
Finding aid for the Jean Berckmans architectural drawings, 1930-1939

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Descriptive Summary

Title: Jean Berckmans architectural drawings

Date (inclusive): 1930-1939

Number: 940023

Creator/Collector: Berckmans, Jean

Physical Description: 114.0 drawing(s)

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Abstract: Colored renderings and sepia prints by the Belgian architect, made when he was a student. Included are studies for the St. Gertrude cloister, the church of St. Denis, and the Chateau de Grant-Bigard, as well as houses, sports club, schools, a bus terminal, stockmarket, and furniture.

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Language: Collection material is in French and Dutch.

Biographical/Historical Note

Jean Berckmans was a Belgian architect whose work, beyond his student drawings, is little known.

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Acquisition Information

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Processing History

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Scope and Content of Collection

Jean Berckmans is little known, beyond the drawings in this collection, which were made while he was a student, probably at the Ecole Saint Luc in Schaarbeek, Belgium.

Drawings are colored renderings and sepia prints and include studies of churches, hospital, houses, sports buildings, a stockmarket (bourse), a working man's club, and furniture. Some drawings are undated.

Arrangement note

Arranged chronologically in one series.

Subjects - Names

Berckmans, Jean

Subjects - Topics

Architect--designed furniture--Belgium

Architecture--Belgium

Architecture--Designs and plans

Architecture--Study and teaching

Concrete construction--United States

Genres and Forms of Material

Architectural drawings--20th century--Belgium

Oversize 1	<p>Studies of the St. Gertrude Klooster (cloister), 1930-1931</p> <p>Physical Description: 9 drawings, color, 52 x 75 cm.</p> <p>Scope and Content Note Details for doors, windows, etc.</p>
Oversize 2	<p>Studies of the St. Gertrude Klooster (cloister), 1930-1931</p> <p>Physical Description: 12 drawings, color, approx. 52 x 75 cm.</p> <p>Scope and Content Note Details for doors, windows, etc.</p>
Oversize 3	<p>Studies of the St. Gertrude Klooster (cloister), 1930-1931</p> <p>Physical Description: 10 drawings, color, approx. 52 x 75 cm.</p> <p>Scope and Content Note Details for doors, windows, etc.</p>
Oversize 3	<p>St. Katharina, Hospice Ste. Catherine, ca. 1930-1931</p> <p>Physical Description: 3 drawings, approx. 52 x 75 cm.</p> <p>Scope and Content Note Details for doors, windows, etc.</p>
Oversize 4	<p>Studies of a maison bourgeoise, 1931-1932</p> <p>Physical Description: 8 drawings, color, approx. 52 x 75 cm.</p> <p>Scope and Content Note Detail studies: staircases, windows, etc.</p>
Oversize 5	<p>Studies of a maison bourgeoise, 1931-1932</p> <p>Physical Description: 9 drawings, color, approx. 52 x 75 cm.</p> <p>Scope and Content Note Detail studies: staircases, windows, etc.</p>
Oversize 6	<p>Maison de la Dique á Vilvoorde, 1932</p> <p>Physical Description: 8 drawings, color & pencil, approx. 52 x 75 cm.</p> <p>Scope and Content Note Plans, details.</p>
Oversize 7	<p>Maison de la Dique à Vilvoorde, 1932</p> <p>Physical Description: 4 drawings, color, approx. 52 x 75 cm.</p> <p>Scope and Content Note Plan, details, interior elevations.</p>
Oversize 8	<p>L'Eglise de la Cambre, 1933</p> <p>Physical Description: 7 drawings, color, approx. 52 x 75 cm.</p>
Oversize 9	<p>Ameublement, 1936</p> <p>Physical Description: 2 drawings, color, approx. 52x 75 cm.</p>
Oversize 9	<p>Projet d'un pavillon de tennis et de hockey, 1937</p> <p>Physical Description: 7 drawings, color, 52 x 75 cm.</p> <p>Scope and Content Note Exteriors and interiors.</p>

- Oversize 10 **Hoeve (farmhouse), 1937**
Physical Description: 3 drawings, color, approx. 52 x 75 cm.
- Oversize 10 **Colonie Grand Air pour enfants, 1937**
Physical Description: 3 drawings, color, approx. 52 x 75 cm.
Scope and Content Note
 Facades and plans.
- Oversize 11 **Projet d'une colonie scolaire pour enfants débiles, & Groupe Scolaire, 1937**
Physical Description: 1.0 ink drawing4 brownprints, various formats4 color drawings, 136 x 136 cm.1 color drawing, 127 x 130 cm.3 brownprints, various formats
- Oversize 12 **Projet d'ameublement, Salle de bar, undated**
Physical Description: 3 drawings, various formats, white crayon on black paper
Scope and Content Note
 Furniture, lounge bar.
- Oversize 12 **Projet d'une halte terminus d'autobus, undated**
Physical Description: 1 drawing, 100 x 75 cm.
- Roll 1 **Sport midden (sports complex), undated**
Physical Description: 1 drawing, color, 133 x 116 cm.
Scope and Content Note
 Perspective.
- Roll 1 **Colonie Scolaire pour enfants débiles, 1937**
Physical Description: 5 color drawings, 136 x 136 cm, unless otherwise notedSections and details, 1 drawingElevations, 1 drawingPerspective in color, 1 drawing, 127 x 130 cm.Sections, elevations, plans, 1 drawingSections, elevations, 1 drawing
- Roll 2 **Le Chateau de Grant-Bigard, undated**
Physical Description: 1 drawing, color, 132 x 110 cm.
Scope and Content Note
 Elevation, plan and roof framing.
- Roll 2 **Projet d'une chambre à coucher, undated**
Physical Description: 1 drawing, color, 80 x 80 cm.
Scope and Content Note
 Plan, perspectives and interior elevations.
- Roll 2 **Beursgebouw (Bourse), n.d.**
Physical Description: 3 drawings, approx. 130 x 110 cm.
Scope and Content Note
 Perspective, elevations, sections, and plan.
- Roll 2 **Projet de locaux d'oeuvres (workmen's club), n.d.**
Physical Description: 5 color drawings, 130 x 105 cm.
Scope and Content Note
 Elevation and plan, interior elevations, sections and plan.

Roll 2

Une habitation urbaine, n.d.

Physical Description: 1 color drawing, 70 x 116 cm.

Scope and Content Note

1 sheet with 3 facade studies, plus 2 pasted on drawings of plans and sections.