

# Imagery Gallery Archive

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**Spowart, Doug, 1953-**

**Spowart, Ruby, 1928-2024.**

**Abstract** Material about Imagery Gallery and its directors, Doug and Ruby Spowart.

**Scope and content** The collection contains background and miscellaneous information about Imagery Gallery and its directors, Doug and Ruby Spowart; information about 203 exhibitions held at Imagery or associated with Imagery Gallery and/or its directors and visitor records associated with Imagery Gallery Exhibitions; information regarding competitions Doug and Ruby Spowart judged or may have entered and awards they won while Imagery Gallery operated; information about tours organised by Imagery Gallery; serials produced by Doug Spowart while Imagery Gallery operated; and information about the "Friends of Imagery" group associated with the gallery. Information is in the form of magazine clippings, newspaper clippings, photographs, negatives and slides, correspondence, records, serials, mock ups, drafts, didactics, cassette tapes, T-shirts, catalogues and ephemera. One pictorial collage on cardboard in Box 21329 O/S.

**System of arrangement** Arranged into 11 series.

**Description** administrative records, posters, audiocassettes, printed ephemera, exhibition catalogs, photographs, correspondence

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## Series 1: Miscellaneous (1980-1996)

**Series number** 1

**Series title** Miscellaneous

**Date** 1980-1996

### Scope and content

This series contains miscellaneous items about Imagery Gallery and its directors, Doug and Ruby Spowart. Items include pictures, advertisements, correspondence, T-shirts, cassette tapes; describe activities and projects; and provide background information.

### Description

**Description** Approximately 0 pictures Approximately 0 correspondence Approximately 0 advertisements Approximately 0 audiocassettes

**Locate** OMBOX Boxes 13292-13294 OMOSBOX Box 13297 O/S, Box 13403 O/S

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## Series 2: Exhibition records (1980-1996)

**Series number** 2

**Series title** Exhibition records

**Date** 1980-1996

### Scope and content

This series contains varied information for about 57 exhibitions held at Imagery Gallery or associated with Imagery Gallery and/or its directors. Solo exhibitors include Cecil Beaton, Graham Burstow, John Elliot, Peter Fischer, Nina Girling, Brett Goodman, Ian Hawthorne, Peter Liddy, Reg Morrison, Stephen Nash, Charles Page, Daniel Pons, Heide Smith, Julian Smith, Doug Spowart, Ruby Spowart, Antero Takala and Charles von Jobin, Ian Williams. Items may include pictures of exhibits and exhibitors; exhibition correspondence, T-shirts, catalogues and

ephemera; general information about artists and artist biographies. A list of exhibitions and visitor records can be found at the start of this series. This collection does not contain information for every Imagery Gallery exhibition listed. Information about exhibitions where a date and/or exhibition name could not be determined can be found at the end of the "Exhibitions records - 1992-1995" series in "Miscellaneous exhibitions". Exhibitions for awards held at Imagery Gallery are located in the "Exhibition records - 1980-1986, Exhibition records - 1987-1989, Exhibition records - 1990-1991, Exhibition records - 1992-1995 and Exhibition records - A3 series. All other exhibitions where awards are conferred are located in the "Competitions, Awards" series.

## Description

**Description** Approximately 0 administrative records

**Locate** OMBOX Boxes 13294-13296

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## Series 3: Exhibition records (1987-1989)

**Series number** 3

**Series title** Exhibition records

**Date** 1987-1989

### Scope and content

This series contains varied information for about 60 exhibitions held at Imagery Gallery or associated with Imagery Gallery and/or its directors. Solo exhibitors include Jacques Bourbulon, John Casey, John Elliot, Peter Fischer, Gail Hoger, Craig Holmes, Darren Leal, Ian Lever, Steve Parish, Manuel Petavrakis, Susan Pingel, Michael Richards, Rodger Schafer, Garry Sommerfield, Doug Spowart, Ruby Spowart, Stephanie Strange, Dennis Veal, Richard Waugh, Charles Zuber. Items may include pictures of exhibits and exhibitors; exhibition correspondence, T-shirts, catalogues and ephemera; general information about artists and artist biographies. A list of exhibitions and visitor records can be found at the start of the "Exhibition records - 1980-1986" series. This collection does not contain information for every Imagery Gallery exhibition listed.

Information about exhibitions where a date and/or exhibition name could not be determined can be found at the end of the "Exhibitions records - 1992-1995" series in "Miscellaneous exhibitions". Exhibitions for awards held at Imagery Gallery are located in the "Exhibition records - 1980-1986, Exhibition records - 1987-1989, Exhibition records - 1990-1991, Exhibition records - 1992-1995 and Exhibition records - A3 series. All other exhibitions where awards are conferred are located in the "Competitions, Awards" series.

## Description

**Description** Approximately 0 administrative records

**Locate** OMBOX Boxes 13298-13299

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## Series 4: Exhibition records (1990-1991)

**Series number** 4

**Series title** Exhibition records

**Date** 1990-1991

### Scope and content

This series contains varied information for about 39 exhibitions held at Imagery Gallery or associated with Imagery Gallery and/or its directors. Solo exhibitors include Paul Attwood, Robert Billington, John Casey, Bob England, Noel Graydon, Colin Harrison, Gail Hoger-Neumann, Brenda Lange, Susan Leway, Bob McMurray, Ian Poole, Roger Skinner and Anne Szilard-Oliver. Items may include pictures of exhibits and exhibitors; exhibition correspondence, cassette tapes, catalogues and ephemera; general information about artists and artist biographies. A list of exhibitions and visitor records can be found at the start of the "Exhibition records - 1980-1986" series. This collection does not contain information for every Imagery Gallery exhibition listed. Information about exhibitions where a date and/or exhibition name could not be determined can be found at the end of the "Exhibitions records - 1992-1995" series in

"Miscellaneous exhibitions". Exhibitions for awards held at Imagery Gallery are located in the "Exhibition records - 1980-1986, Exhibition records - 1987-1989, Exhibition records - 1990-1991, Exhibition records - 1992-1995 and Exhibition records - A3 series. All other exhibitions where awards are conferred are located in the "Competitions, Awards" series.

## Description

**Description** Approximately 0 administrative records

**Locate** OMBOX Box 13300, Box 13305

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## Series 5: Exhibition records (1992-1995)

**Series number** 5

**Series title** Exhibition records

**Date** 1992-1995

### Scope and content

This series contains varied information for about 47 exhibitions held at Imagery Gallery or associated with Imagery Gallery and/or its directors. Solo exhibitors include Robert Billington, Derek Christy, Al de Vito, Leslie Dixon, Frank Hince, Paul Hodges, Damien Krell, Alexander Kuznetsov, Richard Lodge, Stephen Nash, Cynthia O'Gorman, Malcolm Perkins, Ken Redpath, Doug Spowart, Ruby Spowart, Scott Strecker, Gordon Undy and Margaret Waller. Items may include pictures of exhibits and exhibitors; exhibition correspondence, T-shirts, cassette tapes, catalogues and ephemera; general information about artists and artist biographies. A list of exhibitions and visitor records can be found at the start of the "Exhibition records - 1980-1986" series. This collection does not contain information for every Imagery Gallery exhibition listed. Information about exhibitions where a date and/or exhibition name could not be determined can be found at the end of the "Exhibitions records - 1992-1995" series in "Miscellaneous exhibitions". Exhibitions for awards held at Imagery Gallery are located in the "Exhibition records

- 1980-1986, Exhibition records - 1987-1989, Exhibition records - 1990-1991, Exhibition records - 1992-1995 and Exhibition records - A3 series. All other exhibitions where awards are conferred are located in the "Competitions, Awards" series.

## Description

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**Locate** OMBOX Boxes 13306-13307

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## Series 6: Exhibition records (1983-1995)

**Series number** 6

**Series title** Exhibition records

**Date** 1983-1995

### Scope and content

This series contains varied information for about 93 exhibitions held at Imagery Gallery or associated with Imagery Gallery and/or its directors. Solo exhibitors include Paul Attwood, Jacques Bourbulon, John Casey, Derek Christy, Al de Vito, John Elliot, Bob England, Peter Fischer, Nina Girling, Brett Goodman, Frank Hince, Paul Hodges, Gail Hoger, Craig Holmes, Brenda Lange, Susan Leway, Peter Liddy, Bob McMurray, Stephen Nash, Cynthia O'Gorman, Charles Page, Malcolm Perkins, Manuel Petavrakis, Susan Pingel, Ian Poole, Ken Redpath, Michael Richards, Rodger Schafer, Doug Spowart, Ruby Spowart, Stephanie Strange, Scott Strecker, Antero Takala, Gordon Undy, Margaret Waller, Richard Waugh, Ian Williams and Charles Zuber. Items may include pictures of exhibits and exhibitors; exhibition correspondence, catalogues and ephemera; general information about artists and artist biographies. A list of exhibitions and visitor records can be found at the start of the "Exhibition records - 1980-1986" series. This collection does not contain information for every Imagery Gallery exhibition listed. Information about exhibitions where a date and/or exhibition name could not be determined can

be found at the end of this series. Exhibitions for awards held at Imagery Gallery can be found in this series. All other exhibitions where awards are conferred are located in the "Competitions, Awards" series.

## Description

**Description** Approximately 0 administrative records

**Locate** OMOSBOX Box 13297 O/S, Boxes 13401 O/S-13402 O/S

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## Series 7: Tours, lectures, workshops (seminars) (1980-1996)

**Series number** 7

**Series title** Tours, lectures, workshops (seminars)

**Date** 1980-1996

### Scope and content

This series contains information about tours, lectures and workshops by Imagery Gallery and its directors, Doug and Ruby Spowart. Imagery Gallery tours travelled throughout out-back Australia, New Zealand, Africa, Japan and China. Exhibitions associated with tours can be found in the "Exhibition records" series. Items include pictures, advertisements, correspondence, articles, travel brochures, drafts, mock-ups and provide background information.

## Description

**Description** Approximately 0 administrative records

**Locate** OMOSBOX Box 13402 O/S OMBOX Box 13308

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## Series 8: Competitions and awards (1982-1995)

**Series number** 8

**Series title** Competitions and awards

**Date** 1982-1995

### Scope and content

This series contains information about competitions and awards Doug and/or Ruby Spowart entered, won, judged or were interested in. Items include pictures, advertisements, cassette tapes, exhibition catalogues, correspondence, mock-ups, and articles. Exhibitions for awards held at Imagery Gallery can be found in the Exhibition records series, all other exhibitions where awards are conferred can be found here.

## Description

**Description** Approximately 0 pictures Approximately 0 audiocassettes Approximately 0 exhibition catalogs Approximately 0 correspondence Approximately 0 advertisements

**Locate** OMBOX Boxes 13308-13309

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## Series 9: Serials (publications) (1990-2000)

**Series number** 9

**Series title** Serials (publications)

**Date** 1990-2000

### Scope and content

This series contains information about News Sheet and PHOTO.Graphy, two journals produced by Doug Spowart (ISSN PHOTO.Graphy 1038-4332). Items include select issues, mock ups and correspondence.

### Description

**Description** Approximately 0 serials (publications)

**Locate** OMBOX Box 13309 OMOSBOX Box 13402 O/S OMOSBOX Box 13403 O/S

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## Series 10: Associations (1980-1995)

**Series number** 10

**Series title** Associations

**Date** 1980-1995

### Scope and content

Scope and content : This series contains information about "Friends of Imagery", a small group of photographic enthusiasts who met regularly to discuss and participate in photography. The directors of Imagery Gallery collected ephemera about this group, most of which can be found in the "Exhibition records" series.

## Description

**Description** Approximately 0 printed ephemera

**Locate** OMBOX Box 13309

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## Series 11: Posters (1980-1995)

**Series number** 11

**Series title** Posters

**Date** 1980-1995

### Scope and content

This series contains posters associated with Imagery Gallery and/or its directors.

## Description

**Description** Approximately 0 posters

**Locate** OMOSBOX Boxes 13389 O/S-13390 O/S, Box 13403 O/S

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