

# Basic Detail Report

**Title Michael Smith Performing in Downtown Hartford**

Date 1978

Primary Maker Wayne Fleming

Medium Photography; color slide on plastic in cardboard mount

Description Slide depicting performance artist Michael Smith standing on a sidewalk wearing shorts, a striped button-down shirt, a tie, sunglasses, and a hard hat. He is holding a small plastic jack-o'-lantern on a stick. On the large planter behind him, there is a hand-lettered cardboard sign that reads, "[ON?]E SIZ FITS ALL FASHION-[?]UNT / SHOW." In the background, an African-American woman is standing on the sidewalk holding a piece of paper. Taken during a Thursday is a Work of Art event in Hartford.