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Note: Discard 1986 list of categories.

PAPER CONSERVATION CATALOGUE

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Each major category is identified by a specific number to facilitate indexing and cross-referencing.

Each treatment category (13 - 31) is broken down into six subheadings: Purpose, Factors to Consider, Materials and Equipment, Treatment Variations, Bibliography and Special Considerations. Each of these subheadings can be further outlined as shown for 1.4 below, i.e. with treatment variations numbered 1.4.1, 1.4.2, 1.4.3, etc.

1. Major Treatment Category

Definition:

- 1.1. Purpose
 - 1.2. Factors to Consider
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 - 1.4. Treatment Variations
 - 1.4.1.
 - 1.4.2.
 - A.
 - B.
 - 1.
 - 2.
 - a. (etc.)
- 1.5. Bibliography
- 1.6. Special Considerations

Bibliography can be annotated to the extent that the subject dictates.

Special considerations can take many forms. It may include extended essays relating to the material in the preceding outline. It can offer a critical review of the existing literature. It can evolve into a dialogue between conservators with complementary or dissenting viewpoints.

Special considerations material is segregated from the broader body of outlined information in an effort to keep the outline simple enough for easy reference.

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Participation is encouraged both for the outlines below and for those which have not yet been begun.

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Contributor: contributes to discrete areas within a specific category outline. Contribution can be anything from a sentence to an essay.

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1. Fiber Identification
Expressed interest: K. Carey, A. Craddock
2. Media Identification
Expressed interest: K. Carey, M. Cohn, T. Jirat-Wasiutynski
- *3. Media Problems (1985)
Compiler: N. Ash
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Expressed interest: D. Chandler (pastels stretched on supports), R. Couch, J. Goldman (Japanese), T. Jirat-Wasiutynski, N. Jones (iron gall ink), H. Meriams, W. Phelan, J. Thompson, T. Owen
4. Support Problems
Expressed interest: K. Bachmann (blue prints, tracings), M. Cohn, V. Blyth-Hill (collage and composite pieces), T. Jirat - Wasiutynski, A. Maheux, J. Thompson, K. Zukor.
5. Condition Forms and Description
Expressed interest: J. Klinger
- *6. Visual Examination (1986)
Liaison: N. Ash
Compiler: T. Jirat-Wasiutynski
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Expressed interest: K. Carey

7. Authentication
Expressed interest: K. Carey, M. Cohn
8. Documentation
9. Instrumental Analysis
Expressed interest: A. Craddock, M. Mickelson
10. Spot Tests

- +13. Mold and Foxing Treatments
Liaison: S. Bertalan
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Expressed Interest: M. Hey
14. Dry Cleaning
Expressed interest: J. Mankowski
15. Hinge, Tape and Adhesive Removal

- +16. Washing
Liaison: T. Vitale
Compiler: T. Vitale
Expressed interest: H. Burgess, R. Couch, A. Dwan,
T. Jirat-Wasiutynski, J. Thompson, K. Carey, M. Cohn,
J. Mankowski

- +17. Sizing
Liaison: D. Hamburg
Compiler: W. Henry
Expressed interest: B. Fiske (problems), K. Carey

18. Solvent Treatments

- +19. Bleaching
Liaison: D. van der Reyden
Compilers: H. Burgess, D. van der Reyden
Expressed interest: H. Burgess, K. Keyes (sun), J. Thompson, K.
Carey

- *20. Alkalization and Neutralization (1985)(Bibliography and Special
Considerations 1986)
Liaison: K. Nicholson
Compiler: R. Couch
Contributors: M. Cohn, A. King, K. Nicholson, R. Parliament,
R.D. Smith, D. van der Reyden
Expressed interest: H. Burgess, K. Carey

- +21. Enzyme Treatments
Liaison: A. Craddock
Compilers: J. Klinger, R. Wolbers
Expressed interest: T. Owen, Pia De Santis

- *22. Humidification (Draft 1984)
Compilers: D. Hamburg, D. van der Reyden
Expressed interest: H. Szczepanowska

- +23. Consolidation/Fixing/Facing
Compiler: K. Maynor, S. Rodgers
Contributors: D. Thomas, J. Thompson, F. Zieske
Expressed interest: H. Burgess, K. Garlick, J. Goldman, W. Henry,
K. Carey, J. Stone

- *24. Backing Removal (1985)
Liaison: M. Mickelson
Compilers: P. Mohr
Contributors: M. Mickelson
Expressed interest: D. Evans, B. Futernick, K. Carey, M. Cohn

- *25. Mending (1984)
Compilers: N. Ash, K. Nicholson
Expressed interest: K. Carey, M. Cohn, J. Mankowski

- *26. Filling of Losses
Liaison: M. Mickelson, T. Vitale
Compilers: D. Evans, B. Futernick
Contributors: N. Ash, C. Baker, K. Buchberg, M. Cohn, K. Eirk,
L. Hollander, A. King, J. London, M. Mickelson, P. Mohr, K.
Nicholson, F. Perez, S. Rodgers, D. van der Reyden, T. Vitale
Expressed interest: K. Carey, J. Mankowski

- +27. Suction Table Treatments
Liaison: T. Vitale
Compilers: M. Ellis, M. Weidner
Expressed interest: M. Dirda, R. Futernick, S. Michalski, E.
Schulte, C. Smith, J. Stone

- *28. Drying and Flattening (1984)
Compilers: D. Hamburg, T. Vitale
Expressed interest: K. Carey, M. Cohn, J. Mankowski, H.
Szczepanowska, J. Stone

- +29. Lining
Liaison: A. Dwan
Compiler: A. Owen
Contributors: T.J. McClintock, P. Volent
Expressed interest: K. Carey, M. Cohn

- 30. Mounting

- 31. Inpainting
Expressed Interest: M. Cohn

- +40. Matting and Framing
Liaison: S. Bertalan
Compilers: H. Phibbs, J. Lyle
Expressed interest: M. Lebwohl, J. Thompson, M. Cohn,
J. Klinger

- 41. Encapsulation
Liaison: T. Vitale
Compilers: C. Atwood, C. Clark Morrow, B. Minter, P.
Spitzmuller, P. Waters
Expressed interest: K. Carey

- 42. Lamination and Impregnation
Expressed interest: '87 - B. Shaw

- 43. Environment

- 44. Exhibition/Storage

- 45. Transportation/Packing
Expressed interest: J. Klinger

- +46. Adhesives
Liaison: D. van der Reyden
Compiler: C. Smith
Expressed interest: J. Mankowski, J. Stone

- 47. Materials/Tools/Equipment
Expressed interest: C. Smith

- 48. Pest Control and Fumigation
Expressed interest: K. Carey, J. Klinger, J. Mankowski

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