

Ungar, Frederick; Papers

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Summary Information

Repository: M.E. Grenander Department of Special Collections & Archives

Title: Frederick Ungar Papers

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Date [inclusive]: 1931-1989

Physical Description: 11.12 cubic ft.

Physical Location: The materials are located onsite in the department.

Language of the

English, German.

Material:

Abstract: This collection contains correspondence, book catalogs, and research

materials of Frederick Ungar, especially those relating to the Frederick

Ungar Publishing Company.

Preferred Citation

Preferred citation for this material is as follows:

Identification of specific item, series, box, folder, Frederick Ungar Papers, 1931-1989. M.E. Grenander Department of Special Collections and Archives, University Libraries, University at Albany, State University of New York (hereafter referred to as the Ungar Papers).

Biographical History

Frederick Ungar was born and educated in Vienna, where he founded Phaidon Verlag and Saturn Verlag. He founded the Frederick Ungar Publishing Company in 1941 and directed it from its offices in New York City for more than forty years. Ungar edited or introduced many volumes on German and Austrian literature. Frederick Ungar died in 1989. Some titles from the Frederick Ungar Publishing Company are now owned by the Continuum International Publishing Group.

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Scope and Contents

The collection contains correspondence with Bruno Bettlehem, Franz Rudolf Bienenfeld, Edward L. Ericson, Erich Fromm, Alexander Gode, Fritz Hochwlder, Norman Lear, Robert Lohan, Viktor Mateja, Thomas Mann, Jan Masaryk, Will Schaber (with translations into German), Joseph Liutpold Stern (with manuscripts of poetry), Ernst Waldinger, Marie Weiss, Thornton Wilder, and others; Ungar's notebooks, 1959-1968; working materials for Ungar's unpublished German-English dictionary, 1945-1957; copies of early imprints, and catalogs and other promotional publications of the Frederick Ungar Publishing Company, 1941-1988. There also are subject files, including ones about honors and awards, biographical materials, A. Gode, Austrian in poetry and history, the American Pictorial Encyclopedia, the Barash arbitration, and American women writers.

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Arrangement of the Collection

The collection is unprocessed, but there is a general arrangement at the box level.

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Processing Information

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Controlled Access Headings

- Literature
- Publishers and publishing -- Austria
- Authors, Exiled
- Correspondence
- Manuscripts
- Notebooks
- Book catalogs
- Ungar, Frederick
- Fromm, Erich, 1900-1980
- Gode, Alexander, 1906-1970

Frederick Ungar Publishing Company

Collection Inventory

Title/Description	Instances	
Frederick Ungar Publishing Company Dust Jacket Covers, Undated	Box 1 (Frederick Ungar Papers)	Item 1
Correspondence re: German-English Dictionary, 1947-1955	Box 2 (Frederick Ungar Papers)	Item 1
Subject Files and Correspondence, A-Ba, 1963-1983	Box 3 (Frederick Ungar Papers)	Item 1
Subject Files and Correspondence, Be-E, 1940-1989	Box 4 (Frederick Ungar Papers)	Item 1
Subject Files and Correspondence, F-K, 1948-1985	Box 5 (Frederick Ungar Papers)	Item 1
Subject Files and Correspondence, L-S, 1941-1986	Box 6 (Frederick Ungar Papers)	Item 1
Subject Files and Correspondence, U, 1940-1987	Box 7 (Frederick Ungar Papers)	Item 1
Subject Files and Correspondence, V-W, 1949-1986	Box 8 (Frederick Ungar Papers)	Item 1
Subject Files and Correspondence, W-Z, 1975-1985	Box 9 (Frederick Ungar Papers)	Item 1
Miscellaneous Correspondence, 1948-1981	Box 10 (Frederick	Item 1

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Correspondence re: German-English Dictionary, Including Files of Correspondence with Robert Lohan, 1943-1957	Box 11 (Frederick Ungar Papers)	Item 1
Materials for Unpublished Dictionary, 1947-1956	Box 12 (Frederick Ungar Papers)	Item 1
Notebooks, 1959-1968	Box 13 (Frederick Ungar Papers)	Item 1
Catalogs and Brochures from Frederick Ungar Publishing Company as well as Other Publishers, 1969-1970Undated	Box 14 (Frederick Ungar Papers)	Item 1
Catalogs, Brochures, and Dust Jackets from Frederick Ungar Publishing Company, 1972Undated	Box 15 (Frederick Ungar Papers)	Item 1
Catalogs, Brochures, Dust Jackets, and News Releases from Frederick Ungar Publishing Company, Undated	Box 16 (Frederick Ungar Papers)	Item 1
Early Galleys and Imprints, Undated	Box 17 (Frederick Ungar Papers)	Item 1
Catalogs from Frederick Ungar Publishing Company, Undated	Box 18 (Frederick Ungar Papers)	Item 1
Materials for Unpublished Dictionary, 1952Undated	Box 19 (Frederick Ungar Papers)	Item 1
Calendars/Monthly Planners, 1957-1964	Box 20 (Frederick Ungar Papers)	Item 1
Dust Jackets and Correspondence, 1963-1985	Box 21 (Frederick Ungar Papers)	Item 1
Books Published by Frederick Ungar Publishing Company as well as Other Publishers, 1931-1974	Box 22 (Frederick	Item 1

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Books Published by Frederick Ungar Publishing Company as well as Other Publishers, 1937-1988	Box 23 (Frederick	Item 1	
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