

This is How We Roll
Shoes Group Installation Manual

HIST 9807: Introduction to Museology

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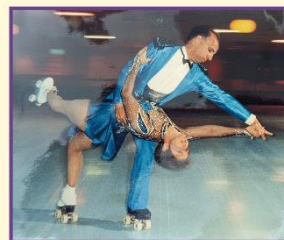
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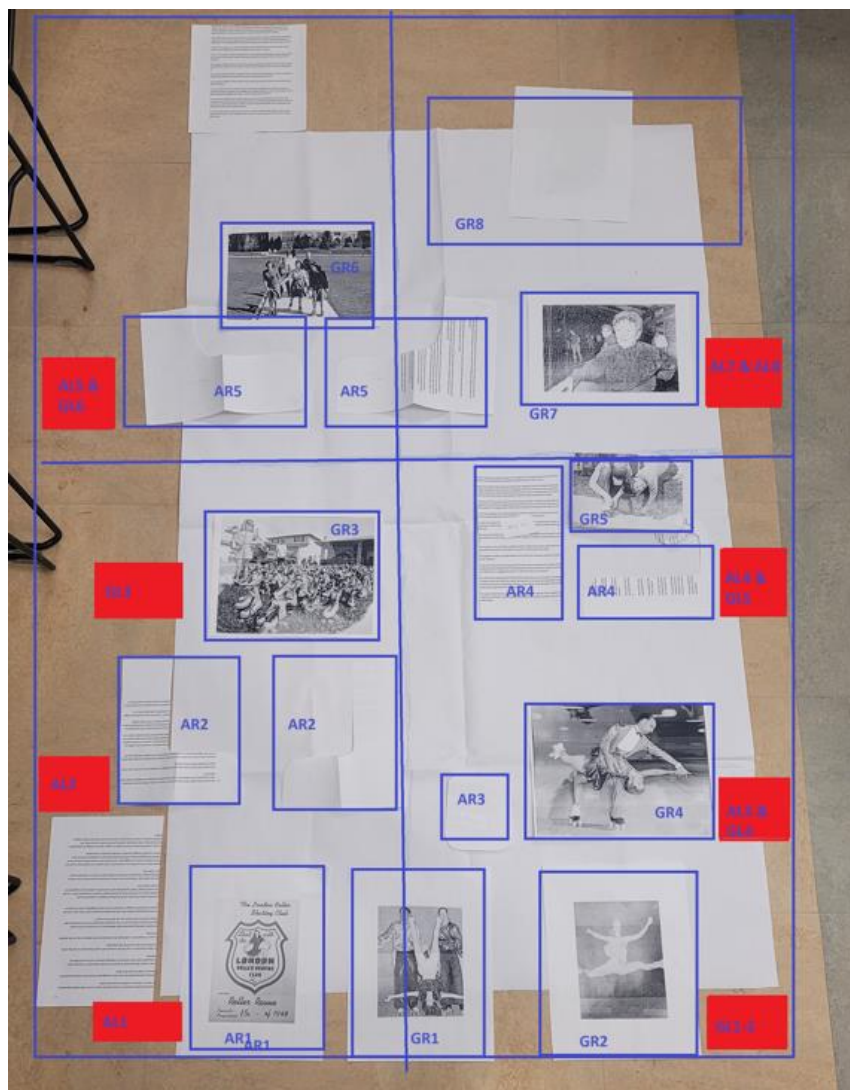
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**"I USED TO GET KICKED
OFF THE ARENA FOR
SKATING TOO FAST...
BUT I'D GO BACK AND
SKATE FAST TILL THEY'D
KICK ME OFF AGAIN"**



Supplies required for installation:

- One text panel to be affixed to the wall next to the case (outside)
- Five Artefact Labels (AL1-5)
- Five Artefacts (AR1-5)
- Three plexi-glass shelves
- One plexi-glass mount
- Eight Printed Graphics (GR1-8)
- Eight Graphic Labels (GL1-8)
- 1/4" foamcore for mounting the graphics
- 1 Introductory Panel (Outside Case)
- Wedge mounts + foam wheel stops
- Large Background graphic (Sized to case)



Installation Instructions

BOTTOM OF CASE ACROSS LEFT/RIGHT LOWER QUADRANTS:

London Roller Skating Club Pamphlet (AR1): Pamphlet is placed on angled display wedge mount on the bottom base of the case on the far left.

London Roller Skating Club Pamphlet Label (AL1): Label is displayed to left of pamphlet

London Roller Skating Club Photos (GR1-2) Photos are placed on angled display wedge mount on the bottom base of the case in centre and far right.

London Roller Skating Club Photo Labels (GL1-2): Labels for both photos are displayed to the right of GR2.

LOWER LEFT QUADRANT:

Riedell Roller Skates Museum London 2008.009.002 (AR2): Roller Skates are displayed on a plexiglass shelf with toes pointed inward, towards each other. Placement of the right boot is 28cm from the bottom of the case and 56cm from the right side of the case. Leave an approximately 5-10 cm gap between toe points.

Riedell Roller Skates Museum London Label (AL2): Is displayed to left of skates on the plexiglass shelf.

Photo of Kristen Manzari (GR3): Photo is mounted on foamcore and positioned above AR2. Bottom right corner of graphic measures 57cm from the bottom of the case and 58 cm from the far side of the case.

Photo of Kristen Manzari Label (GL3): Is mounted to the left of GR3.

LOWER RIGHT QUADRANT:

Roller Skate Brooch (AR3): Displayed on black or dark background mount. Bottom right corner of the mount measures 21 cm from the bottom of the case and 39 cm from the far right of the case.

Roller Skate Brooch (AL3): Mounted w/ GL4 to the right of both AL2 & GR4.

Photo of Gary and Catherine Devine (GR4): Photo is mounted on foamcore. Bottom right corner of the photo measures 21 cm from the bottom of the case and 10 cm from the far right of the case.

Photo of Gary and Catherine Devine Label (GL4): Mounted to the right of GR4.

Strap skates Museum London 1985.034.002 (AR4): Right skate is displayed on a plexiglass shelf measuring 57 cm from the bottom of the case and 10 cm from the far right side of the case. Right skate has the toe pointed to the left. Left skate is vertically mounted with wheels to the back of the case, pointing downwards. Bottom of the left skate should be just above the plexiglass shelf.

Strap skates Museum London Label (AL4): Mounted to the right of AR4 with GL5.

Photo of two boys attaching their strap skates (GR5): Photo is mounted on foamcore with bottom right corner of photo measuring 70cm from the bottom of the case and 10-12 cm from the far right of the case, depending on location of strap from AR3.

Photo of two boys label (GL5): Mounted to the right of AR4 with AL4.

UPPER LEFT QUADRANT:

Riedell Roller Skates Museum London 2008.009.001 (AR5): Roller Skates are displayed on a plexiglass shelf with toes pointed inward towards each other. Placement of the right boot is 99cm from the bottom of the case and 38 cm from the right side of the case. Leave an approximately 5-10 cm gap between toe points.

Riedell Roller Skates Museum London Label: (AL5): Displayed on shelf to the left of AR5 along with GL6.

UWO Students Rollerskating (GR6): Photo is mounted on foamcore and positioned above AR4. Bottom right corner of the graphic measures 115 cm from the bottom of the case and 58 cm from the far side of the case.

UWO Students Rollerskating Label (GL6): Displayed on shelf to the left of AR5 along with AL5.

UPPER RIGHT QUADRANT:

Photo of Mrs. Mary Holmes (GR7): Photo is mounted on foamcore. Bottom right corner of the photo measures 99cm from the bottom of the case and 10 cm from the far right of the case.

Photo of Mrs. Mary Holmes Label (GL7): Label is mounted to the right of GR7 with GL8.

Quote from Mrs. Mary Holmes (GR8): Printed out and mounted on foam core above GR7. (Exact dimensions to be determined based on visibility.)

Quote from Mrs. Mary Holmes label (GL8): Label is mounted to the right of GR7 with GL7.

OUTSIDE CASE:

Exhibit Text: Align exhibit text with **AR2**. This can be changed depending on how the neighbouring windows are setting their exhibit labels.

Text data sheet

- **AL1 - London Roller Skating Club Pamphlet Label**

Collection of the London Room.

Souvenir Program from the London Roller Skating Club, 1948.

- **AL2 - Riedell Roller Skates Museum London Label**

Collection of Museum London, 2008.

Rental Roller Skates used at the North London Community Centre, c. 1950s. Manufactured by Riedell Shoes.

2008.009.002

- **AL3 - Roller Skate Brooch**

Collection of Museum London, 1975.

Rhinestone Studded Roller Skate

1975.047.042

- **AL4 - Strap skates Museum London Label**

Collection of Museum London, 1985.

Strap skates, c. 1930s.

1985.034.002

- **AL5 - Riedell Roller Skates Museum London Label**

Collection of Museum London.

Riedell Roller Skates.

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- **GL1/2 - London Roller Skating Club Labels**

Members of the London Roller Skating Club show off their skating skills during the 1948 Roller Revue hosted by the club

Collection of the London Room.

Souvenir Program from the London Roller Skating Club, 1948

Collection of the London Room.

- **GL3 - Photo of Kristen Manzari Label**

Kristen Manzari and her brother pose with their father's 600 pairs of roller skates that form their summer skating program in St. Thomas and Port Stanley.

London Room: Neg. June 18/91.

- **GL4 - Photo of Gary and Catherine Devine Label**

Gary and Catherine Devine, three time Canadian roller skating champion, show off their winning moves.

London Room: Neg. June 4/87.

- **GL5 - Photo of two boys label**

Two boys attach their strap on skates to their shoes.

London Room: Neg. April 7/69.

- **GL6 - Photo of UWO Students Rollerskating Label**

UWO Students find creative solutions to gasoline ration legislation during the Second World War by adopting roller skates to get around campus.

London Room: BOX A12-069-001 / FILE AFC 363-S1-I9

- **GL7 - Photo of Mrs. Mary Holmes Label**

Mrs. Mary Holmes enjoys a turn around the rink at the age of 67, remembering meeting her husband skating 50 years prior.

London Room: LFP March 3/93.

- **GL8 - Quote from Mrs. Mary Holmes label**

Hamilton, Cheryl. 'Skating all in the Family'

London Free Press, June 26/72.

- **External Exhibit Panel Text**

The popularity of roller skating leaps and falls over its 142 year history, but remains a popular pastime for Londoners, young and old alike. Mary Holmes comments on how it even affects her husband's sleep: 'I start to dream about skating. I jump and spin in my dreams even though I can't do that at all really. Poor George - he doesn't get any sleep' (LFP June 26, 1972). From the opening of the Princess Rink on Queens Ave in 1882, the closing of the London Arena in 1973, and continuing with the current family skating nights at the North London Community Centre, one aspect has remained constant: Londoners have always engaged in roller skating as an energetic, fun, community-building activity whether it be outdoors or at multiple indoor arenas. Roll-on!