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Alfred Stieglitz Key Set



Alfred Stieglitz
American, 1864 - 1946

From the Back- Window—291

1915

platinum print

image: 23 x 18.3 cm (9 1/16 x 7 3/16 in.)

sheet: 25.3 x 20.2 cm (9 15/16 x 7 15/16 in.)

Alfred Stieglitz Collection 1949.3.370

Stieglitz Estate Number 12A

Key Set Number 418

KEY SET ENTRY

Related Key Set Photographs



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Remarks

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For information about the buildings in this view, see Key Set number 417.

Stieglitz Collections

A corresponding print was given to the following institution(s) by Alfred Stieglitz during his lifetime, or was received or acquired from the estate:

The Metropolitan Museum of Art, New York, 49.55.35

Lifetime Exhibitions

A print from the same negative—perhaps a photograph from the Gallery's collection—appeared in the following exhibition(s) during Alfred Stieglitz's lifetime:

possibly 1921, New York (no. 46, as *Buildings, Night, Snow*, 1915, from the series "From the Back-Window—291")

INSCRIPTION

by Alfred Stieglitz, on mount, center verso, in graphite: 1915 / from "291"

by later hand, on mount, lower left verso, in graphite: 12 A

PROVENANCE

Georgia O'Keeffe; gift to NGA, 1949.

EXHIBITION HISTORY

1989 *On the Art of Fixing a Shadow: 150 Years of Photography*, National Gallery of Art, Washington, DC, May 7–July 30, 1989; The Art Institute of Chicago, September 16–November 26, 1989; Los Angeles County Museum of Art, December 21, 1989–February 25, 1990

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2002 Alfred Stieglitz: Known and Unknown, National Gallery of Art, Washington, DC, June 2–September 2, 2002; The Museum of Fine Arts, Houston, October 6, 2002–January 5, 2003

2015 In Light of the Past: Celebrating Twenty-Five Years of Collecting Photographs at the National Gallery of Art, Washington, DC, May 3–July 26, 2015

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