

# Guide to the Tony Towle Papers

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**CALL NUMBER:** YCAL MSS 745

**CREATOR:** Towle, Tony, 1939-

**TITLE:** Tony Towle papers

**DATES:** 1960-2017

**PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION:** 24.04 linear feet (27 boxes)

**LANGUAGE:** English

**SUMMARY:** Collection contains correspondence, writings, and other papers documenting the life and literary activities of New York City poet Tony Towle. Towle spent his life in New York City and, after training with Kenneth Koch and Frank O'Hara, was associated with the second generation of the New York School. In addition to Koch and O'Hara, Towle corresponded with numerous poets, artists, and editors based in the city, including John Ashbery, Bill Berkson, Ted Berrigan, Joe Brainard, Rob Hershon, Lita Hornick, Sheila Lanham, Charles North, Jeni Olin, Ron Padgett, James Schuyler, David Shapiro, Paul Violi, Anne Waldman, and others.

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b.      box

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## Administrative Information

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### Immediate Source of Acquisition

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## Conditions Governing Access

The materials are open for research.

Box 17 (correspondence): Restricted until 1 January 2028. For further information consult the appropriate curator.

Box 26 (audiovisual material): Restricted fragile material. Reference copies may be requested. Consult Access Services for further information.

Box 27 (computer media): Restricted fragile material. Access copies of computer files may be requested. Consult Access Services for further information.

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## Preferred Citation

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This collection received a basic level of processing, including rehousing and minimal organization.

Information included in the Description of Papers note and Collection Contents section is drawn from information supplied with the collection and from an initial survey of the contents. Folder titles appearing in the contents list below are often based on those provided by the creator or previous custodian. Titles have not been verified against the contents of the folders in all cases. Otherwise, folder titles are supplied by staff during initial processing.

This finding aid may be updated periodically to account for new acquisitions to the collection and/or revisions in arrangement and description.

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## Tony Towle (1939-)

Tony Towle was born 13 June 1939 in New York City to Erwin W. and Mary E. (Rigg) Towle. He attended Georgetown University (1957), New York University (1961-1962), Columbia University (1963), and The New School for Social Research (1963-1964). Towle worked as the secretary at Universal Limited Art Editions, a printmaking studio, in West Islip, New York, from 1964 to 1981. His published works include: *Poems* (1966), *After Dinner We Take a Drive Into the Night* (1968), *North* (1970), *Autobiography, and Other Poems* (1977), *Works on Paper* (1978), *Gemini* (1980), *New and Selected Poems* (1983), *Some Musical Episodes* (1992), *The History of the Invitation: New & Selected Poems* (2001), and *Winter Journey* (2008). Awards include the Gotham Book Mart Avant-Garde Poetry prize (1963), Wagner College Writer's Conference poetry prize (1963), Poet's Foundation awards (1964, 1966), and Frank O'Hara Award (1970) for *North*.

## Scope and Contents

The collection contains correspondence, writings, and other papers documenting the life and literary activities of the American poet Tony Towle. Towle spent the bulk of his life in New York City and, after he started writing poetry in the early 1960s and trained with Kenneth Koch and Frank O'Hara at The New School in 1963, he was associated with the second generation of the New York School. In addition to Koch and O'Hara, Towle corresponded with numerous poets, artists, and editors based in the city, including John Ashbery, Bill Berkson, Ted Berrigan, Joe Brainard, Rob Hershon, Lita Hornick, Sheila Lanham, Charles North, Jeni Olin, Ron Padgett, James Schuyler, David Shapiro, Paul Violi, Anne Waldman, and others.

Writings in the collection consists of drafts and proofs for many of Towle's published works, including *Autobiography and Other Poems* (1977), *Works on Paper* (1978), *The History of the Invitation* (2001), *New & Selected Poems* (1983), *North* (1970), *Winter Journey* (2008), and *Memoir* (2003). In addition to the material relating to published works, there are drafts for individual poems and prose works, fiction and non-fiction, printed publicity, reviews, royalty statements, permissions, as well as material relating to Towle's employment in the printmaking studio, Universal Limited Art Editions. Also included are photographs, audiovisual material, and computer media.

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## Arrangement

Organized into three series: I. Correspondence, 1962-2011. II. Writings, 1960-2010. III. September 2017 acquisition, circa 1963-2017.

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## Collection Contents

### Series I: Correspondence, 1962-2011

8 linear feet (8 boxes)

Series I. Correspondence contains five groupings of personal correspondence organized chronologically by date and then alphabetically by name within each grouping. Towle corresponded with numerous poets, artists, and editors based in New York City, including John Ashbery, Bill Berkson, Ted Berrigan, Joe Brainard, Rob Hershon, Lita Hornick, Kenneth Koch, Sheila Lanham, Frank O'Hara, Charles North, Jeni Olin, Ron Padgett, James Schuyler, David Shapiro, Paul Violi, Anne Waldman, and others.

Organized as received by the library.

| 1963-1979 |                               |                    |
|-----------|-------------------------------|--------------------|
| b.1       | "A" general                   | 1963-1979, undated |
| b.1       | Ashbery, John                 | 1963-1978, undated |
| b.1       | Ayden, Erje                   | 1971-1976, undated |
| b.1       | "B" general                   | 1965-1979, undated |
| b.1       | Berkson, Bill                 | 1965-1979          |
| b.1       | <a href="#">Berrigan, Ted</a> | circa 1963-1979    |
| b.1       | <a href="#">Brainard, Joe</a> | 1964-1974          |
| b.1       | "C" general                   | 1966-1979          |
| b.1       | Carroll, Paul                 | 1967-1972          |
| b.1       | Chaloner, David               | 1971-1977          |
| b.1       | "D" general                   | 1963-1974, undated |
| b.1       | "E" general                   | 1965-1978          |
| b.1       | Elmslie, Kenward              | 1963-1978, undated |
| b.1       | "F" general                   | 1964-1979, undated |
| b.1       | "G" general                   | 1967-1979, undated |
| b.1       | Gioseffi, Daniella            | 1969-1977, undated |
| b.1       | Golde, Morris                 | 1967-1975          |

## 1963-1979 (continued)

|     |  |                       |
|-----|--|-----------------------|
| b.1 | Goldman, Judith                                    | 1970-1971             |
| b.1 | "H" general  | 1968-1979,<br>undated |
| b.1 | Haseloff, Charles                                  | 1970-1971             |
| b.1 | Hornick, Lita                                      | 1964-1979             |
| b.1 | "I" - "J" general                                  | 1965-1979,<br>undated |
| b.1 | "K" general  | 1964-1977,<br>undated |
| b.1 | Koch, Kenneth                                      | 1966-1970,<br>undated |
| b.1 | Kornblum, Allan                                    | 1971-1973,<br>undated |
| b.1 | Kostakis, Peter                                    | 1972-1974             |
| b.1 | "L" general  | 1967-1978,<br>undated |
| b.1 | Lima, Frank  | 1962-2000,<br>undated |
| b.2 | "M" general  | 1963-1979,<br>undated |
| b.2 | Miscellaneous                                      | 1965-1966             |
| b.2 | "N" general  | 1966-1976,<br>undated |
| b.2 | <a href="#">North, Charles</a><br><i>3 Folders</i> | 1970-1979             |
| b.2 | "O" general  | 1972-1977,<br>undated |
| b.2 | O'Hara, Frank<br><i>2 Folders</i>                  | 1950-1978,<br>undated |
| b.2 | "P" - "Q" general<br><i>2 Folders</i>              | 1966-1979,<br>undated |
| b.2 | Padgett, Ron                                       | 1964-1978,<br>undated |
| b.2 | Pittsburgh High Schools                            | 1966-1967             |
| b.2 | "Q" - "R" general                                  | 1964-1979,<br>undated |
| b.2 | "S" general  | 1962-1979,<br>undated |

## 1963-1979 (continued)

|           |                                       |                       |
|-----------|---------------------------------------|-----------------------|
| b. 2      | Schuyler, James                       | 1966-1978             |
| b. 2      | "T" general                           | 1966-1977             |
| b. 2      | "U" - "V" general                     | 1969-1978             |
| b. 2      | Violi, Paul                           | 1971-1979             |
| b. 2      | "W" - "Z" general<br><i>2 Folders</i> | 1968-1979,<br>undated |
| b. 2      | Waldman, Anne                         | 1967-1979             |
| 1980-2005 |                                       |                       |
| b. 3      | "A" general                           | 1987-2005,<br>undated |
| b. 3      | Ashbery, John                         | 1982-2002             |
| b. 3      | "B" general                           | 1979-2005             |
| b. 3      | Berkson, Bill                         | 2001-2004             |
| b. 3      | Bolton, Ken                           | 1993-2003,<br>undated |
| b. 3      | Brennan, Max; Burton, Sigrid          | 1982-2005,<br>undated |
| b. 3      | "C" general                           | 1981-2005,<br>undated |
| b. 3      | Cohen, Mo                             | 1981-2005             |
| b. 3      | Collins, Billy                        | 1989-2005,<br>undated |
| b. 3      | "D" general                           | 1981-2005             |
| b. 3      | "E" general                           | 1982-2003             |
| b. 3      | Edelstein, Leo                        | 2000-2005             |
| b. 3      | "F" general                           | 1989-2005,<br>undated |
| b. 3      | Fossella, Darrin                      | 2003-2004,<br>undated |
| b. 3      | Friedman, Ed                          | 1986-2003,<br>undated |
| b. 3      | "G" general                           | 1982-2002             |
| b. 3      | "H" general                           | 1969-2005,<br>undated |



## 1980-2005 (continued)

|      |                                    |                       |
|------|------------------------------------|-----------------------|
| b. 3 | Hershon, Bob                       | 1989-2005,<br>undated |
| b. 3 | Holabird, Jean                     | 1980-2005,<br>undated |
| b. 3 | "I" - "J" general                  | 1981-2005,<br>undated |
| b. 3 | Jamail, Justin                     | 2002-2005,<br>undated |
| b. 3 | Jensen, Ruth                       | 1994-1998,<br>undated |
| b. 3 | Jimenez, Vita<br><i>2 Folders</i>  | 1993-2005,<br>undated |
| b. 3 | "K" general                        | 1983-2005,<br>undated |
| b. 3 | Kelley, David                      | 1980-2005,<br>undated |
| b. 4 | Kimball, Jack                      | 1998-2005             |
| b. 4 | Koch, Kenneth                      | 1982-2005,<br>undated |
| b. 4 | "L" general                        | 1978-2005,<br>undated |
| b. 4 | Lima, Frank                        | 1993-1997             |
| b. 4 | "M" general                        | 1981-2005,<br>undated |
| b. 4 | Maurer, Susan                      | 1996-1997,<br>undated |
| b. 4 | McCain, Gillian                    | 1958-2005,<br>undated |
| b. 4 | "N" - "O" general                  | 1980-2005,<br>undated |
| b. 4 | North, Charles<br><i>2 Folders</i> | 1980-2005             |
| b. 4 | Olin, Jeni<br><i>2 Folders</i>     | 2001-2005             |
| b. 4 | "P" - "Q" general                  | 1979-2005             |
| b. 4 | Padgett, Ron                       | 1982-2005             |
| b. 4 | Perry, David                       | 2003-2005             |
| b. 4 | Poetry Project                     | 1980-2004             |

## 1980-2005 (continued)

|           |   |                       |
|-----------|---|-----------------------|
| b. 4      | Poetry Project Newsletter<br><i>2 Folders</i> | 1988-1989             |
| b. 4      | "R" general<br><i>2 Folders</i>               | 1985-2005,<br>undated |
| b. 4      | Riggins, Roger                                | 1982                  |
| b. 4      | "S" general                                   | 1980-2005,<br>undated |
| b. 4      | Salerno, Mark                                 | 1993-2001,<br>undated |
| b. 4      | Sawyer, Larry                                 | 1998-2005             |
| b. 4      | Somerville, Michele<br><i>2 Folders</i>       | 2004-2005             |
| b. 5      | Stannard, Martin                              | 1983-2001,<br>undated |
| b. 5      | "T" - "U" general                             | 1980-2003,<br>undated |
| b. 5      | Tranter, John                                 | 1999-2005             |
| b. 5      | Tyler, Diane                                  | 1998-2005             |
| b. 5      | "V" general                                   | 1980-2005,<br>undated |
| b. 5      | Violi, Paul<br><i>3 Folders</i>               | 1955-2005,<br>undated |
| b. 5      | "W" general                                   | 1979-2004,<br>undated |
| b. 5      | Waldman, Anne                                 | 1983-2000             |
| b. 5      | Wasserman, Jo Ann                             | 2001-2005             |
| b. 5      | Website                                       | 2004-2005,<br>undated |
| b. 5      | <i>The World</i> submissions                  | 1980                  |
| b. 5      | "X" - "Z" general                             | 1980-2005,<br>undated |
| 2006-2009 |   |                       |
| b. 5      | "A" general                                   | 2005-2008             |
| b. 5      | "B" general                                   | 2007-2009             |
| b. 5      | Barile, Susan; Gaffney, John                  | 2006-2009             |

## 2006-2009 (continued)

|      |                                    |                        |
|------|------------------------------------|------------------------|
| b. 5 | Berkson, Bill<br><i>2 Folders</i>  | 2008-2009              |
| b. 5 | Berrigan, Anselm                   | 2006                   |
| b. 5 | Best American Poetry               | 2006                   |
| b. 5 | Bolton, Ken                        | 2006-2008              |
| b. 5 | Brook, Donna                       | 2006-2009              |
| b. 5 | "C" general                        | 2006-2009              |
| b. 5 | "D" general                        | 2006-2008              |
| b. 5 | Davis, Michael<br><i>2 Folders</i> | 2006-2009              |
| b. 5 | DeCreeft, Donna                    | 2009                   |
| b. 5 | Di Rifiuti, Isola                  | 2008                   |
| b. 5 | "E" general                        | 2007-2008              |
| b. 5 | EPC website                        | 2007-2008              |
| b. 5 | "F" general                        | 2006-2009              |
| b. 5 | "G" general                        | 2007-2009              |
| b. 5 | Goldenberg, Tom                    | 2007-2009              |
| b. 5 | "H" general                        | 2007-2009              |
| b. 6 | Hershon, Bob<br><i>2 Folders</i>   | 2006-2009              |
| b. 6 | Holabird, Jean                     | 2005-2009              |
| b. 6 | Holman, Bob                        | 2006-2007              |
| b. 6 | Horning, Ron                       | 2006-2009              |
| b. 6 | "I" - "J" general                  | 2007-2009              |
| b. 6 | Jamail, Justin                     | 2006-2009,<br>undated  |
| b. 6 | Jimenez, Vita<br><i>2 Folders</i>  | 2006-2009              |
| b. 6 | "K" general                        | 2006-20009,<br>undated |
| b. 6 | Kaplan, Allan                      | 2007-2009              |
| b. 6 | Kelley, David                      | 2006-2009              |
| b. 6 | Kimball, Jack                      | 2006-2008              |

## 2006-2009 (continued)

|      |   |                       |
|------|---|-----------------------|
| b. 6 | Koch, Karen                             | 2006-2009             |
| b. 6 | "L" general                             | 2006-2009             |
| b. 6 | Lanham, Sheila                          | 2009                  |
| b. 6 | Latta, John                             | 2006-2009             |
| b. 6 | "M" general                             | 2006-2008,<br>undated |
| b. 6 | Maurer, Susan                           | 2006-2009             |
| b. 6 | McCain, Gillian                         | 2006-2009,<br>undated |
| b. 6 | McCarron, Andrew                        | 2006-2009             |
| b. 6 | "N" - "O" general                       | 2007-2009             |
| b. 6 | North, Charles<br><i>5 Folders</i>      | 2006-2009             |
| b. 6 | O'Hara, Frank                           | 2006-2009,<br>undated |
| b. 6 | Olin, Jeni                              | 2006-2007             |
| b. 6 | "P" - "Q" general                       | 2006-2009,<br>undated |
| b. 6 | Padgett, Ron                            | 2006-2009             |
| b. 6 | "R" general                             | 2006-2009             |
| b. 6 | Reed, Monica                            | 2006-2009             |
| b. 6 | Roberts, Steve                          | 2006-2008             |
| b. 7 | "S" general                             | 2001-2009,<br>undated |
| b. 7 | Schmall, Jeremy                         | 2008-2009             |
| b. 7 | Shapiro, David                          | 2006                  |
| b. 7 | Somerville, Michele<br><i>4 Folders</i> | 2006-2009             |
| b. 7 | St. Mark's Workshop                     | 2006                  |
| b. 7 | Szymaszek, Stacy                        | 2007-2009             |
| b. 7 | "T" general                             | 2007-2009             |
| b. 7 | Tyler, Diane<br><i>2 Folders</i>        | 2006-2009             |
| b. 7 | "U" - "V" general                       | 2006-2009             |

## 2006-2009 (continued)

|     |                                 |                       |
|-----|---------------------------------|-----------------------|
| b.7 | Violi, Paul<br><i>2 Folders</i> | 2006-2009             |
| b.7 | "W" general                     | 2006-2009             |
| b.7 | "X" - "Z" general               | 2007-2009             |
| b.7 | Zoland Books                    | 2006-2007,<br>undated |

## 2010

|     |                   |           |
|-----|-------------------|-----------|
| b.7 | "A" general       | 2010      |
| b.7 | "B" general       | 2010      |
| b.7 | "C" general       | 2010-2011 |
| b.7 | "D" general       | 2010      |
| b.7 | DeCreft, Donna    | 2010      |
| b.7 | "E" general       | 2010      |
| b.7 | "F" general       | 2010      |
| b.7 | "G" general       | 2010      |
| b.7 | "H" general       | 2010      |
| b.7 | "I" - "J" general | 2010      |
| b.7 | "K" general       | 2010      |
| b.7 | "L" general       | 2010      |
| b.7 | "M" general       | 2010      |
| b.7 | "N" general       | 2010      |
| b.7 | North, Charles    | 2010      |
| b.7 | "O" - "Q" general | 2010      |
| b.7 | O'Hara, Maureen   | 2010      |
| b.7 | "R" general       | 2010      |
| b.7 | "S" general       | 2010      |
| b.7 | "T" general       | 2010      |
| b.7 | "U" - "V" general | 2010      |
| b.7 | Violi, Paul       | 2010      |
| b.7 | "W" general       | 2010      |
| b.7 | "X" - "Z" general | 2010      |

2011

|      |                                    |           |
|------|------------------------------------|-----------|
| b. 8 | "A" general                        | 2011      |
| b. 8 | "B" general                        | 2011      |
| b. 8 | "C" general                        | 2011      |
| b. 8 | "D" general                        | 2011      |
| b. 8 | "E" - "F" general                  | 2011      |
| b. 8 | "G" - "H" general                  | 2011      |
| b. 8 | Goldston, Andrea                   | 2011      |
| b. 8 | Hart, Matt                         | 2011      |
| b. 8 | "I" - "J" general                  | 2011      |
| b. 8 | "K" general                        | 2011      |
| b. 8 | "L" general                        | 2011      |
| b. 8 | "M" general                        | 2011      |
| b. 8 | "N" general                        | 2011      |
| b. 8 | North, Charles<br><i>3 Folders</i> | 2011      |
| b. 8 | "O" - "P" general                  | 2010-2011 |
| b. 8 | "Q" - "R" general                  | 2011      |
| b. 8 | "S" general                        | 2011      |
| b. 8 | "T" - "U" general                  | 2011      |
| b. 8 | Violi, Paul                        | 2011      |
| b. 8 | Violi Reading                      | 2011      |
| b. 8 | "V" - "W" general                  | 2011      |
| b. 8 | "X" - "Z" general                  | 2011      |

**Series II: Writings, 1960-2010***7 linear feet (7 boxes)*

Series II. Writings contains drafts and proofs for many of Towle's published works, including files for *Autobiography and Other Poems* (1977), *Works on Paper* (1978), *The History of the Invitation* (2001), *New & Selected Poems* (1983), *North* (1970), *Winter Journey* (2008), and *Memoir* (2003). In addition to the materials relating to published works, there are drafts for individual poems and prose works, fiction and non-fiction, printed publicity, reviews, royalty statements, permissions, and material relating to Towle's employment in the printmaking studio, Universal Limited Art Editions.

Files are not arranged in any particular order.

|       |   |           |
|-------|---|-----------|
| b. 9  | MS<br>2 Folders                                   | 1960-1962 |
| b. 9  | Poems, misc. typescripts                          | 1960-1962 |
| b. 9  | Poems<br>6 Folders                                | 1960-1964 |
| b. 9  | "Lines for the New Year"<br>3 Folders             | 1963-1965 |
| b. 9  | Poems<br>2 Folders                                | 1965-1969 |
| b. 9  | Notes   | 1970-1971 |
| b. 9  | "The Sea and the Wind"                            | 1970-1971 |
| b. 9  | "Nearing Xmas"                                    | 1970-1971 |
| b. 9  | Poems<br>2 Folders                                | 1970-1972 |
| b. 10 | "In the Romantic Manner"                          | 1970      |
| b. 10 | "Pencils and Postcards"                           | 1978      |
| b. 10 | Misc. visual                                      | 1974-1976 |
| b. 10 | New York 7/29/72                                  | 1975      |
| b. 10 | 1977 collabs                                      | 1977      |
| b. 10 | "The Interesting Story"                           | 1974      |
| b. 10 | <i>Gemini</i>                                     | 1975      |
| b. 10 | <i>Autobiography and Other Poems</i><br>4 Folders | 1970-1974 |
| b. 10 | <i>Works on Paper</i><br>2 Folders                | 1970-1974 |
| b. 10 | Swinburne   | 1972-1974 |
| b. 10 | Poems<br>2 Folders                                | 1972-1974 |

|       |  |           |
|-------|--|-----------|
| b. 10 | Sketches   | 1973-1975 |
| b. 10 | Drafts<br><i>4 Folders</i>   | 1973-1979 |
| b. 11 | Towle-publications   | 1963-2010 |
| b. 11 | "Complete Poems"<br><i>5 Folders</i>   | 1963-2009 |
| b. 11 | Drafts-1980's  | 1980-1989 |
| b. 11 | Drafts-1990's<br><i>2 Folders</i>  | 1990-1999 |
| b. 11 | Storytelling   | undated   |
| b. 11 | Postmod. maturity  | undated   |
| b. 11 | Foundations  | 1971-2006 |
| b. 11 | Rejections   | 1965-1991 |
| b. 11 | Rejections of <i>Autobiography</i>   | 1972-1975 |
| b. 11 | <i>Immaterial Nocturnes</i>  | 2001-2008 |
| b. 11 | <i>Gemini</i>  | 2001-2008 |
| b. 11 | Illuminations  | 2001-2008 |
| b. 11 | Drafts   | 2001-2008 |
| b. 11 | <i>Winter Journey</i>  | 2001-2008 |
| b. 11 | Permissions  | 1980      |
| b. 11 | Royalty statements   | 1964-1970 |
| b. 11 | Poetic income  | 1971-1979 |
| b. 11 | Columbia U. Press  | 1960-1990 |
| b. 11 | Consignment  | 1970-1979 |
| b. 11 | Young Am. Poets  | 1960-1990 |
| b. 12 | <i>Winter Journey</i><br><i>5 Folders</i>  | 1999-2007 |
| b. 12 | Wagner College   | 1963      |
| b. 12 | New School   | 1963      |
| b. 12 | <i>Nine Immaterial Nocturnes</i>   | 2003      |
| b. 12 | <i>The History of the Invitation; New &amp; Selected Poems 1963-2000</i><br><i>5 Folders</i> | 2001      |



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|-------|--|-----------------------|
| b. 12 | <i>New &amp; Selected Poems (1963-1983)</i><br>7 Folders       | undated               |
| b. 13 | North, proofs  | undated               |
| b. 13 | North correspondence   | 1970-1971             |
| b. 13 | Poetry workshop<br>3 Folders                                   | 1969-2003             |
| b. 13 | Poems - 1966   | 1966                  |
| b. 13 | Poems<br>7 Folders   | 1963-1979             |
| b. 13 | Collaborations   | undated               |
| b. 13 | "Lines for the New Year"                                       | 1964-1973             |
| b. 13 | Towle readings   | 1963-2012             |
| b. 13 | Reviews, intros, etc.  | 1960-1969             |
| b. 13 | Announcements<br>5 Folders<br>Also stored in: Oversize, Box 16 | 1960-2006             |
| b. 14 | Reviews<br>6 Folders<br>Also stored in: Oversize, Box 16       | 1970-2010             |
| b. 14 | Mentions   | 2002-2008             |
| b. 14 | Misc. art reviews, etc.  | 1970-1990,<br>undated |
| b. 14 | "Truth in Advertising"   | undated               |
| b. 14 | <i>Some Musical Episodes</i>                                   | undated               |
| b. 14 | Poetic income  | 1963-1977             |
| b. 14 | Prose (fiction)<br>3 Folders                                   | 1964-1979             |
| b. 14 | Prose (non-fiction)<br>2 Folders                               | 1971-2007             |
| b. 14 | <i>Memoir</i><br>3 Folders                                     | undated               |
| b. 14 | Bontecou notes   | undated               |
| b. 14 | Bontecou interview   | 1970                  |
| b. 14 | <a href="#">TT, ZP, BG re: 18 cantos</a>                       | 1967 July 25          |
| b. 14 | ULAE interview   | 1985                  |

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| b. 15 | Text for Grosman's posthumous NYU show | undated      |
| b. 15 | TT writings/int ULAE                   | 1966         |
| b. 15 | TT/L rivers                            | 1977 June 24 |
| b. 15 | ULAE diary<br><i>7 Folders</i>         | 1975-1978    |
| b. 15 | ULAE outline                           | 1979         |
| b. 15 | ULAE text                              | 1979         |
| b. 15 | Castleman books                        | undated      |
| b. 15 | Corcoran memoir                        | 1996         |
| b. 15 | Corcoran gallery                       | 1996-1998    |

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*0.08 linear feet (1 box)*

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| b. 16 | Announcements (In Series II) | 1970-2005 |
| b. 16 | Reviews (In Series II)       | 1970-2001 |

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## Restricted Material

*0.21 linear feet (1 box)*

Box 17 (Correspondence): Restricted until 1 January 2028. For further information consult the appropriate curator.

b. 17

Correspondence

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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.

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American literature -- 20th Century  
American poetry -- 20th Century  
Authors, American -- 20th Century  
Poets, American -- 20th Century -- Archives

### Occupations

Poets -- United States -- 20th Century

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Hershon, Robert, 1936-  
Hornick, Lita R., 1927-  
Koch, Kenneth, 1925-2002  
Lanham, Sheila Mae  
North, Charles, 1941-  
Olin, Jeni, 1974-  
Padgett, Ron, 1942-  
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Shapiro, David, 1947-  
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