

# Neil Meitzler papers, 1948-2009

## Overview of the Collection

<b>Creator</b>	Meitzler, Neil, 1930-2009
<b>Title</b>	Neil Meitzler papers
<b>Dates</b>	1948-2009 (inclusive) 1948 2009
<b>Quantity</b>	3.69 cubic feet (4 boxes, 2 oversize folders, 1 vertical file [with reel-to-reel tape], and two cassette tapes)
<b>Collection Number</b>	2571, 2637, 2761
<b>Summary</b>	Papers and materials of a Northwest painter and former staff member of the Seattle Art Museum
<b>Repository</b>	<a href="#">University of Washington Libraries, Special Collections</a> Special Collections University of Washington Libraries Box 352900 Seattle, WA 98195-2900 Telephone: 206-543-1929 Fax: 206-543-1931 <a href="mailto:speccoll@uw.edu">speccoll@uw.edu</a>
<b>Access Restrictions</b>	Open to all users  Some material stored offsite; advance notice required for use.
<b>Languages</b>	English

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## Biographical Note

Neil Meitzler (1930-2009), was a painter in the Pacific Northwest (based in the Skagit Valley and Seattle) for about 25 years. He served on the staff of the Seattle Art Museum for many years as exhibit designer. He spent the end of his life in Walla Walla, Washington.

## Content Description

Correspondence, photos, sketchbooks, scrapbook, resumes, sales records, tape-recorded interviews (with transcripts), and other papers, relating to Meitzler's career as a painter in Seattle and the Skagit Valley, Wash.

## Use of the Collection

### Restrictions on Use

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# Administrative Information

## Arrangement

Arranged in 4 accessions:

Accession No. 2571-001, Neil Meitzler papers, undated

Accession No. 2637-001, Neil Meitzler papers, 1975

Accession No. 2761-001, Neil Meitzler papers, 1948-1976 (bulk: 1960-1975)

Accession No. 2761-002, Neil Meitzler papers, 1959-2009 (bulk: 1980-2009)

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## Detailed Description of the Collection

### Accession No. 2571-001: Neil Meitzler interview, 1962

.03 cubic feet (1 reel to reel tape and 1 transcript). (1 vertical file)

Arrangement: Arranged as received.

Scope and Content: Tape-recorded interview done for KING-FM radio, "Conversation with an artist" series by Curt Green; transcript; resume. The artist discusses his recent travels and resulting painting, communication in painting, reason for collecting, government support of the artist and the numerous style changes in his own work.

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Acquisition Info: Donor: Archives of NW Art. Undated.

#### Description

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Neil Meitzler interview

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### Accession No. 2637-001: Neil Meitzler interview, 1975

.11 cubic feet (2 sound cassettes and 1 vertical file)

Arrangement: Arranged as received.

Scope and Content: Tape-recorded interview conducted by Sally Swenson, 20th Century, on January 30, 1975; transcript; Neil Meitzler, painter from Seattle, speaks of his own works and of issues of importance to the art field in general.

Digital Content/Other Formats: [Listen to the audio recording and view the transcript](#) of this interview on the Libraries Digital Collections site.

Restrictions on Access: Open to all users.

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Acquisition Info: Donor: Sally Swenson, Interviewer, 1975.

#### Description

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Neil Meitzler interview

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### **Accession No. 2761-001: Neil Meitzler papers, 1948-1976 (bulk 1960-1975)**

2.5 cubic feet (3 boxes and 1 oversize folder)

Arrangement: Arranged as received.

Scope and Content: Letters, photographs, 3 sketch books, scrapbook, resumes, sales records, 1948-1976 (bulk 1960-1975).

[View inventory/container list for this accession](#)

Restrictions on Access: Open to all users.

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Acquisition Info: Donor: Neil Meitzler, 1977.

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### **Accession No. 2761-002: Neil Meitzler papers, 1959-2009 (bulk 1980-2009)**

1.06 cubic feet (1 box and 1 oversize folder)

Arrangement: Arranged as received.

Scope and Content: Clipping file on Morris Graves, journals, sketchbooks, sketches, photographic materials, publications featuring Meitzler, and reproductions of digital works and prints.

Restrictions on Access: Open to all users

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Acquisition Info: Donor: Ikune Sawada, 2011.

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## Names and Subjects

#### **Personal Names :**

Anderson, Guy, 1906-1998

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Callahan, Kenneth, 1905-1986  
Carley, Ward  
Davis, Norman, 1897-  
Fuller, Richard E. (Richard Eugene), 1897-1976  
Graves, Morris 1910-2001  
Kenney, Leo, 1925-2001  
Kusama, Yayoi  
Meitzler, Neil, 1930-2009--Archives  
Svare, Richard, 1930-2004  
**Corporate Names :**  
Northwest Annual Exhibition  
Seattle Art Museum

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### **Subject Terms :**

Personal Papers/Corporate Records (University of Washington)

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