



AMERICAN FOLK ART MUSEUM ARCHIVES



NEH Oral History Talk: Regina Carra The American Folk Art Museum Archives

- **DATE:** Thursday, May 16, 2024
- **TIME:** 1:00pm-2:30pm
- **PLACE:** Room E-255

Oral History in Interdisciplinary Community College Pedagogy: Centering the Community in the Classroom (<https://oralhistory.commonsgc.cuny.edu>) is funded by the National Endowment of Humanities (NEH) for 2023-2025 to introduce oral history techniques to community college faculty's pedagogical practices.

Abstract: Regina Carra, Rapaport Archivist at the American Folk Art Museum, will discuss the intersections of art and oral history, specifically addressing how oral history can provide context to art and, conversely, how art can unlock meaning in an oral history interview. Her talk will discuss how oral history recordings and transcripts can be deployed to diversify visual arts exhibitions and transformed through performance to promote deeper listening and empathy.

The presentation is open to the college and everyone in the college community is welcome to attend. For more information about the event, contact the project website (<https://oralhistory.commonsgc.cuny.edu>) or Thomas Cleary ([✉ tcleary@lagcc.cuny.edu](mailto:tcleary@lagcc.cuny.edu) / 📞 (718) 482-5434).