

Fundamentals of the Conservation of Photographs

SESSION: Introduction to Negatives and Negatives

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SESSION OUTLINE

ABSTRACT

Identification and the history of the negatives. How the negatives are made and of which materials.

LEARNING OBJECTIVES

As a result of this session, participants should be able to identify different types of negatives by looking and or testing by simple methods. Tell from witch periods the different negative techniques were used in practice.

CONTENT OUTLINE

PowerPoint presentation and practical examination on a sample collection, and discussion.

BIBLIOGRAPHY

□ = Essential reading material

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SESSION OUTLINE CONT'D.

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