INDIANAPOLIS ARCHITECTURE WORK FILES, 1973-1979

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HISTORICAL SKETCH

Indianapolis Architecture was published by the Indiana Architectural Foundation in 1975. The book was put together by the Architectural Guidebook Committee, comprised of 12 volunteers, and was sponsored by a local chapter of the American Institute of Architects. It was the first comprehensive guide to the city's architecture. The foundation's objective was to produce a major publication featuring the city's architectural heritage within its respective neighborhoods in order to highlight the physical elements that characterize Indianapolis, provide a historic overview of the development of the city, and increase awareness of local architecture and its influence on day-to-day life.

The first printing of the book sold out within months, and it was then reprinted two more times. In 1993, to introduce readers to the city's architectural developments since the previous publication, the foundation published an updated guidebook, titled *Indianapolis Architecture: Transformations Since 1975*.

Sources:

Materials in collection

Indianapolis Architecture. Indianapolis, IN: Indiana Architectural Foundation, 1975. *Indianapolis Architecture: Transformations Since 1975*. Indianapolis, Ind: Indiana Architectural Foundation, 1993.

SCOPE AND CONTENT NOTE

This collection contains the Indiana Architectural Foundation's work files regarding the 1975 publication of *Indianapolis Architecture*. The materials cover the entire publication process from 1973 to 1975; from the first manuscripts to the final drafts.

Series 1 contains correspondence and administrative and informational materials regarding the publication of *Indianapolis Architecture*.

Series 2 contains lists of buildings and images included in the publication and multiple drafts and notes pertaining to the Circle, Mile Square, Northside, North Delaware Street, State Capitol, and Washington Street sections of the book.

Series 3 contains oversize layouts of pages from *Indianapolis Architecture*. Photographs were originally glued to the pages, but have been removed and arranged separately in **Series 7**.

Series 4 contains slides of buildings, streets, and interiors around Monument Circle. Slides are arranged roughly alphabetically. Unidentified slides are arranged together.

Series 5 contains slides of buildings, streets, interiors, and sculptures in the Mile Square area of downtown Indianapolis. Slides are arranged roughly alphabetically. Unidentified slides are arranged together.

Series 6 contains slides of buildings and streets on the Northside of Indianapolis. Slides are arranged roughly alphabetically. Unidentified slides are arranged together.

Series 7 contains photographs, contact sheets, halftones, and negatives corresponding to images used in the book. Many of these photographs were used in the Series 3 page layout arrangements and are thus arranged by the page number they were published on. Additional photographs that were not published and unidentified photographs are arranged separately. All photographs are undated. Many images from the contact sheets have been cut apart and separated; they have been rearranged roughly by subject. Halftones and negatives of several prints are also included.

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