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Rose Marasco papers, 1923-1937, 1992-2015

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Maine Women Writers Collection

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Summary Information

Repository:	Maine Women Writers Collection
Creator:	Marasco, Rose, 1948-
Title:	Rose Marasco papers
ID:	0218
ID [aspace_uri]:	/repositories/3/resources/255
Date [inclusive]:	1923-1937, 1992-2015
Physical Description:	20 folders
Physical Description:	14 Photographic Prints
Language of the Material:	English .

Preferred Citation

Rose Marasco papers, Maine Women Writers Collection, University of New England, Portland, Maine

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Biographical/Historical Note

Born in 1948, Rose Marasco is a fine art photographer in Portland, Maine. She has had significant one-person exhibitions at The Portland Museum of Art (1989 and 2015); Meredith Ward Fine Art Gallery in New York City (2014); the Houston Center for Photography (2010-11); Universite de Bretagne Occidentale in Brest, France (2008); Sarah Morthland Gallery in New York (2003, 2000 and 1998); The Davis Museum at Wellesley College (1995); and The Farnsworth Museum of Art in Rockland, Maine (1992). Her work has also been featured in numerous group shows of distinction, most notably at the Bowdoin College Museum of Art, Marlborough Gallery, Photokina, the International Polaroid Exhibition, University of New England Art Gallery and the Smith College Museum of Art. Marasco's photographs are included in public collections including the Fogg Museum at Harvard University; Fidelity Investments Corporate Art Collection; The Davis Museum and Cultural Center at Wellesley College; Photography Collection at The New York Public Library; The

Portland Museum of Art; and the Museum of American History, Smithsonian Institution. Marasco's work has been highlighted in major publications including the *New Yorker*, *New York*, and *The Chronicle of Higher Education* magazines. Her exhibitions have been reviewed in *The New York Times*, *The Boston Globe*, *The Village Voice*, and *Art New England* among many others. Marasco has a B.F.A. from Syracuse University and a M.F.A. from the Visual Studies Workshop, Rochester, New York. She taught at the college level for 40 years, lecturing at many institutions including Harvard University, Bates College, Colby College, Massachusetts College of Art, and Parsons School of Design. In 2005 Marasco was awarded the Excellence in Photographic Teaching Award from the Santa Fe Center for Photography. She is Distinguished Professor Emerita of Art at the University of Southern Maine, where she initiated the photography department. In 1974, Marasco created the department at the School of Art, Munson-Williams-Proctor Institute in Utica, New York.

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Collection Scope and Content

This collection includes exhibit catalogs, photographs, research projects, prints and publicity materials. It contains the Diary series of framed photographs from the Domestic Objects series, as well as the portrait photographs of Margaret J.M. Sweat, "Vinalhaven Women" and "Florence Burrill Jacobs". It also contains research for the Sweat photographs, diaries purchased for research, and photographs for the MWWC's 50th anniversary.

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Arrangement

This collection is organized as three series: 1. Photographs; 2. Publicity Material; 3. Photographic Projects. Arranged by subject.

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Controlled Access Headings

- Portland (Me.)
- Photographers
- Exhibition catalogs
- Ephemera
- Postcards
- Photographs
- Dye destruction prints
- Marasco, Rose, 1948-
- Sweat, Margaret J. M. (Margaret Jane Mussey), 1823-1908
- Jacobs, Florence Burrill

Collection Inventory

Photographs, 1994-2002, undated

Physical Description: 14 Photographic Prints

Language of the Material: English.

Title/Description	Instances	
Vinalhaven women [framed photograph], 2001	Box 1	Folder 001

Language of the Material: English.

Florence Burrill Jacobs [set of 3 cibachrome photographs], 2001	Box 1	Folder 002
<u>Language of the Material:</u> English.		
Diary series - 8 framed cibachrome prints, 1994-2000	Box 1	Folder 003
<u>Language of the Material:</u> English.		
Note with Photo, 2002 June 8	Box 1	Folder 004
<u>Language of the Material:</u> English.		
Portrait No. 2 - Margaret Jane Mussey Sweat (1823-1908) framed Ilfochrome print, 2002	Box 1	Folder 005
<u>Language of the Material:</u> English.		
Portrait No. 3 - Margaret Jane Mussey Sweat (1823-1908) framed Ilfochrome print, 2002	Box 1	Folder 006
<u>Language of the Material:</u> English.		
Portrait No. 4 - Margaret Jane Mussey Sweat (1823-1908) framed Ilfochrome print, 2002	Box 1	Folder 007
<u>Language of the Material:</u> English.		
Prints (2) of Portrait No. 3 - Margaret Jane Mussey Sweat (1823-1908), 2002 (undated)	Box 1	Folder 008
<u>Language of the Material:</u> English.		
Portrait No. 1 - Margaret Jane Mussey Sweat (1823-1908) unframed Ilfochrome print, 2002	Box 1	Folder 009

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Publicity Material, 1992-2015, (undated)

Physical Description: 2 folders

Language of the Material: English.

Title/Description	Instances	
Exhibition Materials, 1992-2015	Box 1	Folder 001
<u>Language of the Material:</u> English.		
Announcement poster for Maine College of Art Evening Lecture Series includes MR image, undated	Box 1	Folder 002
<u>Language of the Material:</u> English.		
"Maine Women Pioneers III: Homage" postcard, 2013	Box 1	Folder 003
<u>Creator:</u> Hallam, Beverly, 1923-		
<u>Creator:</u> Ipcar, Dahlov, 1917-2017		
<u>Language of the Material:</u> English.		

General

Artists include: Lois Dodd, Maggie Foskett, Susan Groce, Beverly Hallam, Allison Hildreth, Frances Hodsdon, Lissa Hunter, Dahlov Ipcar, Yvonne Jacquette, Frances Kornbluth, Rose Marasco, Marilyn Quint-Rose, Katarina Weslien

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Photographic Projects, (1923-1937, 2001-2002, 2009)

Physical Description: 10 folders

Language of the Material: English.

Title/Description	Instances	
Photographs for 50th anniversary, 2009 <u>Language of the Material</u> : English.	Box 2	Folder 004

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