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## **Summary Information**

**Repository:** Avery Architectural and Fine Arts Library

Creator: Delano, William Adams, 1874-1960

**Creator:** Aldrich, Chester Holmes, 1871-1940

**Creator:** Delano & Aldrich

**Creator:** École nationale supérieure des beaux-arts (France)

**Title:** Delano & Aldrich architectural records and papers

**ID:** 3460565

**Date [inclusive]:** 1900-1949

**Physical** 7,000 drawings

**Description:** 

**Physical** 6 manuscript boxes

**Description:** 

**Language of the** English .

**Material:** 

#### Preferred Citation

Delano & Aldrich architectural drawings, photographs, and papers, circa 1900-1949. Located in the Dept. of Drawings & Archives, Avery Architectural and Fine Arts Library, Columbia University.

## **Biographical / Historical**

Architectural firm. Delano & Aldrich was founded in 1903 in New York City. William Adams Delano and Chester H. Aldrich were partners in the firm.

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### **Summary**

Included are approx. 7,000 architectural drawings, circa 1910s-1940s, for projects designed by Delano & Aldrich, including La Guardia Airport in New York; several buildings at Yale University; Willard Straight Hall at Cornell University; various buildings at United States Military Academy at West Point; the National Gallery of Art in Washington, D.C.; alterations to the White House; numerous residences throughout the New York City metropolitan area, particulary the Dwight W. Morrow house in Englewood, N.J., the J.A. Burden house in Syosset, N.Y., and the Willard D. Straight house on East 92nd Street in New York City; and various schools, churches, and residential structures throughout the United States. Rendered competition drawings are included. Drawings made by William Adams Delano while a student at the Ecole des Beaux-Arts, Paris, circa 1900. Also, 6 boxes of photographs of Delano & Aldrich completed projects, chiefly residential structures.

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#### **Administrative Information**

#### **Publication Statement**

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#### **Immediate Source of Acquisition**

Source of acquisition--Various gifts and purchases.

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## **Controlled Access Headings**

- Architecture -- Competitions
- Airport buildings -- New York (State) -- New York
- Schools -- United States
- Church buildings -- United States
- Architecture, Domestic -- United States
- Architecture, Domestic -- New York (State) -- Syosset
- Architecture, Domestic -- New York (State) -- New York
- Architecture, Domestic -- New Jersey -- Englewood
- Architecture -- United States -- Designs and plans
- College buildings -- Connecticut -- New Haven
- College buildings -- New York (State) -- Ithaca
- Art museums -- Washington (D.C.)
- Photographic prints
- architectural drawings (visual works)
- Architects
- Cornell University. Willard Straight Hall
- United States Military Academy
- National Gallery of Art (U.S.)
- White House (Washington, D.C.)
- Dwight W. Morrow house (Englewood, N.J.)
- J. A. Burden house (Syosset, N.Y.)
- Willard D. Straight house (New York, N.Y.)
- La Guardia Airport
- Yale University

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