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Summary information

Repository: University of Miami Cuban Heritage Collection

Title: Andrew Giel Photograph Collection

ID: CHC5256

Date: 1955-1959 (date of creation)

Physical description: Boxes

Language: Spanish

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**Dates of creation,
revision and deletion:**

Scope and content

Andrew Giel visited Cuba as a tourist 10 times between September 1955 and December 1959, traveling as far as Trinidad in Santi Spíritus. Fifty years later, Mr. Giel printed 8 x 10 enlargements from the original transparencies. Those prints are found in this collection. They include views from across the island, including Havana, Trinidad, and Santiago de Cuba. The collection also includes color prints of the black and white photography and photographic reproductions of Cuban postcards from the 1950s. The 1955 slides were made with an Argus C4 camera and the later slides with a Leica IIIF.

Notes

Title notes

Immediate source of acquisition

In 2009, Mr. Giel donated 74 black and white photographs of his travels to Cuba. In 2016, he donated 145 color prints. The 2018 donation consisted of photographic reproductions of tourist postcards from Cuba and Haiti, originally published in the 1950s, as well as reproductions of color photographs taken by Mr. Giel on trips to Haiti from 1956 to 1963.

Arrangement

The photographs in Box 1 are arranged chronologically and numerically in Box 2 in an effort to maintain Mr. Giel's original order.

Alternative form available

A portion of this collection has been digitized.

Restrictions on access

This collection is open for research.

Conditions governing use

Requests to publish or display materials from this collection require written permission from the rights owner. Please, contact chc@miami.edu for more information.

Related material

Materials related to Haiti were transferred to Special Collections when they were donated in 2018.

Other notes

- **Publication status:** Published
- **Description identifier:** ArchonInternalCollectionID:1064

Access points

- Photographs (documentary form)
- Country life -- Cuba (subject)
- Historic buildings -- Cuba -- Havana (subject)
- Havana (Cuba) -- Pictorial works (place)

Series descriptions

Ref code	Title	Dates	Access status	Container
id7692	File -			1
id7693	File -	1955		1 1
id7694	File -	1956		1 2
id7695	File -	1957		1 3
id7696	File -	1958		1 4
id7697	File -	1959		1 5