephemera, clippings, and other matter, as well as copies of Bingham's own correspondence.

## box 34, folder 7 Correspondence, 1967-1987

Physical Description: ca. 125 items

**Scope and Content Note** 

Including regarding discussion of Bingham's paintings, arranged chronologically

## box 34, folder 8 Correspondence with Bingham descendants, 1944-1974

Physical Description: ca. 30 items

## box 34, folder 9 Correspondence with Harry and Bess Truman, 1947-1976

Physical Description: ca. 10 items

box 35, folder 1 Photostats of Bingham correspondence and a published lecture by him
box 35, folder 2 Notes and correspondence regarding contemporary accounts of Bingham, ca.
1950s

box 35, folder 3 Notes on Bingham's life

box 35, folder 4-7 Research notes on Bingham topics
box 35, folder 8 Printed ephemera, clippings, tearsheets

box 35, folder 9 Published material on Bingham, , 1931 1981-1988

Physical Description: 4 items

## Series V. Benjamin West research, 1821-1987

Physical Description: 3 box(es)
Scope and Content Note

Correspondence, catalogs and inventories, research notes, photographs, printed ephemera and microfilm. The correspondence, primarily with institutions which own West drawings, is arranged chronologically and includes letters from the British Museum, the Historical Society of Pennsylvania, and the Metropolitan Museum, 1961-1987, scattered years. Catalogs, photocopies, and Bloch's inventories document his attempt to compile an exhaustive list of West work. These date from 1821-1987, scattered years. Other research materials, some compiled by Bloch's students, include photographs, notes, clippings and a microfilm of the West sketchbook in the Historical Society of Pennsylvania. Photographs, inventories and a few letters relate to Raphael Lamar West. Photocopies of auction records and photographs document Benjamin West's own collection of drawings.

## Series V.A. Correspondence, 1961-1987

Physical Description: 2 folder(s)

**Scope and Content Note** 

Correspondence, primarily with institutions that own West drawings, including the British Museum, Historical Society of Pennsylvania, Metropolitan Museum, arranged chronologically.

box 36, folder 1 **1961-1969** box 36, folder 2 **1970-1987** 

	Series V.B. West exhibit catalogs/inventories, 1821-1987, undated
	Physical Description: 1 folder(s)
	Scope and Content Note
	Catalogs, photocopies, tearsheets and Bloch's own lists, 1821. [See also box 44, folder 5, and index card box 46.]
box 36, folder 3	1839-1987, undated
	Series V.C. <b>West research, 1926, 1961-1987, undated</b>
	Physical Description: 1 Linear Feet
	Scope and Content Note
	Research notes, bio-bibliographical and other support materials, ephemera, photocopies, clippings, and photographs of works (arranged by series and genres).
box 36, folder 4	Notes and bio-bibliographical materials
	Scope and Content Note
	Most compiled by Bloch students, with photographs and prints of self-portraits and portraits [see also box 46].
box 37, folder 1	Notes and support materials for the West holdings of the Historical Society of Pennsylvania, 1969, 1987, undated
	Scope and Content Note
	Including microfilm of its West sketchbook.
box 37, folder 2 box 37, folder 3	Research, with photographs, on three individual West series, 1965, 1985, undated Printed ephemera, photocopies, tearsheets, clippings, 1926, 1961-1970, undated
	Physical Description: ca. 12 items
box 37, folder 4	Photographs of West drawings
	Physical Description: ca. 125 photographs
	Scope and Content Note
	ca. 100 photographs of drawings in 1839 Sotheby's sale; Sketchbooks, Royal Academy of Arts, London, ca. 25 photographs with Academy's stamp.
box 37, folder 5	Photographs of West drawings, animal portraits
	Scope and Content Note
	Ca. 100 photographs, with some written documentation.
box 38, folder 1	Photographs of West drawings: genre scenes and landscapes
	Physical Description: ca. 90 photographs
	Scope and Content Note
	Domestic scenes and genre subjects (ca. 45 items), Landscapes (ca. 45 items).
box 38, folder 2	Photographs of West drawings: classical and biblical subjects
	Physical Description: ca. 120 photographs
	Scope and Content Note
	Classical subjects (ca. 45 items), Old and New Testament subjects (ca. 75 items)
box 38, folder 3	Photographs of West drawings: allegorical and historical subjects
	Scope and Content Note
	Allegorical subjects (ca. 40 items), Historical subjects (ca. 30 items)

box 38, folder 4

## Photographs of West drawings: literary and other

Physical Description: ca. 130 photographs

**Scope and Content Note** 

Literary subjects (ca. 20 items), about "Benjamin West: Royal Naval Collection Project, 1788-1789" (National Maritime Museum) (ca. 51 items), Miscellaneous (ca. 40 items),

False attributions to West (ca. 10 items)

## Series V.D. Raphael Lamar West, 1980s

Physical Description: 1 folder(s)

**Scope and Content Note** 

Photographs of drawings and materials about West's pupils.

box 38, folder 5

## 30 photographs of R. L. West's drawings, 1980s

**Scope and Content Note** 

With a list of West pupils and 4 letters concerning West's students.

## Series V.E. Prints after the works of B. West, undated

Physical Description: 1 folder(s)

**Scope and Content Note** 

Undated inventories, and a student paper.

box 38, folder 6

## Three inventories, a paper from a Bloch student, undated

### Series V.F. West's own collection of drawings, 1820-1898

Physical Description: 1 folder(s)

**Scope and Content Note** 

Photocopies of auctions, and photographs of drawings from West's collection.

box 38, folder 7

## Photocopies and photographs

**Scope and Content Note** 

Photocopies of auctions, 1820, 1824, 1829, 1898; approx. 15 photographs of drawings from the collection

## Series VI. Research files on 19th century art, 1945-1987

Physical Description: 24 box(es)

**Scope and Content Note** 

Research files on 19th-century art, 1945-1987 comprises 14.5 linear ft. and document Bloch's research, writings and lectures. Files include published works (mostly articles), manuscripts, correspondence, research notes and photographs for his publications, publication projects never realized, lectures, and his own collecting interests. Unrealized projects include manuscript material on American drawings, Charles Lanman's art criticism (also, microfilm of the Lanman papers), William Sidney Mount's drawings, and a history of printmaking. Lectures, 1960-1982, include those given to LACMA docents. Assorted research notes pertain to individual American artists, the American Art Union, the Western Art Union, American and English 19th-century illustrators (also microfilm of newspapers), and to panoramas. Inventories and bibliographies, some on index cards, cover Bloch's research and collecting interests and comprise ca. 5 linear ft. Finally, artists and subject files contain collected clippings and comprise 5.5 linear ft.

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Physical Description: 2 folder(s)

**Scope and Content Note** 

Publications, book reviews, articles, catalogs, along with mss., correspondence and some gallevs.

box 39, folder 1

1945-1969, undated 1973-1987

box 39, folder 2

## Series VI.B. Never published book projects, ca. 1940s-1988

Physical Description: ca. 1 lin. ft.

**Scope and Content Note** 

Drawings, correspondence, contracts, photographs, research notes, clippings, tearsheets, slide lists, dealer's materials, inventories, and other material related to unpublished book projects.

## box 39, folder 3

## American drawings, a critical and historical survey, 1960

**Scope and Content Note** 

Contract and correspondence with Univ. of Ca Press. Materials culled from "American Drawings," 1954 Cooper Union / Smithsonian traveling exhibit [for more on Cooper Union see box 63, folders 1-4; for more about the book project, see box 45, folder 3].

## box 40, folder 1

## Ca. 200 photographs of American drawings, , undated 1980s

**Scope and Content Note** 

Some with Cooper Union stamp (undated), many identified to Hirschl & Adler (1980s).

### box 40. folder 2-3

### Art Nouveau, 1960-1970

**Scope and Content Note** 

3 files containing lectures (one for LACMA docents, ca. 1961), notes, clippings and tearsheets, slide lists, dealers' materials, some correspondence.

## box 40. folder 4

## Edition of Charles Lanman's art criticism, 1969-1984

**Scope and Content Note** 

Bulk 1981-1984. Typescript of ca. 250 pp ms.; also notes, 1940s; correspondence with Dorothy McNeilly, [see also box 86 for microfilm of Lanman papers].

## box 41. folder 1

## "Patterns of Printmaking," 1969-1871

Physical Description: ca. 15 items

**Scope and Content Note** 

Contract with Harry N. Abrams and correspondence.

## box 41. folder 2

## William Sidney Mount drawings catalog raisonné, 1971-1982, 1988

**Scope and Content Note** 

Correspondence, especially with the museums at Stony brook and Univ. of Missouri Press (publisher 1978), some with dealers; research notes; photographs; clippings.

## box 41, folder 3

## Inventories of Mount's drawings at the Museums at Stony Brook

**Scope and Content Note** 

[for an inventory of Mount's paintings, see box 44, folder 5]

## box 41, folder 4

## Tearsheets, clippings, 1942-1979

Physical Description: 10 items

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Physical Description: 2 folder(s)

**Scope and Content Note** 

A run of lectures delivered by Bloch at various venues.

## box 41, folder 5

## Lectures given to LACMA docents, 1960s-1970s

**Scope and Content Note** 

including, "Spanish prints" (1960) and three lectures on American painting (1973); lecture "Panoramas," 1962; lecture on Minnich print collection, Minneapolis, 1970

## box 42, folder 1

## Lectures, undated, 1974, 1982

**Scope and Content Note** 

For American Art Council (LACMA), "American narrative painting" (1974) and "Caitlin and Western painting" (undated); for Palm Springs Desert Museum, "West as art" (1982); and at UCLA symposium, "Dutch painting in America" (1982)

## Series VI.D. Research files, 1870s-1890s, 1940s-1980s, undated

Physical Description: 1.5 Linear Feet

**Scope and Content Note** 

Notes, correspondence, copies of primary sources, photographs, tearsheets, printed ephemera, and other research materials.

## box 42, folder 2

## Notes on 19th century artists, undated probably 1940s-1970s

**Scope and Content Note** 

From arts magazines, newspapers, archival records.

## box 42, folder 3

## Notes on individual 19th century artists, undated probably 1940s-1980s

**Scope and Content Note** 

e.g., Catlin, Cole, Eastman, Inness, Moran, Remington, artists of the West, etc., some typed notes, ca. 75 half-pages, for class lectures (?)

## box 42, folder 4

## Notes on commissioning artists for the Capitol Rotunda, ( ) undated 1950s-1970s?

**Scope and Content Note** 

including research on J. Q. Adams, S. F. B. Morse, copies of primary sources.

box	42,	folder	5
box	43,	folder	1

# American Art Union

American Art Union

## box 43, folder 2

## Western Art Union and others, 1949-1987

**Scope and Content Note** 

includes some correspondence, [see also Box 86 for microfilm of the Records of the Western Art Union].

## box 43, folder 3-4

# Notes and tearsheets of American and English 19th century illustrated magazines, ca. 1870s-1890s

**Scope and Content Note** 

including three issues in their entirety, [see also microfilm of Daily Cincinnati Chronicle, box 86].

## box 44, folder 1

# Notes and tearsheets of American and English 19th century illustrated magazines, , ca. 1870s-1890s undated

box 44, folder 2	Papers on the history of printing, 1950s-1970s
	Scope and Content Note
	Notes including outline for a book, tearsheets, printed ephemera.
box 44, folder 3	Papers regarding Panoramas, 1940s-1980s
	Scope and Content Note
	Notes, tearsheets, offprints and photographs. Offprints primarily by Bertha Heilbron. Includes price list. For Heilbron correspondence with Bloch, see box 2 folder 8.
box 44, folder 4	Miscellaneous unidentified notes, undated
	Series VI.E. Inventories and bibliographies, 1940s-1989, undated
	Physical Description: 3.5 Linear Feetca. 7 boxes
	Scope and Content Note
	Inventories of private collections and museum holdings, index card files, offprints, reviews, typescripts, and bibliographies.
box 44, folder 5	National Council of Fine Arts inventory, 1977
	Scope and Content Note
	Of the paintings of Bingham, W. S. Mount, and B. West. A bound computer printout.
box 45, folder 1	Assorted inventories of private collections, museum holdings, 1940s-1980s?
	Physical Description: ca. 25
	Scope and Content Note
	Many compiled by Bloch. Including a typed list, ca. 50 pp., of 19th century portraits in New England collections; the Gilkey graphic arts collection; Art Institute of Chicago's American holdings; drawings exhibited by the National Academy of Design, 1826-1900; the prints in the Free Library of Philadelphia.
box 45, folder 2	Photocopy of index card file of exhibition catalogs and monographs on artists, undated
box 45, folder 3	Bloch's grant applications, 1960-1974, 1977, 1985
	Scope and Content Note
	Primarily with the American Council Learned Societies, Guggenheim Foundation, and the Ford Foundation.
box 45, folder 4	Other scholars' work, given to Bloch, 1943-1989
	Scope and Content Note
	Offprints, reviews, typescripts, and photocopies of book title pages. Note: books transferred to the Getty Research Institute Library.
box 46	Provenance index and bibliographies, index card files:
box 46	-Bingham, provenance
box 46	-Charles Lanman bibliography and provenance
box 46 box 46	<ul> <li>-B. West, provenance, bibliography, inventory</li> <li>-ALS of 19th-century artists - refers to American Art Union inventory</li> </ul>
box 47-49	Bibliographies, note cards and some inventories, 1950s-1980s
	Scope and Content Note
	Regarding Panoramas, Art Nouveau, painting commissioned for the Capitol Rotunda, drawings, graphic arts, etc.,
box 49-51	Students' index card bibliographies, compiled for assignments in Bloch's classes, 1960s-1970s

box 52, folder 1

## Series VI.F. Artist/subject files, 1940s-1989, undated

Physical Description: 11 box(es)

**Scope and Content Note** 

Afro-American art

An extensive series of artist/subject clippings files, arranged alphabetically.

box 52, folder 1	Atro-American art
box 52, folder 2	Allston, Washington
box 52, folder 3	American architecture
box 52, folder 4	American architecture, historic buildings
box 52, folder 5	American art, contemporary 1930s-1960
box 52, folder 6	American art and architecture 1940-1950s
box 52, folder 7	American art, miscellaneous
box 52, folder 8	American artists, women
box 53, folder 1	-
	American expositions, 1853, 1893, 1915
box 53, folder 2	American painting
box 53, folder 3	Anschute, Thomas
box 53, folder 4	A, artists file Abbey - Audubon
box 53, folder 5	Banknote engraving
box 53, folder 6	Beal, Gifford
box 53, folder 7	Benton, Thomas Hart
box 53, folder 8	Biddle, George
	Scope and Content Note
	Includes 1 letter from Biddle to Bloch, 6 June 1949.
box 53, folder 9	Blakelock, R. A.
box 53, folder 10	Blythe, D. G.
box 53, folder 11	Bodmer, Karl
box 53, folder 12	Brush, George de Forest
box 53, folder 13	B artists file, Bellows - Brush
box 53, folder 14	California architecture [see also slides in box 85]
box 54, folder 1	California artists
box 54, folder 2	Cartoons, political
box 54, folder 3	Castaigne, André
box 54, folder 4	Catlin, George
box 54, folder 5	Chase, William
box 54, folder 6	Chinnery, George
box 54, folder 7	Church, Frederick
box 54, folder 8	Cohen, Frederick E.
box 54, folder 9	Cole, Thomas
box 54, folder 10	Cole, Timothy (and Alphaeus)
box 54, folder 11	Collecting and collectors
box 54, folder 12	Comegys, George H.
box 54, folder 13	Conservation and restoration
box 54, folder 14	Contemporary art
box 54, folder 15	Copley, J. S.
box 54, folder 16	Critics and criticism
box 54, folder 17	Cropsey, Jasper F.
box 54, folder 18	C artists file, Cassatt - Curry
box 54, folder 19	Darley, F. O. C.
box 54, folder 20	Davies, Arthur B.
box 54, folder 21	Davis, Theodore R.
box 54, folder 22	Deas, Charles
box 55, folder 1	Dixon, Maynard
box 55, folder 2	Doughty, Thomas
box 55, folder 3	Drawings, American
box 55, folder 4	Drawings, courtroom
box 55, folder 5	Durand, Asher B.
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box 55, folder 6	Duveneck, Frank
box 55, folder 7	D artists file, Davis - Dumond
box 55, folder 8	Eakins, Thomas
box 55, folder 9	Eastman, Seth
box 55, folder 10	Edmonds, F. W.
box 55, folder 11	Edwards, S. A.
box 55, folder 12	Eilshemius, Louis M.
box 55, folder 13	Engravings
box 55, folder 14	E artists file, Earl - Evergood
box 55, folder 15	Farney, Henry
box 55, folder 16	Fenn, Harry
box 55, folder 17	Folk art, paintings
box 55, folder 18	Foote, Mary Hallock
box 55, folder 19	Frescoes
box 55, folder 20	Frost, A. B.
box 55, folder 21	F artists file, Feke - Frieske
box 56, folder 1	Glackens, William
box 56, folder 2	G artists file, Gifford - Grosz
box 56, folder 3	Hahn, William
box 56, folder 4	Harnett, William
box 56, folder 5	Haseltine, W. S.
box 56, folder 6	Hassam, Childe
box 56, folder 7	Heade, Martin J.
box 56, folder 8	Hicks, Thomas
box 56, folder 9	Homer, Winslow
box 56, folder 10	Hopper, Edward
box 56, folder 11	Huntington, Daniel
box 56, folder 12	H artists file, Hale - Hunt
box 57, folder 1	Illustrations
	Scope and Content Note
	See also drawings, war illustrators, and individual illustrators files.
box 57, folder 2	Indians
box 57, folder 3	Inman, Henry
box 57, folder 4	Inness, George
box 57, folder 5	Johnson, Adelaide
box 57, folder 6	Johnson, Eastman
box 57, folder 7	J artists file
box 57, folder 8	Keith, Castle W.
box 57, folder 9	Kemble, Edward W.
box 57, folder 10	Kensett, John F.
box 57, folder 11	Koerner, W. H. D.
	Scope and Content Note
	Includes a typed essay and notes, by Bloch?
box 57, folder 12	Krimmel, John Lewis
box 57, folder 13	Kuhn, Walt
box 57, folder 14	K artists file, Karfiol - Kuniyoshi
•	Scope and Content Note
	Includes printed ephemera by Sister Corita Kent.
	includes printed epitemera by Sister Conta Rent.
box 58, folder 1	Laks, George
box 58, folder 2	Lane, Fitz Hugh
box 58, folder 3	Leigh, W. R.
box 58, folder 4	Leutze, Emanuel

box 58, folder 5	Loemans, A. F.
	Scope and Content Note
	With 14 letters of Patricia Trenton and owners of Loemans paintings attributed to
	Lanman.
	Edillidii.
box 58, folder 6	Los Angeles collectors
box 58, folder 7	Los Angeles County Museum of Art (LACMA) collection
box 58, folder 8	L artists file, Lachaise - Lucioni
box 58, folder 9	Martin, Homer Dodge
box 58, folder 10	Miller, Alfred J.
box 58, folder 11	Millen, Kenneth Hayes
box 58, folder 12	Monotypes (see also Prints)
box 58, folder 13	Moran Family (Thomas, et al)
box 58, folder 14	Morse, Samuel F. B.
box 58, folder 15	Morton, Henry Jackson
box 58, folder 16	Moses, Grandma
box 58, folder 17	Museums
box 58, folder 18	Museums, University
box 58, folder 19	Myers, Jerome
	Scope and Content Note
	With ca. 20 letters between Bloch and Ethyl Myers.
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box 58, folder 20	M artists file, Marin - Motherwell
box 58, folder 21	Nast, Thomas
box 58, folder 22	New York City in art
	Scope and Content Note
	Includes checklist of artists from the Museum of the City of New York.
	includes checklist of artists from the Museum of the City of New York.
box 58, folder 23	N and O artists file
box 58, folder 24	Peale Family
box 58, folder 25	Pene du Bois, Guy
box 59, folder 1	Pennell, Joseph
box 59, folder 2	Phillips, Walt
	Scope and Content Note
	Includes 1 letter to Bloch 27 August 1977.
box 59, folder 3	Photography processes
	Scope and Content Note
	Includes restoration of daguerreotypes.
box 59, folder 4	Posters
box 59, folder 5	
box 59, folder 6	pre-Raphaelites, American
box 59, folder 7	Printmakers, American Prints, miscellaneous
box 59, folder 8	Prints, relief
box 59, folder 9	P artists file, Parrish - Prendergast
box 59, folder 10	Quidor, John
box 59, folder 10	Ranney, William T.
box 59, folder 12	Remington, Frederick
box 59, folder 12 box 59, folder 13	Rimmer, William
box 59, folder 14	Russell, Charles M.
box 59, folder 15	R artists file, Ramage - Ryder
box 60, folder 1	Saint-Memin, CBJ. F.
box 60, folder 2	Sculptors
box 60, folder 3	Shattuck, Arnold D.
box 60, folder 4	Shinn, Everett
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box 60, folder 5	Sloan, John
box 60, folder 6	Smillie, James
box 60, folder 7	Stuart, Gilbert
box 60, folder 8	Straet, Jan van der
box 60, folder 9	Sully, Thomas
	Scope and Content Note
	Includes copies of Sully letters.
box 61, folder 1	S artists file, Sargent - Stella
box 61, folder 2	Tabor, Walton
box 61, folder 3	Treiman, Joyce
	Scope and Content Note
	Includes Bloch's notes for an essay.
box 61, folder 4	Trumball, John
box 61, folder 5	T artists file, Tanner - Twachtman
box 61, folder 6	V artists file, Vanderlyn - Vonnoh
box 61, folder 7	War illustrators and paintes
box 61, folder 8	Waud, Alfred R.
box 61, folder 9	Wayne, June
	Scope and Content Note
	Includes Bloch's manuscript of an essay about her.
box 61, folder 10	Weber, Max
box 61, folder 11	Weir, J. Alden
box 61, folder 12	Wenzell, A. B.
box 62, folder 1	Whistler, J. M.
box 62, folder 2	Whitefield, Edwin
box 62, folder 3	Whitley, Thomas
	Scope and Content Note
	Includes copies of Whitley letters.
box 62, folder 4	Whittredge, Worthington
box 62, folder 5	Wilde, J. C.
box 62, folder 6	Will, August
	Scope and Content Note
	Includes correspondence with Jersey City Library Museum regarding Will exhibit.
box 62, folder 7	Wimar, Carl
box 62, folder 8	Woodcuts
box 62, folder 9	Woodville, Richard Caton
box 62, folder 10	Wright, Frank Lloyd
box 62, folder 11	W artists file, Wilde - Wright
box 62, folder 12	Young, Harvey Otis
box 62, folder 13	Zogbaum, Rufus F.
box 62, folder 14	Zorach, William
box 62, folder	Miscellaneous clippings from art and general interest magazines
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## Series VII. Curatorial and advisory positions, 1953-1989

Physical Description: 13 box(es)

**Scope and Content Note** 

Series contains materials relating to Bloch's work with the Cooper Union Museum, 1953-1959, the Grunwald Center for the Graphic Arts, 1957-1984, the Tamarind Lithography Workshop, 1960-1989, the Archives of American Art, 1958-1987, the American Art Council of the Los Angeles County Museum of Art, 1971-1986, and the Virginia Steele Scott Foundation, 1975-1991.

5 linear ft. of correspondence, notes, printed material and photographs document 2 exhibits Bloch worked on at the Cooper Union: "Prince Regents Style," and "American drawings."

Correspondence in the Grunwald Center for the Graphic Arts files includes a detailed summary of Bloch's work at this collection at UCLA. Other correspondence, notes, photographs and annotated dealers' catalogs document his acquisitions, and his exhibits, including "The Special Artists of the American Wars,"(1959) and "Word & Images," an exhibit of United Ltd. Art Editions prints, 1978.

Much of the correspondence in the Tamarind files is with June Wayne, founder of Tamarind, and concerns the work and finances of the workshop, the fellows and artisans in residence there, and the definition of an "original print." Samples of Tamarind press work, photographs, and manuscripts by Wayne are included.

The two files of Archives of American Art material include correspondence and reports regarding advisory committees, donors, and the West Coast Center. Bloch was a member of the American Art Council, a support group of the Los Angeles County Museum of Art. Less than .5 linear ft. contain correspondence, which includes letters with Michael Quick, curator of American Art, and Nancy Moure, assistant curator, 1971-1982, minutes of meetings, 1971-1981, by-laws, newsletters and press releases, 1973-1986.

The files regarding the Virginia Steele Scott Foundation comprise 4.5 linear ft. and provide a detailed history of the development of this gallery and its collection, as well as Bloch's involvement as advisor and trustee. Papers include articles of incorporation, by-laws, and Board minutes, in-house reports, inventories and photographs of art works, and correspondence. These files document the establishment of the VSS Foundation, the assessment and deaccessioning of the original art collection, primarily by Bloch, the collection development for the VSS Gallery, including offers from dealers, and the relationship between the VSS Gallery, the Archives of American Art, and the Huntington Library and Gallery. Much of the correspondence is from dealers (regarding offers) and between Bloch and Robert Wark (regarding Bloch's role at the Huntington). One file documents the search for a curator of American art and includes correspondence and curriculum vitae from candidates. Three files document Bloch's exhibit at the Huntington in 1989, "Faces & Figures in American Drawings."

## Series VII.A. Cooper Union Museum, 1953-1959

Physical Description: 4 folder(s)

**Scope and Content Note** 

Correspondence, research notes, and documentation on exhibits, including checklists, catalogs, clippings, and photographs

## box 63, folder 1 Correspondence, 1955-1959

**Scope and Content Note** 

Includes letters relating to Bloch's search for employment in California, and letters of reference.

## box 63, folder 2 Exhibits: "Prince Regents Style" exhibit, 1953

**Scope and Content Note** 

Bloch's research notes, article and exhibit catalogue.

box 63, folder 3-4

## "American drawings" exhibit, 1954

**Scope and Content Note** 

Bloch's notes, memos, checklists, correspondence, catalogs, press clippings; documentation (letters and press clippings mounted on boards), and photographs of installation.

## Series VII.B. Grunwald Center for the Graphic Arts, 1957-1984

Physical Description: 0.5 Linear Feet

**Scope and Content Note** 

Correspondence, notes, and other documentation on exhibits, including press releases, clippings, catalogs, printed ephemera, inventories, catalogs, and photographs.

## box 64, folder 1 Correspondence, 1958-1984

**Scope and Content Note** 

Including a detailed summary of Bloch's work at the Grunwald, 1957-1963, which he wrote for a Ford Foundation grant

# box 64, folder 2 Notes on exhibits and acquisitions

box 64, folder 3 **Exhibits, 1944-1976** 

**Scope and Content Note** 

"The Special Artists of the American Wars," 1959; correspondence regarding loans, artists; notes, exhibit materials.

## box 64, folder 4 Exhibits, 1978

**Scope and Content Note** 

"Word & Images" exhibit of United Ldt. Art Editions prints, 1978; correspondence, press releases, notes, clippings (especially of Tatanya Grossman), 1978.

## box 64, folder 5 Grunwald exhibits and events, undated

**Scope and Content Note** 

Printed ephemera, two inventories of art works (European and American prints; Japanese block prints).

# box 64, folder 6 Photographs of Grunwald exhibits, ca. 10.

box 64, folder 7 Annotated dealers' catalogs

## Series VII.C. Tamarind Lithography Workshop, 1960-1989

Physical Description: 0.5 Linear Feet

**Scope and Content Note** 

Correspondence, press releases, financial reports, printed ephemera, photographs, and other materials related to the Workshop.

## box 65, folder 1 Correspondence, 1960-1989

**Scope and Content Note** 

Primarily between Bloch and June Wayne, founder of Tamarind, includes a leter from Bloch to Wayne on preserving Tamarind documents for an archive, and on his own life as a collector (1972); also correspondence with Clinton Adams, Director of Tamarind in New Mexico (changed its name in 1970 to Tamarind Institute, Univ. of New Mexico)

# box 65, folder 2 Tamarind press releases, annual and financial reports, 1960, 1974 box 65, folder 3 Papers relating to lawsuit over documentary film, 1975

box 65, folder 4 Samples of Tamarind press work, photographs of fellows and artisans

box 65, folder 5	Definition of "original print" 1970s
	Scope and Content Note
	Printed ephemera regarding criteria, much of it from Tamarind.
box 65, folder 6	June Wayne's definition of a print, 1966-1976
	Scope and Content Note
	In letters (to Bloch?) and in 2 mss. by Wayne.
	Series VII.D. Archives of American Art, 1958-1987
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	Physical Description: 2 folder(s)
	Scope and Content Note  Correspondence, reports, and other materials related to the Archive.
box 66, folder 1	Correspondence, 1958-1987
	Scope and Content Note
	Including miscellaneous materials from advisory committees, donors. [for more on the Archives, see box 73, folder 10].
box 66, folder 2	Reports of the AAA-West Coast Center, 1974-1978
	Series VII.E. American Art Council, Los Angeles County Museum of Art, 1971-1986
	Physical Description: 0.5 Linear Feet
	Scope and Content Note
	Correspondence, minutes of meetings, rosters, by-laws, newletters, and press releases
	related to the Council.
box 66, folder 3	Correspondence, 1971-1982
	Scope and Content Note
	Including with Michael Quick, curator of American art, and Nancy Moure, assistant curator.
box 66, folder 4	AAC Minutes of meetings, 1971-1976
box 66, folder 5	AAC Minutes of meetings, 1977-1981
box 66, folder 6	Rosters of members and by-laws
box 66, folder 7 box 66, folder 8	Newsletters and press releases, 1973-1981 Newsletters and press releases, 1982-1986
	Series VII.F. Virginia Steele Scott Foundation, 1975-1991
	Physical Description: 4 Linear Feet
	Scope and Content Note
	Correspondence, notes, minutes, inventories, rosters, lists, reports, dealer and gallery files, photographs, and legal documents related to the development of the Gallery during Bloch's involvement.
box 67, folder 1	History of Virginia Steele Scott Gallery and Bloch's involvement, ca. 1975-1982  Scope and Content Note
	A typescript by Bloch of events between 5 Feb 1975 and 28 May 1982, and a portion
	of the transcript of Bloch's oral history that covers his tenure at Virginia Steele Scott [later became the Virginia Steele Scott Gallery at the Huntington Library]
box 67, folder 2	Articles of incorporation, by-laws, exemption letters, Board minutes, 1975-1976, undated

box 67, folder 3	Articles of incorporation, by-laws, amendments, Board minutes, 1977, undated
box 67, folder 4	Virginia Steele Scott Board minutes, annotations by Bloch, 1977
box 68, folder 1	Minutes, 1978
box 68, folder 2	Minutes, 1979
box 68, folder 3	Minutes, 1980
box 69, folder 1	Minutes, 1981
box 69, folder 2	Minutes, 1982
box 69, folder 3	Minutes, 1983
box 69, folder 4	Investment portfolios, submitted to directors, 1977-1980, 1983
box 70, folder 1	Virginia Steele Scott Foundation invitation to Bloch to join the Board, 1978
box 70, folder 2	Bloch's assessment of the Virginia Steele Scott collection, 1977-1978
	Scope and Content Note
	Notes in Bloch's hand, lists of art works, lists of Millard Sheets' acquisitions for Virginia
	Steele Scott.
box 70, folder 3	19th c. American art bibliography, undated
box 70, folder 4	Correspondence regarding development of the board of trustees and 1980 party
	at Virginia Steele Scott gallery, ca. 1980
box 70, folder 5	Planning and design of the Virginia Steele Scott Memorial medal with designer Leonard Baskin, 1979-1980
box 70, folder 6	Selling the Virginia Steele Scott house and gallery, 1982
·	Scope and Content Note
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	Includes clippings.
box 70, folder 7	Virginia Steele Scott events, photographs of Bloch, his mother, trustees, undated
box 70, folder 8-9	Collection development 1970-1983
	Scope and Content Note
	Regards deaccessioning and development of the American art collection, purchases.
	Includes Bloch's typed ms., "Evolution of a Public Collection," his reviews of previous
	collection policy, a statement by Virginia Steele Scott on her own collecting
	(pre-1975), Bloch's notes and recommendations.
box 70, folder 10	Inventory of Virginia Steele Scott collection, 1971
box 70, folder 11	Three inventories of art in Virginia Steele Scott colletion, 1977, 1981, undated
box 70, folder 12	Inventory of Virginia Steele Scott collection, works annotated for deaccessioning, undated
box 70, folder 13	Inventory procedures
box 71, folder 1	Correspondence, mostly Bloch regarding collection development, 1978-1982
box 71, folder 2	Status reports of works deaccessioned and funds for acquisition, 1979-1982
box 71, folder 3	Appraisals from dealers for deaccessioning and collection development, ca. 1970-1980
	Scope and Content Note
	Dalzell Hatfield Galleries, 1970; Christine Eisenberg, 1978; Victor Spark, 1979; O. P.
	Reed, 1980
box 71, folder 4	Auctions and sales: Christies' 1979, 1980
box 71, folder 5	Auctions and sales: Victor Spark deaccesioning of Virginia Steele Scott paintings, 1979-1981
box 71, folder 6	Miscellaneous dealers' sales deaccessioning Virginia Steele Scott paintings, 1979-1983
	Scope and Content Note
	Bloch's notes and in-house correspondence regarding deaccessioning.

box 71, folder 7	Correspondence with art dealers: Coe-Kerr Gallery, , 1979-1980 1982
	Scope and Content Note
	Primarily offers to Virginia Steele Scott and later the re-named Virginia Steele Scott Gallery.
box 71, folder 8	Correspondence with art dealers: Peter Davidson & Co, 1978-1980, 1982
box 72, folder 1	Correspondence with art dealers: Jane and Michael Dunn, 1981-1982
	Scope and Content Note
	Regarding C. Wynkeep's portrait of Peter Vanderlyn.
box 72, folder 2	Correspondence with art dealers: Hirschl & Adler / Stuart Feld, 1978-1980
box 72, folder 3	Correspondence with art dealers: Hirschl & Adler / Stuart Feld, 1981-1984, undated
box 72, folder 4	Correspondence with art dealers: James Maroney, 1979-1982
box 72, folder 5	Correspondence with art dealers: Ira Spanierman, 1980-1982
box 72, folder 6	Correspondence with art dealers: Victor Spark, 1960-1980
box 72, folder 7	Correspondence with art dealers: Victor Spark, 1981-1982, undated
box 72, folder 8	Correspondence with art dealers: Vose Galleries, 1978-1980, 1982, 1985
box 72, folder 9	Correspondence with art dealers, alphabetical: Berry-Hill - Wunderlich & Co., 1979-1983
box 73, folder 1	Photographs of art offered to Virginia Steele Scott with supporting research material
box 73, folder 2	Kennedy Gallery photographs of painting
	Scope and Content Note
	Sold to or for Virginia Steele Scott?
box 73, folder 3	Papers regarding gift of California art to the Laguna Beach Museum of Art from the Virginia Steele Scott collection, 1979
box 73, folder 4	Report by Carrie Repora of 4 paintings in Virginia Steele Scott collection, undated
	Scope and Content Note
	Typescript.
box 73, folder 5	Correspondence regarding loan policy, 1978-1980
box 73, folder 6	Lawsuit over Inness' "Hudson River Valley" painting, 1977-1979
box 73, folder 7	Questionable S. B. Morse portraits in Virginia Steele Scott collection, 1979
box 73, folder 8	Conservation, 1976-1979
box 73, folder 9	Papers regarding Virginia Steele Scott Gallery move to Huntington
	Scope and Content Note
	Also $1978$ document outlining Virginia Steele Scott's early plan to affiliate with Claremont Colleges.
box 73, folder 10	Negotiations with the Archives of American Art concerning the inclusion of AAA's Western office in the Virginia Steele Scott Gallery, 1972, 1978-1979, 1983
box 73, folder 11	Architectural planning for Virginia Steele Scott Gallery, 1980-1982
	Scope and Content Note
	Including brief search for an architect, and three drawings.
box 74, folder 1	Search for curator of American art 1983, 1987
	Scope and Content Note
	Correspondence and vitae of candidates.
box 74, folder 2	Bloch's position at the Huntington, 1982-1984
	Scope and Content Note
	Correspondence regarding negotiations, primarily between Bloch and Robert Wark.

box 74, folder 3	Bloch's position as advisor, 1983-1987
	Scope and Content Note
	Mostly correspondence between Bloch and Wark concerning collection development.
box 74, folder 4	Photographs of art work in Huntington collection
box 74, folder 5	Bloch's exhibit at Huntington, "Faces & Figures in American Drawings," 1987-1989
	Scope and Content Note
	Correspondence, research and planning notes.
box 74, folder 6	"Faces & Figures" exhibit,
	Physical Description: 19 photographs
box 74, folder 7	"Faces & Figures" exhibit,
	Physical Description: 20 photographs
box 75, folder 1	"Checklist of Paintings and Watercolors in the Virginia Steele Scott Collection at the Huntington"
	Scope and Content Note
	Plus 59 b/w photographs of art.
	Series VIII. Bloch's personal collection, ca. 1935-1989
	Physical Description: 7 box(es)
	Scope and Content Note
	Series comprises 3.5 linear ft. and illustrates in great detail Bloch's collecting interests and purchases. Inventories, wants lists and correspondence with dealers document his collections of prints, stamps, autographs, illustrations for magazines, pictorial sheet music, paintings, drawings, medals, and panorama exhibits ephemera. The dealer correspondence comprises most of this series (2 linear ft.) and includes letters relating to Bloch's work (especially curatorial) and research on Bingham, West, Lanman, and other American artists. Extensive files exist for several dealers, including Berry-Hill, Colnaghi, Stuart Feld of Hirschl & Adler, Lucien Goldschmidt, Goodspeed's, Kennedy Galleries, M. Knoedler, Old Print Shop, R. E. Lewis, Marvin Sadik, Victor Spark, Robert Vose of Vose Galleries.
	Series VIII.A. Bloch's art collection, 1852, 1949-1989
	Physical Description: 0.5 Linear Feet
	Scope and Content Note
	Materials about Bloch's art collection: correspondence, inventories, want lists, notes, clippings, photographs and transparancies, conservation reports, and other material about Bloch's art collection.
box 76, folder 1	Bloch on collecting, undated
	Scope and Content Note
	Typescript essay by Bloch on why he collects.
box 76, folder 2	Inventory of Bloch's print collection, undated
	Physical Description: 1 notebook, ca. 150 pp.
box 76, folder 3	Correspondence regarding Bloch's gifts and loans, 1949-1984
	Scope and Content Note
	Detail gifts and loans made to schools, libraries, museums, especially the Grunwald.
box 76, folder 4	Inventories and wants lists of prints, drawings, paintings, autographed portraits, medals

box 76, folder 5	Wants lists: autographs and books
box 76, folder 6	Wants lists: pictorial sheet music, etchings
box 76, folder 7	Correspondence regarding purchases and inquiries concerning prints, drawings, cartoons, letters, stamps, 1949-1989
	Scope and Content Note
	Includes 8 letters with Cyril Nast regarding his father's drawings; 1 letter to Mrs. John
	Sloan; US Post Office regarding stamp designs using American paintings.
box 76, folder 8	Magazine illustrators, clippings undated
	Scope and Content Note
	With notes and correspondence, especially with Rose family regarding purchases.
box 76, folder 9 box 76, folder 10	Magazine illustrators, clippings Paintings in Bloch's collection
	Scope and Content Note
	b&w photographs and color transparencies.
box 76, folder 11	Miscellaneous from Bloch's collections, 1852, undated
	Scope and Content Note
	A piece of needlework, mounted sepia photograph, mounted photograph of letter dated 2 Oct 1852.
box 76, folder 12	Bloch's notes about items in dealers' catalogs
	Scope and Content Note
	Prices, catalog numbers.
box 76, folder 13	Conservation, 1981-1989
	Scope and Content Note
	Correspondence and treatment reports (bulk from Virginia Blyth Hill, 1987-1989).
	Series VIII.B. Bloch's stamp collection, undated
	Physical Description: 0.5 Linear Feet
	Scope and Content Note
	Materials about Bloch's stamp collection: inventories, wants lists, notes, clippings, flyers, and other material about Bloch's stamp collection.
box 77, folder 1	Stamp inventories, wants lists and notes Stamp lists, clippings regarding covers
box 77, folder 2 box 77, folder 3-10	Clippings regarding collecting and stamp design, and U.S. Post Office flyers
	Series VIII.C. Bloch's autograph collection, 1935-1989
	Physical Description: 0.5 Linear Feet
	Scope and Content Note
	Materials about Bloch's autograph collection: inventories, correspondence, want lists, clippings, photographs, and other material about Bloch's autograph collection.
box 78, folder 1	Two inventories (3"x5" notebooks)

## box 78, folder 2 Correspondence, 1935-1989

**Scope and Content Note** 

illncluding Bloch's letters soliciting autographs from public people (mostly heads of state) on portraits drawn by Bloch, with replies (e.g., 10 letters negotiating an autograph from Herbert Hoover).

## box 78, folder 3 Wants lists and dealers' offers,

**Scope and Content Note** 

Including lists of autographs Bloch purchased, cartes-de-visite of American artists, and list of letters from American artists.

## box 78, folder 4-9 **Newspaper clippings**

**Scope and Content Note** 

Including 1 bound notebook of clippings, mostly of royalty, heads of state, important events (e.g., Kennedy assassination, first moon landing), and obituaries; some photographs; various dates.

## Series VIII.D. Dealers' correspondence, 1951-1989

Physical Description: 2 Linear Feet

**Scope and Content Note** 

Dealer, print shop/book shop, and gallery correspondence, arrranged alphabetically.

## box 79, folder 1 **A-F, 1955-1988**

**Scope and Content Note** 

Includes Aldis Browne (re: Bloch's upcoming exhibit at Huntington and Vincent Price as a collector and friend, 1988); Harvey Brewer (re Bloch's commercial blind embossing samples and trade cards, 1981).

Abbot & Holder, 1985-1986
Adams-Davidson, 1988
The Americanist, 1965-1988
Annex Galleries, 1981-1987
Argosy Gallery / Argosy Bookshop regarding Lanman's collection, 1953-1987
Art Services, Inc., regarding framing, 1972-1989
Belham Exchange, 1963-1971

**Scope and Content Note** 

Regarding stamps, especially space exploration covers.

box 79, folder 9	Walter R. Benjamin Autographs, 1960-1976
box 79, folder 10	James Bergquist, 1982-1987
box 79, folder 11	Berry-Hill, 1960-1986
box 79, folder 12	Black Sun books, 1977
box 79, folder 13	Book and Print Shop, 1955-1961
box 79, folder 14	R. A. Brimmell, 1963, 1966
box 79, folder 15	William J. B. Burger / Burger & Evans, 1973-1985
	Scope and Content Note
	Especially Civil War illustrators.

## box 79, folder 16 Catherine E. Burns, 1985

**Scope and Content Note** 

Including Bloch to Burns about some of his collecting interests.

box 79, folder 17 **Childs Gallery, 1953-1989** 

box 79, folder 18	Clayton-Liberatore, 1972-1981
box 79, folder 19	Colnaghi, 1954-1986
box 79, folder 20	Craddock & Barnard, 1958-1966, 1976
	Scope and Content Note
	Includes Bloch's 1965 wants list.
box 79, folder 21	Denenberg Fine Arts, 1983-1984
box 79, folder 22	Deval & Muir, 1970-1972
box 79, folder 23	Emily Driscoll, 1953, 1961-1970, 1976
box 79, folder 24	Eugene Emigh, 1975, 1978-1984
	Scope and Content Note
	Primarily Aaron Draper Shattuck drawings, also James Smillie, Sam Colman.
box 79, folder 25	C. & I. K. Fletcher, 1955-1961
	Scope and Content Note
	Regarding panorama ephemera.
box 80, folder 1	G-L, 1948-1989
box 80, folder 2	Lucien Goldschmidt, Inc. 1946-1974
	Scope and Content Note
	Also regarding acquisitions for Grunwald.
box 80, folder 3	Goodspeed's Book Shop, 1958-1971
	Scope and Content Note
	Regarding ALS.
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box 80, folder 4	Harry Gordon, 1962-1963
	Scope and Content Note
	Covers relating to space exploration.
box 80, folder 5	Graham Gallery / J. Graham & Sons, 1963, 1973, 1985-1986
box 80, folder 6	Paul Grinke / Grinke & Rogers, 1969-1971, 1974
	Scope and Content Note
	Artists' ALS and panorama ephemera.
box 80, folder 7	Gropper Art Gallery, 1970-1974, 1976
box 80, folder 8	Beverly Hamer, 1978-1979
	Scope and Content Note
	Illustrations for sheet music covers.
box 80, folder 9	Frederica Harlow Gallery, 1976-1978
	Scope and Content Note
	Relief printing, gypsographs.
box 80, folder 10	Doris Harris Autographs, 1967-1989
box 80, folder 11	Jane Haslem Gallery, 1975
	Scope and Content Note
	Political cartoons.
box 80, folder 12	Hirschl & Adler / Stuart Feld, 1968-1989
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	ca. 100 letters [see also boxes 30-34, and box 72 for more correspondence with Stuart
	Feld].

box 80, folder 13	Kennedy Galleries, 1952-1986
	Scope and Content Note
	See also correspondence with H. Wunderlich of Monderson & Wunderlich.
box 80, folder 14	M. Knoedler & Co., 1958-1970, 1975
box 80, folder 15	Roger Koerber, 1969-1974, 1984
box 80, folder 16	Harold Lawrence, 1967-1969
	Scope and Content Note
	Regarding stamps and covers.
box 80, folder 17	Leger Galleries, 1976-1977
	Scope and Content Note
	B. West drawings.
box 80, folder 18	R. E. Lewis, Inc., 1960-1989
	Scope and Content Note
	Including consignments from Bloch.
box 80, folder 19	W. H. Lowdermilk & Co., 1958-1960
	Scope and Content Note
	Including consignments from Bloch.
box 80, folder 20	James Lowe, Autographs, 1972-1975, 1985
box 81, folder 1	M-R, 1958-1989
	Scope and Content Note
	Including John Newton, $1982$ (illustrated sheet music); Bloch on his collecting interests to Elkin Mathews, $1958$ .
box 81, folder 2	M & S Rare Books, 1975-1978
	Scope and Content Note
	Panorama ephemera.
box 81, folder 3	Lawrence McGilvrey, 1971, 1976
box 81, folder 4	Maggs Bros., Ltd., 1953-1960
box 81, folder 5	Allister Mathews, 1958-1975
box 81, folder 6	Maxwell Galleries, 1972-1976, 1980
box 81, folder 7	Joe Merman, 1968-1969, 1987-1989
box 81, folder 8	Thomas T. Moebs, 1982-1984, 1987, 1989
box 81, folder 9 box 81, folder 10	Monderson & Wunderlich, 1985-1989 Morton Morris & Co., 1981
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	Scope and Content Note
	West drawings; list of Bloch's wants concerning British artists with American connections.
box 81, folder 11	Howard S. Mott, 1973-1976, 1985
	Scope and Content Note
	artists ALS.
box 81, folder 12	Winifred A. Myers (Autographs) Ltd.
	Scope and Content Note
	Artists' ALS; pioneer aviators; Bloch on his work at Grunwald and his decision to leave.
box 81, folder 13	Old Print Shop, 1948-1989

box 81, folder 14	Galerie Pabst / Michael Pabst, 1967-1984
	Scope and Content Note
	Art nouveau, Wiener Werkstätte.
box 81, folder 15	Abe Paskow, 1965, 1970-1974, 1977
	Scope and Content Note
	Cartoons and caricatures.
box 81, folder 16	Joseph Petrarca, 1977
	Scope and Content Note
	Lithographs and illustrated sheet music.
box 81, folder 17	Potter Books, 1975-1978
box 81, folder 18	Christopher Powney, 1965-1977, 1982-1985, 1989
	Scope and Content Note
	B. West drawings.
box 81, folder 19	Paul Prouté / Hubert Prouté, 1959-1977, 1984-1985, 1989
box 81, folder 20	Flora M. Ramsay, 1955-1956, 1963-1964
	Scope and Content Note
	Edwin Whitefield sketchbooks, drawings.
box 81, folder 21	Raydon Gallery, 1970-1971
box 81, folder 22	Paul C. Richards Autographs, 1963-1971, 1983-1987
box 81, folder 23	Lawrence B. Romaine, 1953-1961
	Scope and Content Note
	Americana, including Bungalow books.
box 82, folder 1	S-Z, 1957-1989
	Scope and Content Note
	Including offer and description of 10 panorama items and Tortue Gallery's list of consignment items from Bloch and his mother.
box 82, folder 2	Schaeffer Galleries, 1959
box 82, folder 3	Marvin Sadik & Co., 1982, 1987-1988
	Scope and Content Note
	Includes Bloch's letters regarding his mother's death and their relationship, 1987
box 82, folder 4	E. Seligmann, 1951-1954
	Scope and Content Note
	8 letters regarding panoramas.
box 82, folder 5	Stanhope Shelton, 1977-1983
	Scope and Content Note
	B. West drawings.
box 82, folder 6	R. W. Smith, 1981-1989
	Scope and Content Note
	Buford panorama, 1989.

box 82, folder 8	Victor Spark, 1951-1987
	Scope and Content Note
	ca. 60 letters, contain discussions of other dealers, auction sales, Bingham research, sales to the J. Paul Getty Museum, and personal matters [see box 71, folder 3 and box 72, folders 6-7 for more Spark - Bloch correspondence].
box 82, folder 9	Kurt Stein, 1977
	Scope and Content Note
	Illustrated sheet music.
box 82, folder 10	Erwin Swann, 1968-1970
	Scope and Content Note
	Caricatures, cartoons.
box 82, folder 11	Vose Galleries / Robert C. Vose, Jr., 1966-1988
	Scope and Content Note
	Including much discussion of Bingham and B. West materials and research.
box 82, folder 12 box 82, folder 13	David and Constance Yates, 1984, 1987-1988 Zeitlin & ver Brugge, 1959-1987
	Scope and Content Note
	Only 1 letter, the remainder is bills of sale [for correspondence see box 4, folder 3].
box 82, folder 14 box 82, folder 15	Unidentified receipts from shops, and correspondence Miscellaneous photographs of collectibles offered, undated Series IX. Personal and miscellaneous files, 1920s-1970s
	Physical Description: 5 box(es)
	Scope and Content Note
	Series contains juvenilia (drawings, nature scrapbook and handwriting exercises), travel notes and receipts, genealogical research, 4 address books (ca. 1940s-1960s), 6 notebooks with notes of art works and prices, personal photographs of Bloch, his mother, friends and colleagues, and ca. 1500 slides, most taken during his travels, some documenting Los Angeles architecture, and 7 reels of microfilm relating to his research, especially on Charles Lanman.
box 83, folder 1	Juvenilia: handwriting exercises, nature scrapbook
box 83, folder 2	2 sketchbooks
box 83, folder 3-6	Drawings by Bloch
	Scope and Content Note
	Pencil, ink and pastel, and watercolors. [see also oversize box 87* for Bloch drawings]
box 83, folder 7	Portrait sketches, undated
	Scope and Content Note
	Including copies clipped from magazines that published Bloch's portraits.
box 83, folder 8-9 box 84, folder 1	Costume illustrations Personal papers and documents 1951
	Scope and Content Note
	Travel notes and receipts for trips to Belgium, France, Italy, etc.
box 84, folder 2 box 84, folder 3 box 84, folder 4 box 84, folder 5	Travel notes, correspondence, receipts for european trips, 1957-1969 Genealogical research regarding the Bloch family Clippings, receipts for Bloch's house, 1950s-1960s Six notebooks with notes regarding art works and prices

box 84, folder 6	Four address books, ca. 1940s-1960s
box 84, folder 7	Miscellaneous personal documents
box 84, folder 8	Photographs: ca. 10 of Bloch, his mother, friends and colleagues, undated
box 85	55 boxes of slides
	Scope and Content Note
	Los Angeles architecture, European travels, U.S. travels contain images of art and architecture, plus some personal images of family, friends, colleagues
box 86	7 rolls of microfilm (relates to Series VI.)
	Scope and Content Note
	Daily Cincinnati Chronicle, 1845-1846 (3 reels); Lanman papers from the Library of Congress (1 reel) and the New York Historical Society (1 reel); Records of the Western Art Union (1 reel); 2 partial rolls from the Huntington Library.
box 87*	Arnold Gross letters (relates to Series I.) undated
box 87*	Drawings from Bloch's early years, (relates to Series IX), undated