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1974-1983

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English

Abstract

The collection contains poster art created by Rachael Romero, most as part of the San Francisco Poster Brigade in the 1970s and early 1980s. The posters measure from 14.5 x 11 inches to 22 x 18 inches.

Creator

San Francisco Poster Brigade

Creator

Romero, Rachael, 1953-

Extent

2 Linear Feet 1 folder

Physical Location

MC 11.2

Repository

George Mason University. Libraries. Special Collections Research Center

Administrative Information

Access Restrictions

There are no access restrictions.

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Historical Information

The San Francisco Poster Brigade, originally called the Wilfred Owen Brigade, was co-founded by artist Rachael Romero in the San Francisco Bay area in 1975. In 1980 they began the Internationalist Art Show: Anti WW3, a mail-art phenomenon in San Francisco. The show became a festival of art, poetry, dance and performance, travelling to Los Angeles, Tucson, New York City and back to San Francisco until 1982.

Scope and Content

This collection includes poster artwork done by artist Rachael Romero in the 1970s and early 1980s, most as part of the San Francisco Poster Brigade. The subjects include worker and labor struggles, international conflict, and advertisements for art festivals. The international subjects include South Africa apartheid, fascism in Chile, and political prisoners in Spain. The posters measure from 14.5 x 11 inches to 22 x 18 inches.

Related Material

The Special Collections Research Center holds other poster collections with political subject matter including the [French Communist Party poster collection](#) and the [East German poster collection political series](#).

Keywords

Political posters

Political posters
Art

Bibliography

Romero, Rachael. 'San Francisco Poster Brigade Archive', sfposterbrigade.org, 2011-2012 (accessed April 16, 2021).

Arrangement

This is a single folder collection.

Description of Subordinate Components

San Francisco Poster Brigade posters

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/136588

Scope and Contents

Posters with an asterisk (*) were not a part of the San Francisco Poster Brigade.

Internationalist Arts Festival

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/136589

Unit Date May 1982

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Defend Human Rights in Chile

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/136590

Unit Date circa 1970s-1980s

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Fascism in Chile

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/136591

Unit Date circa 1970s-1980s

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Freedom for Political Prisoners

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/136592

Unit Date circa September 1976

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Anti-WW3

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/136593

Unit Date 1980

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

And the worker, they claim, are content

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/136594

Unit Date 1981

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Condemn the South African Apartheid Regime

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/136595

Unit Date circa 1970s-1980s

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Del Monte Profits from Apartheid

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/136596

Unit Date circa 1970s-1980s

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Mayday

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/136597

Unit Date circa 1970s-1980s

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Paul Robeson

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/136598

Unit Date 1981

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Bob Marley

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/136599

Unit Date circa 1970s-1980s*

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Iran Day

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/136600

Unit Date circa 1970s-1980s

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Fight for the International Hotel

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/136601

Unit Date circa 1970s-1980s

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Resisting War in the 80's

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/136602

Unit Date May 1981

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Pluck 'em

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/136603

Unit Date 1980

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Internationalist Art

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/136604

Unit Date 1980

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Victory to the Freedom Fighters of Southern Africa

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/136605

Unit Date July 1977

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Boycott Nestle

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/136606

Unit Date circa 1970s-1980s

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Anti-WW3

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/136607

Unit Date March/April 1981

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Freedom for Political Prisoners in Spain

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/136608

Unit Date circa 1970s-1980s

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Terrorism

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/136609

Unit Date 1981

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

The Uprising at Fuente Ovejuna

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/136610

Unit Date 1983*

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Support the Struggle of Australian Aborigines

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/136611

Unit Date circa 1970s-1980s

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Galeria de la Raza

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/136612

Unit Date circa 1970s-1980s

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Political Poster Show

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/136613

Unit Date 1977

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Stop Forced Sterilization

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/136614

Unit Date circa 1970s-1980s

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

International Hotel Struggle

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/136615

Unit Date February 1979

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

International Workers Day

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/136616

Unit Date circa 1970s-1980s

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Revolucion

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/136617

Unit Date 1982

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Free Skyhorse and Mohawk

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/136618

Unit Date circa 1970s-1980s

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

It's Raining in Zimbabwe

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/136619

Unit Date circa 1970s-1980s

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

International Workers Day, May Day

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/136620

Unit Date 1980

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Internationalist Art Show Anti-WW3

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/136621

Unit Date July 1981

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Stop Forced Drugging

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/136622

Unit Date circa 1970s-1980s

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Pablo Neruda

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/136623

Unit Date 1976*

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)