

# Collections Management for Small Museums

## Selected Resources

### Readings

- A Legal Primer on Managing Museum Collections*, 2nd edition. Marie C. Malaro. Smithsonian Institution Press, 1998.
- The Museum Forms Book*, 3rd edition. Perry, Kenneth D., ed. Texas Association of Museums, 1999.
- The New Museum Registration Methods*, 4th edition. Rebecca A. Buck and Jean Allman Gilmore, eds. American Association of Museums, 1998.
- Registration Methods for the Small Museum*, 3rd edition. Daniel B. Reibel. AltaMira Press / American Association for State & Local History, 1997.
- Nomenclature 3.0 for Museum Cataloging: Third Edition of Robert G. Chenhall's System for Classifying Man-Made Objects*. Paul Bourcier, Ruby Rogers, and The Nomenclature Committee. AltaMira Press / American Association for State & Local History, 2009.
- Things Great and Small: Collections Management Policies*. John Simmons. American Association of Museums, 2006.

### Online Resources

- The Information Center on the American Alliance of Museum's website ([www.aam-us.org](http://www.aam-us.org)). You must be an AAM member to access the Information Center.
- The Northern States Conservation Center offers an online class called The Basics of Museum Registration. Visit <http://www.collectioncare.org/catalog/online-training> for more information.
- The Registrar's Committee of the American Association of Museum website: [www.rcaam.org](http://www.rcaam.org).
- The National Park Service's *Museum Handbook Part II: Museum Records* is available at <https://www.nps.gov/museum/publications/handbook.html>.



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