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Alfred Stieglitz Key Set

Alfred Stieglitz
American, 1864 - 1946

Hands—Alma Wertheim

1922

palladium print
image: 18.7 × 23 cm (7 3/8 × 9 1/16 in.)
sheet: 20.2 × 25.2 cm (7 15/16 × 9 15/16 in.)
mount: 57.1 × 46.3 cm (22 1/2 × 18 1/4 in.)
Alfred Stieglitz Collection 1949.3.526
Stieglitz Estate Number 82D
Key Set Number 736

KEY SET ENTRY

Related Key Set Photographs

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Remarks

Alma Morgenthau Wertheim, wife of Maurice, collected O'Keeffe's work and was a supporter of the Intimate Gallery. In 1928 Stieglitz donated two portraits of O'Keeffe to The Metropolitan Museum of Art in Wertheim's name.

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:

Museum of Fine Arts, Boston, 24.1730 (inscribed: Hands—Alma Wertheim / Photograph by / Alfred Stieglitz/ New York / negative & print / made by Alfred Stieglitz / 1922 / Print 3 from / this negative)

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:

1923, New York (nos. 52–58, as *Alma Wertheim*, 1922)

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INSCRIPTION

by Georgia O'Keeffe, on mount, center, in graphite: Alma Hands; lower left: Treated by Steichen for stain 5/49

by Doris Bry, on mount, lower left verso: 82 - D

by later hand, on mount, upper left verso, in graphite: 82 D; center left verso: QQEx; lower right verso: 091

PROVENANCE

Georgia O'Keeffe; gift to NGA, 1949.

EXHIBITION HISTORY

1958 Photographs by Alfred Stieglitz, National Gallery of Art, Washington, DC, March 16–April 27, 1958

BIBLIOGRAPHY

1958 Bry, Doris. *Exhibition of Photographs by Alfred Stieglitz*. Exh. cat. National Gallery of Art, Washington, 1958: no. 83.

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