

## **Guide to the Hard Rock Cafe Neon Guitar Sign Sketch**

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## Summary Information

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<b>Repository:</b>	University of Nevada, Las Vegas. University Libraries. Special Collections and Archives.
<b>Creator:</b>	Ono, Shirley
<b>Title:</b>	Hard Rock Cafe Neon Guitar Sign Sketch
<b>ID:</b>	MS-00840
<b>Date [inclusive]:</b>	1990
<b>Physical Description:</b>	0.59 Cubic Feet (1 framed item)
<b>Physical Description:</b>	1.48 Linear Feet
<b>Language of the Material:</b>	English
<b>Abstract:</b>	Collection is comprised of a framed sketch of the neon guitar sign that was fabricated by YESCO for the Hard Rock Cafe in Las Vegas, Nevada circa 1990. It was hand-colored by the designer Shirley Ono, framed, and presented as a gift to Warwick Stone, Creative Director of the Hard Rock Cafe chain from 1982-1996, who commissioned the design.

### Preferred Citation

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## Scope and Contents Note

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## Administrative Information

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### Acquisition Note

Materials were donated in 2017 by Warwick Stone; accession number 2017-022.

### Processing Information

The collection was processed and described by Tammi Kim in 2017 at the time of accessioning. No further work was performed on the materials.

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## Related Materials

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### Related Collections

The following resources may provide additional information related to the materials in this collection:  
Young Electric Sign Company (YESCO), 1920-1995. MS-00403. Special Collections, University Libraries, University of Nevada, Las Vegas. Las Vegas, Nevada.

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## Names and Subjects

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- Neon signs
- History -- Las Vegas -- Nevada
- Hard Rock Hotel and Casino

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## Collection Inventory

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Title/Description	Containers
Framed sketch of the Hard Rock Cafe neon guitar, 1990	