



Birmingham Civil Rights Institute is a large interpretive museum and research center in Birmingham, Alabama that depicts the struggles of the Civil Rights Movement in the 1950s and 1960s.



Upcoming Exhibit in Vann Gallery

“Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. & the Chicago Freedom Movement: Photographs by Bernard J. Kleina,”
will be in the Vann Gallery from July 26-December 31, 2016

These photographs of Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. in Chicago in 1966 are some of the first color photographs that the world saw of Dr. King. Mr. Kleina captured one of the most violent missions Dr. King undertook, and it wasn't in the Deep South. Kleina is a Civil Rights photographer, but this show in particular is some of his best, marking the 50th anniversary of the Chicago Freedom Movement.