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## **Françoise Bollack Architects architectural records and papers, 1984-2007 7023668**

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## Summary Information

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<b>Repository:</b>	Avery Architectural and Fine Arts Library
<b>Creator:</b>	Françoise Bollack Architects
<b>Creator:</b>	Killian, Tom
<b>Creator:</b>	Bollack, Françoise Astorg
<b>Title:</b>	Françoise Bollack Architects architectural drawings and records
<b>ID:</b>	7023668
<b>Date [inclusive]:</b>	1968-2016
<b>Physical Description:</b>	2 print boxes
<b>Physical Description:</b>	24 rolls
<b>Physical Description:</b>	2.65 Gigabytes
<b>Language of the Material:</b>	English .
<b>Abstract:</b>	<p>Françoise Bollack Architects is a New York City-based architectural firm founded by Françoise Bollack, a professor of architecture in the Graduate School of Architecture, Planning, and Preservation at Columbia University. This collection includes original and reprographic architectural drawings for projects in New York City and the surrounding region undertaken by the firm Françoise Bollack Architects. Principle projects represented include the Lesbian &amp; Gay Community Services Center in Manhattan; renovations and alterations to the New York State Capitol building in Albany, New York. Also included are related project files and digital images.</p>

### Preferred Citation

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## Biographical / Historical

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Françoise Bollack Architects is a New York City-based architectural firm founded by Françoise Bollack, a professor of architecture in the Graduate School of Architecture, Planning, and Preservation at Columbia University.

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## Scope and content

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This collection includes original and reprographic architectural drawings for projects in New York City and the surrounding region undertaken by the firm Françoise Bollack Architects. Principle projects represented include the Lesbian & Gay Community Services Center in Manhattan; renovations and alterations to the New York State Capitol building in Albany, New York. Also included are related project files and digital images.

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## Administrative Information

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Source of acquisition--Gift of Françoise Bollack Architects. Accession number--2008.016; 2010.010; 2017.021.

### **Processing Information**

The 2008.016 donation was processed by Annemarie Van Roessel (Avery Archivist) in 2009. The 2010.010. was processed by Shelley Hayreh (Avery Archivist) in 2011. The 2017.021 donation was processed by Pamela Casey (Architecture Archivist) in 2017. The finding aid was prepared and published by Shelley Hayreh in 2019.

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## **Controlled Access Headings**

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- Public buildings -- Conservation and restoration -- New York (State) -- Albany
- Architecture -- New York (State) -- Albany
- Architecture -- United States -- Designs and plans
- Staten Island (New York, N.Y.) -- Buildings, structures, etc
- New York (State) -- Capital and capitol -- Conservation and restoration
- Lesbian & Gay Community Services Center (New York, N.Y.)
- New York State Capitol (Albany, N.Y.)
- Snug Harbor Cultural Center
- Harvey Wiley Corbett
- William A. Hall & Associates
- Staten Island Institute of Arts and Sciences

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## **Collection Inventory**

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### **Series I: Project Records**

#### **Scope and Contents**

The Project Record series contains mostly architectural drawings and sketches for restoration projects undertaken by the firm Françoise Bollack Architects. There are some paper records such as brochures and

reports. The series is arranged alphabetically by project name. The majority of the material in this series was donated in 2008 (2008.016) by Françoise Bollack unless otherwise noted in the file description.

Title/Description	Instances	
<p>FRANCOISE BOLLACK ARCHITECTS – PUBLIC WORK, 2012</p> <p><b>Scope and Contents</b></p> <p>Published Monograph</p>	box 2	
<p>FRANCOISE BOLLACK ARCHITECTS – PRIVATE WORK, 2012</p> <p><b>Scope and Contents</b></p> <p>Published Monograph</p>	box 2	
<p>Chesterwood Barn Gallery (Stockbridge, MA), 1997 Jan-2000 Feb, undated</p> <p><b>Scope and Contents</b></p> <p>16 items: Preliminary design drawings</p>	box 1	folder 1
<p>Chesterwood Barn Gallery (Stockbridge, MA), 1999 Feb 28-2000 Aug 15</p> <p><b>Scope and Contents</b></p> <p>24 items: Architectural working drawings; Structural working drawings; Demolition drawings; Electrical working drawings ; HVAC working drawings;</p>	tube 23	roll 1
<p>Lesbian and Gay Community Services Center, renovation (New York, NY), undated</p> <p><b>Scope and Contents</b></p> <p>15 items: Historic photos and rear exterior photos. Color prints mounted on one board.</p>	box 1	folder 3
<p>Lesbian and Gay Community Services Center, renovation (New York, NY), 1984 Sep 17- 1995 Mar 08</p> <p><b>Scope and Contents</b></p> <p>23 items: Existing condition drawings</p>	tube 1	roll 1
<p>Lesbian and Gay Community Services Center, renovation (New York, NY), 1985 Nov 07-1986 Jan 29</p> <p><b>Scope and Contents</b></p> <p>18 items: Presentation drawings; Architectural working drawings</p>	tube 12	roll 18
<p>Lesbian and Gay Community Services Center, renovation (New York, NY), 1985 Nov 18- 1987 Jan 01</p>	tube 2	roll 2

**Scope and Contents**

20 items: Design development

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Lesbian and Gay Community Services Center, renovation (New York, NY), 1985 Dec 04- 1992 Mar 25	tube 3	roll 3
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**Scope and Contents**

9 items: Flagpole/signage drawings

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Lesbian and Gay Community Services Center, renovation (New York, NY), 1987 Feb 02-1994 Nov 02	tube 4	roll 4
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**Scope and Contents**

5 items : New stair drawings

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Lesbian and Gay Community Services Center, renovation (New York, NY), 1987 Feb 02-1998 Feb 16	tube 5	roll 5
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**Scope and Contents**

10 items: Demolition working drawings

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Lesbian and Gay Community Services Center, renovation (New York, NY), 1987 Jun 01- 1990 Nov 09	tube 1	roll 6
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**Scope and Contents**

16 items: Façade restoration drawings

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Lesbian and Gay Community Services Center, renovation (New York, NY), 1989 Apr 13- 2002 Sep 05	tube 7	roll 8
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**Scope and Contents**

4 items: Public assembly drawings

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Lesbian and Gay Community Services Center, renovation (New York, NY), 1991 Feb 21- 1998 Aug 21	tube 8	roll 9
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**Scope and Contents**

13 items: Handicap ramp drawings

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Lesbian and Gay Community Services Center, renovation (New York, NY), 1994 May 30-1997 Aug 01	tube 9	roll 10
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**Scope and Contents**

22 items: Structural working drawings

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Lesbian and Gay Community Services Center, renovation (New York, NY), 1994 May 30- 2000 Feb 09	tube 5	roll 11
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**Scope and Contents**

9 items : Telecommunications working drawings

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Lesbian and Gay Community Services Center, renovation (New York, NY), 1994 May 30- 2001 Jan 04	tube 7	roll 12
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**Scope and Contents**

14 items: Plumbing working drawings; Fire protection working drawings

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Lesbian and Gay Community Services Center, renovation (New York, NY), 1994 May 30- 2002 Feb 25	tube 4	roll 13
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**Scope and Contents**

9 items : Mechanical working drawings

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Lesbian and Gay Community Services Center, renovation (New York, NY), 1994 May 30- 2002 Jun 18	tube 10	roll 14
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**Scope and Contents**

23 items: Electrical working drawings ; Telecommunications working drawings

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Lesbian and Gay Community Services Center, renovation (New York, NY), 1994 May 30-2002 Jun 21	tube 11	roll 15
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**Scope and Contents**

49 items: Architectural working drawings

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Lesbian and Gay Community Services Center, renovation (New York, NY), 1996 Dec 06- 1998 Apr 15	tape 6	roll 16
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**Scope and Contents**

5 items: Fire protection plan

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Lesbian and Gay Community Services Center, renovation (New York, NY), various	box 1	folder 2
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**Scope and Contents**

Sketchbook of design studies in various media

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Lesbian and Gay Community Services Center, renovation (New York, NY), undated	tube 3	folder 19
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**Scope and Contents**

5 items: HVAC drawings

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Lesbian and Gay Community Services Center, renovation, MHSS and YES (New York, NY), 2001 Jun 27- 2001 July 09	tube 8	roll 17
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**Scope and Contents**

19 items: Architectural working drawings; Mechanical working drawings; Plumbing working drawings; Electrical working drawings

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Lesbian and Gay Community Services Center, renovation, office (New York, NY), 1988 Aug 04- 1998 Aug 27	tape 6	roll 7
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**Scope and Contents**

21 items: Architectural working drawings

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New York State Capitol (Albany, NY), 1993 Nov-2000 Dec	box 2	folder 2
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**Scope and Contents**

38 items: Preliminary design drawings; Architectural working drawings : Assembly Room, Governor's Reception Room, and West Gallery.

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New York State Capitol (Albany, NY), 1996 Feb-2001 May	box 1	folder 4
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**Scope and Contents**

95 items: Preliminary design drawings : Assembly chamber.

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New York State Capitol (Albany, NY), 1998 May 25-2000-Apr 04	box 1	folder 5
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**Scope and Contents**

74 items: Preliminary design drawings; Architectural working drawings : Assembly chamber. Some drawings with color photographic collages mounted on verso.

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New York State Capitol (Albany, NY), 2000 Jan 10-2002 Jan 11, undated	box 1	folder 6
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**Scope and Contents**

50 items: Preliminary design drawings; Architectural working drawings : Assembly chamber.

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New York State Capitol (Albany, NY), 2000 Sep 24-2002 Nov 18	box 1	folder 7
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**Scope and Contents**

40 items: Preliminary design drawings; Presentation drawings

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New York State Capitol (Albany, NY), 1990 Feb 17-2001 Nov 30	tube 19	roll 7
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**Scope and Contents**

43 items: Furniture drawings

New York State Capitol (Albany, NY), 1993 Jul 19-1996 Feb 28 tube 13 roll 1

**Scope and Contents**

45 items: Structural analysis & feasibility study

New York State Capitol (Albany, NY), 1998 Jan 16-1999 Feb 17 tube 14 roll 2

**Scope and Contents**

23 items: Architectural working drawings; Plans for carpets; Existing condition and demo drawings; Structural working drawings; Vestibule proposed work drawings; Assembly Chamber Handicap Accessibility and Restoration, Pre-Phase I and Phase I.

New York State Capitol (Albany, NY), 1998 Jan 16-2000 Feb 04 tube 15 roll 3

**Scope and Contents**

49 items: Architectural working drawings; Demolition working drawings; Existing condition drawings; Mechanical/Plumbing working drawings; Electrical working drawings; Assembly Chamber Handicap Accessibility and Restoration-Phase II.

New York State Capitol (Albany, NY), 1999 Dec 12-2000 Feb 07 tube 16 roll 4

**Scope and Contents**

7 items: Architectural working drawings Assembly Chamber Handicap Accessibility and Restoration, Phase III.

New York State Capitol (Albany, NY), 2000 Jun 06 -2000 Aug 24 tube 17 roll 5

**Scope and Contents**

44 items: Architectural working drawings; Structural/Glass wall working drawings; Mechanical working drawings; Electrical working drawings ; Assembly Chamber Handicap Accessibility and Restoration.

New York State Capitol (Albany, NY), 2000 Sep 07-2000 Oct 24 tube 18 roll 6

**Scope and Contents**

34 items: Glass wall shop drawings

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New York State Capitol (Albany, NY), 2001 Jun 22-2001 Aug 02	tube 20	roll 8
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**Scope and Contents**

52 items: Architectural working drawings; Demolition working drawings; Structural working drawings; Mechanical working drawings; Electrical working drawings : Rehabilitation and Improvements of Certain Assembly Spaces.

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New York State Capitol (Albany, NY), 2002 Apr 08-2002 May 06	tube 16	roll 9
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**Scope and Contents**

6 items : Mechanical working drawings; Electrical working drawings : Rehabilitation and improvements of Certain Assembly Spaces, Addendum.

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New York State Capitol (Albany, NY), 2002 Sep 10	tube 16	roll 10
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**Scope and Contents**

4 items: Lighting drawings : Rehabilitation and improvements of Certain Assembly Spaces.

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New York State Capitol (Albany, NY), undated	tube 21	roll 12
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**Scope and Contents**

74 items: Torchere drawings and sketches

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New York State Capitol (Albany, NY), undated	tube 18	roll 13
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**Scope and Contents**

8 items: Various large scale sketches

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New York State Capitol. "Capitol Improvements." Berkshire Home & Style, 2003 Oct	box 2	folder 1c
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**Scope and Contents**

Photocopied papers

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New York State Capitol. "Past Perfect." Preservation, 2006 May-2006 Jun	box 2	folder 1e
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**Scope and Contents**

Photocopied papers

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New York State Capitol. "Stately Home." Traditional Building, 2004 May-2004 Jun	box 2	folder 1d
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**Scope and Contents**

Photocopied papers

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New York State Capitol. "Topic One: Introduction." , undated	box 2	folder 1g
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**Scope and Contents**

Photocopied papers

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New York State Capitol. New York Times, various articles, 2007	box 2	folder 1f
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**Scope and Contents**

Photocopied papers

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New York State Capitol. Restoration of the Assembly Chamber, New York State Capitol, undated	box 2	folder 3
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**Scope and Contents**

Bound volume

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New York State Capitol. The Governor's Reception Room: The William Lweftwich Dodge Murals, New York State Capitol, Albany, circa 1995-2006	box 2	folder 1b
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**Scope and Contents**

Brochure

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New York State Capitol. The Master Plan for the New York State Capitol, circa 1982	box 2	folder 1a
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**Scope and Contents**

Bound volume

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Philip Morris Inc. New Headquarters (New York, NY) / Ulrich Franzen & Associates , ca. 1976-1981	box 2	folder 11
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**Scope and Contents**

32 items: Blue line set

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Snug Harbor Cultural Center (Staten Island, NY), 1993 Dec-1995 Oct, undated	box 2	folder 4
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**Scope and Contents**

52 items: Preliminary design drawings

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Snug Harbor Cultural Center (Staten Island, NY), 1993 Feb, undated	box 2	folder 5
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**Scope and Contents**

61 items: Site conditions.

Snug Harbor Cultural Center (Staten Island, NY), 1996 Feb 28-1996 Mar 05      tube 22      roll 1

**Scope and Contents**

17 items: Architectural working drawings; Structural working drawings

Sailors' Snug Harbor Staten Island: Building A & B, 1913-1996      location A174

Language of the Material: English.

**Scope and Contents**

73 drawings; Additional Creator: Harvey Wiley Corbett.

Donated in 2010 by Françoise Bollack (2010.010).

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**Series II: Competitions, 1968-2000 (Bollack & Killian)**

**Scope and Contents**

This series consists of drawings and some photographs for design competitions entries by Françoise Bollack and Tom Killian. Many of the drawings were published in the 2016 book *Competitions, 1968-2000 / Françoise Astorg Bollack Tom Killian*. This group of materials was donated in 2017 by Françoise Bollack and Tom Killian.

Title/Description	Instances	
<i>Competitions, 1968-2000 / Françoise Astorg Bollack &amp; Tom Killian, 2016</i>	box 2	folder 1
<b>Scope and Contents</b>	Book	
Brighton Beach Housing (Brooklyn, NY), 1968	box 2	folder 6
<b>Scope and Contents</b>	4 items: Photostats	
Roosevelt Island (New York, NY), 1974	location A86.07	roll 1
<b>Scope and Contents</b>	34 items: Trace drawings	
Roosevelt Island (New York, NY), 1974	drawer 116	

**Scope and Contents**

11 items: Photographs, Transparencies and Trace on foam panels

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Manhattan Parks: Savannah Grid for New York (New York, NY), 1978-1982	location A86.07	roll 2
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**Scope and Contents**

10 items: Trace drawings

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Manhattan Parks: Savannah Grid for New York (New York, NY), 1978-1982	drawer 089
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Language of the Material: English.

**Scope and Contents**

3 items: Presentation drawings on board.

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Les Halles (Paris, France), 1979	drawer 116
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**Scope and Contents**

27 items: Mylar, photostats, photocopies

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A Monument for Melbourne (Australia), 1980	box 2	folder 7
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**Scope and Contents**

2 items: Photograph and photostat

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The Times Tower Competition (New York, NY), 1984	drawer 116
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**Scope and Contents**

3 items: Trace and photocopy

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The Times Tower Competition (New York, NY), 1984	drawer 089
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Language of the Material: English.

**Scope and Contents**

1 item: Presentation drawing on board.

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Two Chair Competitions, 1985-1986	box 2	folder 8
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**Scope and Contents**

24 items: Trace drawings

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Two Chair Competitions, 1985-1986	location A86.07	roll 3
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**Scope and Contents**

8 items: Trace drawings

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Clemson University Performing Arts Center (Clemson, SC), 1989	box 2	folder 9
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**Scope and Contents**

35 items: Trace drawings

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Clemson University Performing Arts Center (Clemson, SC), 1989	location A86.08	roll 4
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**Scope and Contents**

21 items: Trace drawings

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Clemson University Performing Arts Center (Clemson, SC), 1989	drawer 089
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Language of the Material: English.

**Scope and Contents**

3 item: Presentation drawings on board.

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East Hampton Airport (Long Island, NY), 1989	location A86.08	roll 5
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**Scope and Contents**

41 items: Trace drawings

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Bridging the Gap: Brooklyn Bridge Approaches (New York, NY), 1990	box 2	folder 10
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**Scope and Contents**

16 items: Photocopies

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Bridging the Gap: Brooklyn Bridge Approaches (New York, NY), 1990	drawer 116
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**Scope and Contents**

3 items: Trace drawings

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Bridging the Gap: Brooklyn Bridge Approaches (New York, NY), 1990	drawer 089
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Language of the Material: English.

**Scope and Contents**

1 item: Presentation drawing on board.

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### Series III: Digital Files

#### Scope and Contents

This series consists of project drawings and photographs in digital format. Projects are arranged alphabetically and overlap with many of the projects in Series I: Project Records. The digital records were donated in 2008 by Françoise Bollack.

Title/Description	Instances
[5 CD-R discs]	box 2 folder 1
Chesterwood Barn Gallery (Stockbridge, MA)	location reading room laptop
<b>Scope and Contents</b>	
20 files	
Chesterwood Barn Gallery (Stockbridge, MA)	location reading room laptop
<b>Scope and Contents</b>	
4 files: Site conditions.	
Chesterwood Barn Gallery (Stockbridge, MA)	location reading room laptop
<b>Scope and Contents</b>	
4 files: Completed work.	
Lesbian and Gay Community Services Center, renovation (New York, NY)	location reading room laptop
<b>Scope and Contents</b>	
98 items: Historic photos and rear exterior photos	
Lesbian and Gay Community Services Center, renovation (New York, NY)	location reading room laptop
<b>Scope and Contents</b>	
216 items: Historic photos and rear exterior photos	
New York State Capitol (Albany, NY)	location reading room laptop
<b>Scope and Contents</b>	
37 items	
New York State Capitol (Albany, NY)	location reading room laptop
<b>Scope and Contents</b>	
88 items	
New York State Capitol, New York Times photographs (Albany, NY)	location reading room laptop



**Scope and Contents**

11 items

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Snug Harbor Cultural Center (Staten Island, NY)

**Scope and Contents**

12 items

location  
reading  
room laptop

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