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Guide to the

Marc B. Weiss design files

1968-1994 [bulk 1980s]

*T-Vim 2006-014

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Summary

Creator: Weiss, Marc B.

Title: Marc B. Weiss design files

Date: 1968-1994 [bulk 1980s]

Size: 7.88 linear feet (14 boxes, 8 oversized folders, 4 tubes)

Source: Donated by Marc Weiss, 2013

Abstract: Marc B. Weiss was a theater lighting designer. The Marc B. Weiss design files date from 1968 to 1994 and contain lighting plots, hanging plans, cue sheets, focus charts, and scripts.

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Creator History

Marc B. Weiss was a theater lighting designer. Weiss designed numerous theatrical productions such as *Deathtrap* (1978), *Othello* (1982), *Zorba* (1968, 1983), *Raggedy Ann* (1986), and *Cabaret* (1987). He was a member of the United Scenic Artists, Local USA 829.

Scope and Content Note

The Marc B. Weiss design files consist primarily of lighting plots, focus charts, and scripts with accompanying cues for shows produced between 1968 and 1994. Files may also contain hanging plans, cue sheets, board set-ups, magic sheets, instrument schedules, notes, and shop orders.

The collection documents Weiss's entire career, but the bulk of the materials are related theatrical productions from the 1980s such as Othello (1982), Zorba (1968, 1983), My One and Only (1983), The Rink (1984), and Cabaret (1987). Most of Weiss's work includes a United Scenic Artists, Local USA 829 stamp.

Arrangement: The collection is arranged alphabetically by production title.

Key Terms

Genre/Physical Characteristic

Cue sheets
Design drawings
notes
Scripts

Occupations

Lighting designers
Stage lighting designers

Subjects

Stage lighting
Theater -- New York (State) -- New York
Theaters -- Stage-setting and scenery

Names

United Scenic Artists. Local USA 829

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