

Guide to the Christopher Tunnard Papers

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Administrative Information

Immediate Source of Acquisition

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Biographical / Historical

Christopher Tunnard was born in Victoria, British Columbia, Canada on July 7, 1910, the son of Christopher Coney and Madeline (Kingscote) Tunnard. He attended St. Michael's School and Victoria College of the University of British Columbia in Canada (1927-1928). From 1928 to 1930 Tunnard studied horticulture and landscape design at the College of the Royal Horticultural Society, Wisley, England, and in 1932 he studied building construction at the Westminster Technical Institute in London.

From 1932 to 1934 Tunnard was employed as a draftsman-designer for the London firm of the garden designer Percy S. Crane. From 1934 to 1937 he had a private practice as a landscape designer and site planner near London at St. Ann's Hill, Surrey. He continued his private practice in London from 1937 until 1939, when he became a visiting lecturer on landscape design and regional planning in the Graduate School of Design at Harvard University. From 1942 to 1943 he served with the Royal Canadian Engineers. Following his discharge from the service he helped make plans for the postwar rebuilding of London as chairman of the town planning committee of the Modern Architectural Research Society of London.

In 1944 Tunnard accepted a teaching position at Yale University. He was a lecturer (1944-1945), assistant professor (1945-1948), associate professor (1948-1962), professor (1962-1975), and professor emeritus (1975-1979) in city planning, and was instrumental in the development of the city planning program at Yale. He was appointed director of the newly created graduate program in city planning in 1950, and was acting chairman of the department of city planning (which was established in 1960) from November 1965 to June 30, 1967, and chairman from July 1967 to 1969.

During his tenure at Yale Tunnard guest lectured at numerous universities, including the University of California at Berkeley, the University of Minnesota, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Clemson College, the University of Illinois, North Carolina State, the University of Winnipeg, the University of Rome, Italy, and Harvard University.

Tunnard is noted for his concept of the "regional city" the idea that the Atlantic seaboard, for example, is not a series of cities along the coastline, but one "super city." He believed that these super cities should be planned as regions rather than individual cities. Tunnard also emphasized the importance of aesthetics in planning, and maintained that civic art and the integration of the natural landscape with new construction were critical to the health and productivity of American urban communities.

Tunnard received a number of grants which supported his research on the American city including a Wheelwright Fellowship in Architecture at Harvard University in 1943, a Guggenheim Fellowship in 1950, and a Rockefeller Foundation grant to direct a three-year program (1957-1959) at Yale to study the design aspects of the regional city.

Tunnard received the Silver Gilt Medal for Landscape Design at the Paris Exposition in 1937. In 1956 he received a Fulbright Research Fellowship to work at the Institut d'Urbanisme at the University of Paris, and in 1961 he received a Fulbright to conduct research and teach at the Academy of Fine Arts in Istanbul, Turkey. He was elected a Fellow of the Royal Society of Arts, London, England in 1966.

As a private consultant Tunnard was involved in the city planning activities of government and citizen interest groups throughout the United States. He also consulted on a number of international projects including UNESCO missions to study historic monuments in Java, Jamaica, and Kathmandu, Nepal, and a city planning project in Barranquilla, Colombia. From 1951 to 1959, Tunnard, Henry Hope Reed, and James Henry Ward were partners in a consulting firm which specialized in city planning. In the 1960s he formed a partnership with fellow Yale city planning faculty member Walter D. Harris.

An active preservationist, Tunnard served as a member of the International Relations Committee of the National Trust for Historic Preservation, the president of the New Haven Preservation Trust, and as a member of the International Council on Monuments and Sites. He was a member of the American Institute of Planners, the American Society of Planning Officials, the American Institute of Architects, the Institute of Landscape Architects, the British Institute of Landscape Architects, and the American Society of Architectural Historians. He was active in the planning activities of the New Haven area community, serving as an appointed member of the New Haven City Plan Commission and the Regional Planning Authority of South Central Connecticut.

His publications include *Gardens in the Modern Landscape* (1938), *The City of Man* (1953), *American Skyline* (with Henry Hope Reed, 1953), *Man-Made America: Chaos or Control?* (with Boris Pushkarev, 1963), and *A World With a View* (1978). Tunnard's articles and reviews appeared in publications including *Harper's*, *Journal of the American Institute of Planners*, *Landscape*, *Saturday Review of Literature*, and *Comment*.

Tunnard married Lydia Evans of Boston, Massachusetts in 1945. They had a son, Christopher. Tunnard died in New Haven in 1979.

Scope and Contents

The Christopher Tunnard Papers contain correspondence, topical files, writings, teaching files, and printed and pictorial material which document Tunnard's career as a landscape designer, city planning consultant, author, and professor of city planning. The papers were donated by Tunnard's son Christopher Tunnard in 1983. Layouts for the Inwood Planning Study were transferred from the Yale Art and Architecture Library to Manuscripts and Archives in 1979. The nineteen linear feet of material are arranged in four series: I. CORRESPONDENCE AND TOPICAL FILES, II. WRITINGS, III. TEACHING FILES, IV. PICTORIAL MATERIAL.

Series I, CORRESPONDENCE AND TOPICAL FILES, contains material which documents aspects of Tunnard's professional career. Material of a personal nature within the series consists of biographical sketches and curriculum vitae, fragmentary family correspondence, clippings, memorabilia, and legal and financial documents.

The bulk of the material dates from 1952 to 1975 and includes correspondence relating to his teaching activities at Harvard (predominately after 1945), Yale, and other universities; correspondence with university faculty members and city planning professionals who guest lectured at Yale; and materials relating to Tunnard's administrative activities within the Yale City Planning Department. The series also includes correspondence with publishers of his books and articles; correspondence, printed material, and reports relating to the consulting work Tunnard performed for various city and citizen interest groups; and materials relating to his international research and consulting projects. Correspondents include Henry Hope Reed, Joseph Hudnut, John Pearce, C. McKim Norton, Boris Pushkarev, Richardson Wood, and Coleman Woodbury.

Tunnard's active membership in professional associations is documented by correspondence, newsletters, and reports relating to conferences, local and regional meetings, and special projects. Associations represented in the papers include the American Institute of Architects, the American Institute of Planners, the History of Planning Group, the International Council of Monuments and Sites, the National Trust for Historic Preservation, and the Society of Architectural Historians. New Haven organizations represented in the series include the New Haven City Plan Commission and the New Haven Preservation Trust. These files contain correspondence with New Haven city officials and fellow members of the organizations, and printed material.

Series II, WRITINGS, consists of outlines, notes, drafts, typescripts, galleys, and published copies of Tunnard's books, articles, reviews, speeches, and lectures.

Series III, TEACHING FILES, includes course files which contain syllabi, notes, and lectures from courses taught at Harvard, Yale, and other academic institutions. Because Tunnard interfiled teaching materials he used for similar courses at various academic institutions, these files have been arranged by generic course titles rather than by specific course numbers and titles. The topic files contain notes and printed matter that complement the materials within the course files. Files of student papers include master's theses, class papers, and projects. Folders containing copies of examination questions and fragmentary notes follow the course and topic files.

Series IV, PICTORIAL MATERIAL, consists of photographs, prints, and drawings used to illustrate *A World With a View*; materials used to conduct preliminary research and to document UNESCO cultural missions; personal photographs; and miscellaneous illustrative materials relating to Tunnard's professional interests.

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b. 21, f. 327	W - Wer	
b. 21, f. 328	Wes - Wh	
b. 21, f. 329	Wi - Wu	
b. 21, f. 330	Weinberg, Robert C.	1954-1963, undated
b. 22, f. 331	Wethersfield, Connecticut	1960-1964, undated

	Weybright, Victor See also: box 13, folder 243	
b. 22, f. 332	Wheaton, William L. C.	1957-1959, undated
b. 22, f. 333	<i>Who's Who in America</i>	1952-1957
b. 22, f. 334	Wilder, Amos Tappan	1968, 1973-1974, undated
b. 22, f. 335	Wilder, Amos Tappan	undated
	Wildlife preserves See also: box 14, folder 243	
b. 22, f. 336	Williams, Norman	1954-1959, 1966
b. 22, f. 337-338	Wood, Richardson	1953-1960, 1963-1966, undated
b. 22, f. 339-340	Woodbury, Coleman	1955, 1960, 1965- 1966, undated
b. 22, f. 341	World Design Conference (Tokyo, Japan)	1955, 1959-1960, undated
b. 22, f. 342	World Society for Ekistics	1973-1974, undated
	Wylie, Craig See also: box 8, folder 128	
b. 22, f. 343	Y - Z	
	Yale University	
	Art and Architecture	
	Architecture Department	
b. 23, f. 344	Chairman	1955
b. 23, f. 345-346	Executive Committee	1952-1958, undated
	<i>Inwood Planning Study: layouts</i> See: box 44, folders 715-717	1975
b. 23, f. 347	Lecture Committee	1956-1960
b. 23, f. 348	Miscellaneous announcements, memos, and notices	1950-1960, 1967-1968, undated
b. 23, f. 349	Parson's Medal	1952-1959

Yale University > Art and Architecture (continued)

City Planning

b. 23, f. 350	Alumni information	1944-1958, undated
b. 23, f. 351-354	Atlantic Urban Region Conference Proceedings	1955 June-1957, undated
b. 23, f. 355	<i>City Planning: A Pictorial Compendium of Examples and Designs</i> See also: box 46, folder 724	1954, undated
b. 24, f. 356	<i>City Planning at Yale: A Selection of Papers and Projects</i>	1954
b. 24, f. 357	<i>City Planning at Yale: A Selection of Papers and Projects</i>	1955-1956, undated
b. 24, f. 358	Course catalog material	1953, 1958-1960, undated
b. 24, f. 359	Educational Role Conference	1965
b. 24, f. 360	Equipment and supplies	1953-1956, undated
b. 24, f. 361	Highway Conference	1966-1968, undated
b. 24, f. 362	Highway Research Project	1967-1968
	Highway Research Team: <u>Highway as Environment</u>	
b. 24, f. 363	Title page - p. 28	1971
b. 24, f. 364-366	pp. 29-99	1971
b. 24, f. 367	pp. 1-17, 28-52, 66-90	1971
b. 24, f. 368	Titles and captions	1971
b. 24, f. 369	Materials regarding development of program	1954-1959, 1965-1972, undated
b. 24, f. 370	Miscellaneous correspondence and administrative material	1950-1961
b. 24, f. 371	Miscellaneous correspondence and administrative material	1963-1971, undated
b. 24, f. 372	Project for field study and research on the American tradition in city planning	1952-1953, undated
b. 24, f. 373	Proposal for the City Planning Program 1970-1971	1970-1971, undated
b. 25, f. 374	Scholarships, prizes, and fellowships	1946, 1951-1959
b. 25, f. 375	Slide lists	1947, 1956, undated

Yale University > Art and Architecture > City Planning (continued)

b. 25, f. 376	Student enrollment	1950–1960, 1964, 1968–1970, undated
b. 25, f. 377	Student field trips	1952, undated
b. 25, f. 378	Urban Regional Planning Conference	1957 February– April 16
b. 25, f. 379	Urban Regional Planning Conference	1957 April 17– Dec, undated
b. 25, f. 380	Visiting lecturers	1953–1960, 1970, undated
b. 25, f. 381-382	Dean	1948, 1952– 1961, 1965–1969, undated
b. 25, f. 383	<i>Newsletter</i>	1953–1961, undated
b. 25, f. 384	Art Gallery	1954–1958, undated
b. 25, f. 385	Bureau of Highway Traffic	1950, 1954–1960, undated
b. 25, f. 386	Committee on the Course of Study	1953–1954, 1967
b. 25, f. 387	Committee on the Future of Urban Studies at Yale	1970
b. 25, f. 388	Graduate School	1954–1955, 1959–1970
b. 25, f. 389	Law School	1956–1959
b. 25, f. 390	Library	1950–1959, undated
b. 25, f. 391-392	Meyer Committee on Yale's Involvement in Urban, City Planning and Social Problems	1969 June–Sep, undated
b. 26, f. 393-394	Miscellaneous	1952–1958–1960, 1964–1971, 1976, undated
b. 26, f. 395	News Bureau	1949, 1953– 1959, 1966–1967, undated
b. 26, f. 396	President	1953, 1958, 1965– 1971, undated
b. 26, f. 397	Provost	1955–1967, undated

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b. 26, f. 398	Secretary	1952, 1956– 1962, 1966–1967, undated
b. 26, f. 399	Timothy Dwight College	1953–1959
b. 26, f. 400	Yale Alumni Magazine	1957
b. 26, f. 401	Yale College	1954–1956
b. 26, f. 402	“Yale Reports” radio broadcast	1955–1959, undated
b. 26, f. 403	Yale University Press	1953–1954, 1958–1964, 1973–1974, 1978, undated
b. 26, f. 404	Fragments	undated
b. 26, f. 405	Unidentified	1951–1968, 1975, undated

Series II. WRITINGS*3 linear feet (7 boxes)*

This series contains four subseries: Books, Articles, Reviews, and Speeches and Lectures. Each subseries is arranged alphabetically by title. Reviews are alphabetized by the title of the book reviewed. Miscellaneous notes, outlines, and unidentified materials follow the four subseries.

Books

American Skyline

b. 27, f. 406	Illustrations and captions	undated
b. 27, f. 407	Notes	undated
b. 27, f. 408-411	Outlines	undated

Typescript

b. 27, f. 412	pp. 1-52	undated
b. 27, f. 413	pp. 53-103	undated
b. 27, f. 414	pp. 104-156	undated
b. 27, f. 415	pp. 157-201	undated
b. 27, f. 416	pp. 202-253	undated
b. 27, f. 417	pp. 254-300 and index	undated
b. 27, f. 418-420	Drafts	undated
b. 28, f. 421-427	Drafts	undated

Outline and draft

b. 28, f. 428	Title page-p. 50	undated
b. 28, f. 429	pp. 51-100	undated
b. 28, f. 430	pp. 101-147	undated
b. 28, f. 431	pp. 148-199	undated
b. 28, f. 432	pp. 200-244	undated
b. 28, f. 433	pp. 245-300	undated
b. 28, f. 434	pp. 301-335 and bibliography	undated
b. 28, f. 435	<i>A Brief History of New York</i> : outline	undated

The City of Man

b. 28, f. 436	Notes	undated
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Typescript

b. 28, f. 437	Introductory material and pp. 92-121	1952 January 8
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Books > The City of Man > Typescript (continued)

b. 28, f. 438	pp. 122-334	1952 January 8
b. 28, f. 439	pp. 335-445, pp. 472-549	1952 January 8
b. 28, f. 440	Foreward, pp. i-vi, pp. 55-58, pp. 122-198	undated
b. 29, f. 441	pp. 199-321	undated
b. 29, f. 442	pp. 322-387	undated
b. 29, f. 443	pp. 388-509	undated
b. 29, f. 444	pp. 510-549	undated
b. 29, f. 445	<i>The Creation of Cities</i> : outline	undated
b. 29, f. 446	<i>The English Park</i> : notes	undated
b. 29, f. 447	<i>How to Look at Cities</i> : outline	undated
<u>Man-Made America</u>		
b. 29, f. 448	Fragments	undated
Typescript		
b. 29, f. 449	pp. 1-45	undated
Draft		
b. 29, f. 450	pp. 1-105, pp.26-35, unnumbered pages	undated
b. 29, f. 451	Unnumbered pages	undated
<u>A World With a View</u>		
b. 29, f. 452	Galley	1977
b. 29, f. 453	Illustrations, captions, and notes	1977, undated
b. 30, f. 454	Illustrations, captions, and notes	undated
Proof		
b. 30, f. 455	pp. i-ix, pp. 1-51	1977-1978
b. 30, f. 456	pp. 52-109	1978
b. 30, f. 457	pp. 122-193	1978
Proofed draft		
b. 30, f. 458	Table of contents, pp. 1-41	1977
b. 30, f. 459	pp. 42-102	1977
b. 30, f. 460	pp. 103-148	1977
b. 30, f. 461	pp. 149-211	1977

Books > A World With a View > Proofed draft (continued)

b. 30, f. 462	pp. 212-249	1977
Revised proof		
b. 30, f. 463	pp. i-xii, pp. 1-50	1977-1978
b. 30, f. 464	pp. 51-112	1978
b. 30, f. 465	pp. 113-179	1978
b. 30, f. 466	pp. 180-196	1978
Typescript		
b. 30, f. 467	pp. i-iv, pp. 1-39	undated
b. 31, f. 468	pp. 40-77	undated
b. 31, f. 469	pp. 78-135	undated
b. 31, f. 470	pp. 136-208	undated
b. 31, f. 471	pp. i, iii, v, viii, xi-xvi, pp. 1-57	1978
b. 31, f. 472	pp. 58-99	1978
b. 31, f. 473	pp. 100-145	1978
b. 31, f. 474	pp. 146-199	1978
b. 31, f. 475	Footnotes	1978
b. 31, f. 476	Volume	1978
Articles		
b. 31, f. 477	"American Townscape"	undated
b. 31, f. 478	"America's Super Cities" (Harper's article)	1958 August
b. 31, f. 479	"The Architecture of the Regional Landscape"	1954 February
b. 31, f. 480	"An Artist in the Streets"	1953 February
b. 31, f. 481	"The Challenge of America's Hideous Wasteland"	undated
b. 31, f. 482	"Cities for Men to Live In"	undated
"Citizens All: The Case for Urban Regional Planning"		
b. 31, f. 483	Manuscript draft and notes	undated
b. 31, f. 484	Typescript	undated
b. 31, f. 485	Typescript draft	undated
b. 32, f. 486	"The City and Its Interpreters"	1961 November
b. 32, f. 487	"A City Called Beautiful"	undated

Articles (continued)

b. 32, f. 488	"The Conscious Stone"	1954 December
b. 32, f. 489	"Design at the Scale of the Region"	1967 January
b. 32, f. 490	"The Development of American Architecture and Building"	undated
b. 32, f. 491	"A Few Ragged Huts"	undated
b. 32, f. 492	"Fire on the Prairie"	1952
b. 32, f. 493	"The Garden of the Silver Pavilion"	undated
b. 32, f. 494	[Historic Preservation]	undated
b. 32, f. 495	"Impressions of Tokyo"	[1961?]
b. 32, f. 496	"In Search of a City"	undated
b. 32, f. 497	"The International Center for the Study of the Preservation and Restoration of Cultural Property"	undated
b. 32, f. 498	"The Landscape of the Big Street"	1956 July
b. 32, f. 499	El tratamiento dietético de la insuficiencia cardíaca	undated
b. 32, f. 500	"The Natural City"	undated
b. 32, f. 501	"The Open-Ended City"	undated
b. 32, f. 502	"Planning as a Profession"	undated
b. 32, f. 503	"The Planning Syndrome in Western Culture"	1973 January
b. 32, f. 504	"The Preservation of the Cultural Patrimony"	undated
b. 32, f. 505	"Prospect for the Countryside"	undated
b. 32, f. 506	"Rearing the Federal City"	undated
b. 32, f. 507	"Recommendations Concerning the Development of Calf Pasture Beach Park and the Shady Beach Area in Norwalk, Connecticut"	1952 October
b. 32, f. 508	"The Regional City"	undated
b. 32, f. 509	"Scene"	undated
b. 32, f. 510	"A Study of Tourism in New England"	undated
b. 32, f. 511	"Super City on the Seaboard"	[1958?]
b. 32, f. 512	"Taste and Social Change"	1966 May
b. 32, f. 513	"Too Fast, Too Far"	1960
b. 32, f. 514	<i>Traffic Quarterly</i> article	undated
b. 32, f. 515	"What Kind of Landscape for the New Towns?"	undated
b. 32, f. 516-519	Articles, fragments of	undated

Articles (continued)

b. 33, f. 520-521	Articles, incomplete	undated
Reviews		
b. 33, f. 522	C-M	1951, 1954, 1961-1962, undated
b. 33, f. 523	O-Z	1949-1961, 1970, undated
Speeches and Lectures		
b. 33, f. 524	"The Bees of Aristaeous"	undated
b. 33, f. 525	"Can Planning Stop the Destruction of Our Landscape?"	1958 October
b. 33, f. 526	"Cities by Design"	undated
b. 33, f. 527	Comments made during appearance on "Yale Interprets the News"	1953 September 27
b. 33, f. 528	"Historic Districts: Ghosts and Intruders"	1964
b. 33, f. 529	"How to Build a Better Looking New York?"	1955 May
b. 33, f. 530	"Interurbia"	1957 October
b. 33, f. 531	"Melcarth Lecture"	undated
b. 33, f. 532	National Book Council Award Acceptance Speech	undated
b. 33, f. 533	"Our Urban Waterfronts: A Second Chance"	1965 May 24
b. 33, f. 534	"The Raking Glance"	1958 December 6
b. 33, f. 535	"The Roads We Travel"	undated
b. 33, f. 536	"Sharawadji Reconsidered"	1975 April 16
b. 33, f. 537	"Should We Revive the City Beautiful?"	1953 October
b. 33, f. 538	Speech given at Williamsburg, Virginia	1963
b. 33, f. 539	Speech given to Yale Alumni	1957 April 6
b. 33, f. 540	[Town Planning]	1954
b. 33, f. 541	"Urbanism, Art, and Life"	undated
b. 33, f. 542	"Walter Gropius at Harvard"	1962
b. 33, f. 543	"What's Wrong with Urban Design?"	1963
b. 33, f. 544-545	Notes, miscellaneous	undated
b. 33, f. 546	Outlines, miscellaneous	undated
b. 33, f. 547	Unidentified bibliography and index galley	undated

Series III. TEACHING FILES*3 linear feet (7 boxes)*

This series contains three subseries: Courses, Topics, and Student Papers. Each subseries is arranged alphabetically. Folders containing examinations and miscellaneous teaching notes follow the Topics subseries.

Courses

b. 34, f. 548	American Regionalism
b. 34, f. 549-554	Civic Art
b. 34, f. 555-559	Environmental Quality
b. 35, f. 560-566	Environmental Quality
b. 35, f. 567-569	History of City Planning and Urban Design
b. 35, f. 570-573	History of Urban Form
b. 36, f. 574-585	History of Urban Form
b. 36, f. 586-592	Introduction to Planning
b. 37, f. 593-598	Introduction to Planning
b. 37, f. 599-601	Landscape Architecture
b. 37, f. 602-603	Metropolitan Area Planning
b. 37, f. 604	Planning Projects
b. 37, f. 605	Preservation Planning
b. 37, f. 606	Seminar on the City
b. 37, f. 607	Study of the City
b. 37, f. 608	University of Wisconsin Seminars
b. 37, f. 609	Urban Studies Seminar
b. 38, f. 610	Urban Theory
b. 38, f. 611	Utopia and Para-utopia

Topics

b. 38, f. 612	Alberti
b. 38, f. 613	American Renaissance
b. 38, f. 614	Ancient City Planning
b. 38, f. 615	Colonization
b. 38, f. 616	Dark Ages

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b. 38, f. 617	Early Renaissance	
b. 38, f. 618	Esthetic Theory	
b. 38, f. 619	Federal City	
b. 38, f. 620	France	
b. 38, f. 621	Gardens	
b. 38, f. 622	Leningrad	
b. 38, f. 623	Megaform	
b. 38, f. 624	Metropolitan Improvement: Paris and New York	
b. 38, f. 625	Neo-classic	
b. 38, f. 626	New Towns	
b. 38, f. 627	Nineteenth Century American Cities	
b. 38, f. 628	Plato	
b. 38, f. 629	Rome	
b. 38, f. 630	Squares: High Renaissance	
b. 38, f. 631	Taste	
b. 39, f. 632	Villes Neuves	
b. 39, f. 633	Examinations	
b. 39, f. 634-637	Notes, miscellaneous	
Student papers		
b. 39, f. 638	Al-Jalili, Naman	1961
b. 39, f. 639	Alschuler, Frank S.	1947 January 10
b. 39, f. 640	Anonymous	undated
b. 39, f. 641	Barratt, P.J.H.	1961 May 29
b. 39, f. 642	Block, Steven	1961 February 3
b. 39, f. 643	Christensen, Donald J.	1969 January
b. 39, f. 644	Comey, Ralph	undated
b. 39, f. 645	Day, Norman G. A.	1948 March 20
b. 39, f. 646	Ericson, J. E.	1956 October 1
b. 39, f. 647	Euston, Andrew F.	[1956 September 31]
b. 39, f. 648	Finney, C. Roger	1972 May 12

Student papers (continued)

b. 39, f. 649	Greenberg, Allan	undated
b. 40, f. 650	Ho, Tao	1961 January 11
b. 40, f. 651	Hofe, Dean F.	undated
b. 40, f. 652	Hufnagel Karen and Votava, Bob	1970
b. 40, f. 653	Isler, Morton L.	1955 March
b. 40, f. 654	Jacobson, Richard	1975 April 14
b. 40, f. 655	Jenkins, Thomas H.	1961 May
b. 40, f. 656	Krauskopf, Jack	1961 May
b. 40, f. 657	Kristopeit, Thomas E.	undated
b. 40, f. 658	Lesieur, Gilles J.	undated
b. 40, f. 659	Montes, Gregory	1972, undated
b. 40, f. 660	Moore, Allan	1956 September 31
b. 40, f. 661	Ovington, T. M.	undated
b. 40, f. 662	Perlman, Konrad J.	1960 May 4
b. 40, f. 663	Peterson, Bo E.	1963 January 14
b. 40, f. 664	Pratomo	1961
b. 40, f. 665	Radford, Colin	1956 October 1
b. 40, f. 666	Rush, Earl H.	1959
b. 40, f. 667	Russell, Jacqueline	1973
b. 40, f. 668	Second Year Class, Yale University Graduate Program in City Planning	1960 January
b. 40, f. 669	Shapiro, Alexandra	1965-1966
b. 40, f. 670	Shepard, Paul H.	1953-1954, undated
b. 40, f. 671	Sielaff, Bruce W.	1956 October 1
b. 40, f. 672	Vare, Edwin	1956 September 31
b. 40, f. 673	Warburton, Ralph	1961 February 25

Series IV. PICTORIAL MATERIAL*1.75 linear feet (7 boxes, 1 folio)*

This series contains materials arranged by size and type of material.

b. 41, f. 674	Photocopied transparencies of New York City area	undated
	Photographic material	
b. 41, f. 675	[California?]	undated
b. 41, f. 676-677	Germany and France	undated
b. 41, f. 678	Italy	undated
b. 41, f. 679-680	Java	undated
b. 41, f. 681-682	Negatives, miscellaneous	1977 May 3, undated
b. 41, f. 683	Paris: rue Etienne Marcel	undated
b. 41, f. 684-687	Phillipines	1907-1910, 1913- 1914, undated
b. 42, f. 688-689	Phillipines	undated
b. 42, f. 690	Photographs miscellaneous	undated
b. 42, f. 691-694	Photographs and drawings, miscellaneous	1964, 1970, 1975, undated
b. 42, f. 695	Photographs with captions for unidentified publication	undated
b. 42, f. 696-697	proof sheets, miscellaneous	undated
b. 42, f. 698	Strip mine land reclamation	1968-1971
b. 42, f. 699	Tunnard family photographs	undated
b. 42, f. 700	Tunnard individual and group photographs	undated
b. 42, f. 701	Postcards	undated
b. 42, f. 702-707	<i>A World With a View</i> : illustrative material	1977 March 3, [1977 March 22?], 1977 Apr, 1977-1978, undated
b. 43, f. 708-714	<i>A World With a View</i> : illustrative material	undated
	Oversize	
b. 44, f. 715-717	<i>Inwood Planning Study</i> : layouts See also: box 44, folders 715-717	1975
b. 45, f. 718-720	San Juan, Puerto Rico capitol building and grounds: photographs and drawings	1925, 1926, undated

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b. 46, f. 721-723	Miscellaneous photographs, prints and drawings	1913-1914, undated 1919, undated, 1920, 1924, 1933
b. 46, f. 724	<i>City Planning: A Pictorial Compendium of Examples and Designs</i> See also: box 23, folder 355	1953
b. 47, f. 725-728	Washington, D.C. capitol building and grounds: photographs and drawings	1927, undated 1928, 1930, 1931, undated, 1935, undated
Blueprints		
f. 48	Addition and alterations to Tunnard home	1962
f. 48	Foote School	1957
f. 48	House in Jekyl Island, Georgia	undated
f. 48	House in Tuxedo, New York	undated
f. 48	Map of Historic Charleston, South Carolina	1970
f. 48	Map of Fairfield Connecticut historic district	undated
UNESCO		
f. 48	Kathmandu, Nepal pictorial materials	1968-1975
f. 48	St. Ann, Jamaica area map	1969

ADDENDUM. WILLIAM EDWARD PARSONS

Within the Christopher Tunnard papers are papers formerly belonging to William Edward Parsons. He was an alumnus of Yale, having attended from 1895. He became an architect and city planner, and was partner in Bennet, Parsons & Frost, Consulting Architects, of Chicago for 25 years. His work extended from buildings in the Philippines to city plans of Buffalo and Chicago.

In 1938 Parsons was appointed to the faculty of the Department of Architecture at Yale as the first to make city planning a formal subject of instruction. However he died the next year. His wife gifted the Parsons Medal in 1942 (see box 23, folder 349). Parson was not replaced during WWII, but in 1945 Christopher Tunnard was recruited, and appears to have 'inherited' Parsons's papers, including numerous photographs.

In their uncatalogued state, the Tunnard papers were contained in 25 boxes, the last two of which were purely Parsons's papers. In their catalogued state the latter have been distributed according to the description below.

Information in the box column indicates the possible present location of the item.

b. 41, f. 684	40 photographs pasted onto stiff card of buildings in Manila. Some dates (1907, 1910, 1913, etc.) and some names (Ambos Camarines, Moncarda, etc.) given. Also notes that some buildings designed by Wm E. Parsons, Consulting Architect, and some notes apparently in his handwriting (eg. # 11).
b. 42, f. 689	40 photographs pasted onto stiff card of buildings in Manila. Some dates (1907, 1910, 1913, etc.) and some names (Ambos Camarines, Moncarda, etc.) given. Also notes that some buildings designed by Wm E. Parsons, Consulting Architect, and some notes apparently in his handwriting (eg. # 11) [cont'd].
b. 45, f. 718-720	Photographs of drawings by Bennett, Parsons & Frost. One is of a park at San Juan in Puerto Rico, dated 1925. Others of the 'United States Botanic Gardens'.
b. 46, f. 721-723	'The Buffalo City Plan' by Edward H. Bennet and William E. Parsons (Associates H.T. Frost and C. W. Thomas) of Chicago, dated 1921.
b. 47, f. 725-728	Proposed enlargement of the Capitol Grounds by Bennet, Parsons & Frost.
	City plan of Joliet by Bennet, Parsons & Frost, 1921 [location unknown].
	A paper of June 1905 by W.E. Parsons on 'The Decorative Value of Sculpture and Architectural Forms in Gardens'. [location unknown]
	In a folder inscribed 'Town Planning' miscellaneous clippings, notes, photos, mostly 1937 and 1938, and the greater proportion of it from the USA. Also a printed coloured map of New York dated 1857. [location unknown]
	In a folder inscribed 'Architecture', a letter dated August 23, 1937, from Charles Peterson, Senior Landscape Architect to the US Department of the Interior, to Parsons concerning a scheme for a Museum of American Architecture. Also a copy of a plan by Olmsted's for Union Square, Washington, dated 1934. [location unknown]

Selected Search Terms

The following terms have been used to index the description of this collection in the Library's online catalog. They are grouped by name of person or organization, by subject or location, and by occupation and listed alphabetically therein.

Subjects

City planning
Historic sites -- Conservation and restoration
Landscape architecture

Occupations

City planners

Names

Hudnut, Joseph
Norton, C. McKim
Pearce, John N.
Pushkarev, B. S. (Boris Sergeevich), 1929-
Reed, Henry Hope, 1915-2013
Tunnard, Christopher, 1910-1979
Wood, Richardson
Woodbury, Coleman, 1903-1994

Corporate Bodies

American Institute of Architects
American Institute of Planners
International Council of Monuments and Sites
National Trust for Historic Preservation in the
United States
New Haven (Conn.). City Plan Commission
New Haven Preservation Trust
Society of Architectural Historians
Unesco
Yale University -- Faculty
Yale University. Dept. of City Planning
Yale University. School of Art and Architecture.
Dept. of Architecture