Learning Places Fall 2016 Archive/Library Reflection 3 Interference Archive

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The Occupied Wall Street Journal was composed as an unofficial newspaper for the "Occupy Wall Street" movement. The movement first started back in September 2011 in Zuccotti Park, Lower Manhattan. Protestors furious over economic inequality as the top 1% own nearly half of the country's wealth. A result of how politics have been bought and the imapet they have to make the rich even richer. The movement influence similar demonstrations not only all over the country but on a global scale. A mix of young adults, activists, educators, labor unions, and other professionals represent the movement as the other 99% and fight against the rising gap between rich and poor.



An exhibition catalog where the focal point is presenting different strategies to fight for affordable housing against ethnic and financial issues. Almost seventy percent of NYC's residents live in two million apartments. Around half of these apartments are compensated by rent regulation, control and stabilization. Everyday a decreasing amount of those apartments are being compensated due to the result of the declining rent regulation system, predatory equity, and abusive landlords. It has not stop the people of NYC to regularly establish the right to live somewhere that is unified and at a reasonable cost.

Research Questions:

What collections does the Interference Archive have and what makes it significant? What plans does the archive have or expect in the future?