

Guide to the Sam Kim Collection

AOB 43



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Collection Overview

REPOSITORY: Robert B. Haas Family Arts Library Special Collections
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CALL NUMBER: AOB 43

CREATOR: Kim, Sam

TITLE: Sam Kim Collection

DATES: 1966-1978

PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION: 0.83 linear feet (2 boxes)

LANGUAGE: English

SUMMARY: The collection showcases the wide variety of materials designed by Sam Kim, including annual reports, corporate stationery, greeting cards, bumper stickers, and T-shirts.

ONLINE FINDING AID: To cite or bookmark this finding aid, please use the following link: <https://hdl.handle.net/10079/fa/arts.aob.0043>

Requesting Instructions

To request items from this collection for use on site, please use the request links in the HTML version of this finding aid, available at <https://hdl.handle.net/10079/fa/arts.aob.0043>.

Key to the container abbreviations used in the PDF finding aid:

b. box
f. folder

Administrative Information

Immediate Source of Acquisition

Gift of the Yale School of Art.

Conditions Governing Access

The materials are open for research.

Conditions Governing Use

Copyright has not been transferred to Yale University.

Preferred Citation

Sam Kim Collection, Robert B. Haas Family Arts Library, Yale University.

Biographical / Historical

Sam Kim graduated from the Yale School of Art Graphic Design program, Class of 1964. He worked in Hawaii from 1964 to 1977. Upon Kim's death, the Yale School of Art organized a retrospective exhibition with examples of Kim's work selected by his classmates.

Scope and Contents

The collection showcases the wide variety of materials designed by Kim, including annual reports, corporate stationery, greeting cards, bumper stickers, and T-shirts.

Arrangement

Arranged in two series: I. Clients, 1966-1977. II. Personal, 1969-1978.

Collection Contents

Series I: Clients, 1966-1977

Arranged alphabetically by the name of the client.

b. 1, f. 1	American Growth Corp.	undated
b. 1, f. 2	American Properties Corp.	undated
b. 1, f. 3	Avant Garb	1969
b. 1, f. 4	Barton, Clare H.	undated
b. 1, f. 5	Bishop Trust Co. LTD	1968
b. 1, f. 6	Blair, Russ	undated
b. 1, f. 7	Bobbie Lee and Associates, Inc.	undated
b. 1, f. 8	Center for Korean Studies at the University of Hawaii	undated
b. 1, f. 9	Chung Dho Ahn & Associates, Inc.	undated
b. 1, f. 10	Cinerama Hotels	undated
b. 1, f. 11	Citizens for Hawaii	undated
b. 1, f. 12	Construction Control Corp.	undated
b. 1, f. 13	Environment Impact Study Corp.	undated
b. 1, f. 14	First West Engineering, Inc.	undated
b. 1, f. 15	Fukunaga & Associates, Inc.	undated
b. 1, f. 16	Gill Family	1967-1972
b. 1, f. 17	Globe Electric, Inc.	undated
b. 1, f. 18	Gushman Land Company, LTD	undated
b. 1, f. 19	Hawaii Committee for the Humanities	undated
b. 1, f. 20	Honolulu Redevelopment Agency	1966
b. 1, f. 21	Honolulu Symphony Society	1969-1970
b. 1, f. 22	Innovative Media Incorporated	undated
b. 1, f. 23	Jon Okudara Photographics	undated
b. 2, f. 65	Kahala Hilton	undated
b. 1, f. 24	Kauai Toyota	undated
b. 1, f. 25	Kooliana	undated
b. 1, f. 26	Korean Doll Night Club	undated

b. 1, f. 27	League of Women Voters of Hawaii	undated
b. 1, f. 28	Manufacturer's Products, Inc.	undated
b. 1, f. 29	Marilyn Oka	undated
b. 1, f. 30	Mayor's Symphony Ball	Feb. 22, 1974
b. 1, f. 31	Michael T. Suzuki and Associates	undated
b. 1, f. 32	Moiliili-McCully, Uwaine	1976
b. 1, f. 33	Noguchi	undated
b. 1, f. 34	Oka Landscaping, Inc.	undated
b. 1, f. 35	Oka Nursery	undated
b. 1, f. 36	Pacific Gallery & Art Supplies	undated
b. 1, f. 37	Phil & Charles Gregory Associates	undated
b. 1, f. 38	Pico Jr., Tom	undated
b. 1, f. 39	Pono Development Company	undated
b. 1, f. 40	Sakau South Pacific	undated
b. 1, f. 41	Sam Kim Designs	1969 1973-1974
b. 2, f. 66	Sam Kim Designs	1970-1971
b. 1, f. 42	Small Business Educators	undated
b. 1, f. 43	State of Hawaii: Office of the Ombudsman	1969
b. 1, f. 44	State of Hawaii: Office of the Ombudsman	1969-1970
b. 1, f. 45	State of Hawaii: Office of the Ombudsman	1970-1971
b. 1, f. 46	State of Hawaii: State Fair	1973 1974
b. 1, f. 47	Sun Investment Inc.	undated
b. 1, f. 48	Te-Noe	undated
b. 2, f. 67	Thomas Square Plaza Medical Associates	undated
b. 1, f. 49	Transco Hawaii Inc.	undated
b. 1, f. 50	Trends of Hawaii	undated
b. 1, f. 51	20th Century Furniture, Inc.	undated
b. 1, f. 52	Wilson & Bartlett	undated
b. 1, f. 53	Yap, Ted	undated
b. 1, f. 54	Youth Caucus: Steering Committee	1972

b. 2, f. 55	Unidentified: Photo of T-Shirts	undated
b. 2, f. 56	Unidentified: Year of the Pig	1971
b. 2, f. 57	Unidentified: Year of the Tyger T-Shirt	1974
b. 2, f. 58	Unidentified: Year of the Rabbit T-Shirt	1975
b. 2, f. 59	Unidentified: Year of the Dragon T-Shirt	1976
b. 2, f. 60	Unidentified: Year of the Snake T-Shirt	1977
b. 2, f. 61	Unidentified	undated

Series II: Personal, 1969-1978

b. 2, f. 62	Kim, Sam: Family	1969 undated
b. 2, f. 63	Kim, Sam: Personal	1978 undated
b. 2, f. 64	Label from box containing exhibition materials	undated

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

Commercial art -- United States -- 20th
Century
Graphic arts

Genres / Formats

Printed ephemera