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Summary Information

Repository:	Rare Book and Manuscript Library
Title:	Eastern European Independent Press Collection
ID:	11541153
ID:	BAR#0546
Date [inclusive]:	1989-1992
Physical Description:	33 linear feet 80 boxes
Language of the Material:	English , Russian .

Preferred Citation

Identification of specific item; Date (if known); East European Independent Press Collection; Box and Folder; Bakhmeteff Archive, Rare Book and Manuscript Library, Columbia University Library.

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Biographical / Historical

Since 1989, in response to opportunities presented by Perestroika and changes throughout the Communist block in Eastern Europe, Columbia University Libraries has undertaken a broad and extensive effort to collect newspapers, periodicals, leaflets, posters and other materials documenting the activities of different parties and organizations emerging as the result of the sudden collapse of Communism.

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Biographical / Historical

The collection documents and illustrates the transition to democracy (1988-1991) in this region, and the first free elections throughout the Soviet Union and Eastern Europe. The extensive collecting effort was halted in 1992 upon the collapse of the Soviet Union.

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Summary

More than 2000 titles of periodicals and newspapers (many of them complete runs), as well as thousands of leaflets, broadsides and posters. Titles includes: Antisovetskaia Pravda, Armianskii Vestnik, Atmoda, Azadlyg, Baltiiskoe Vremia, Belarusskaia Tribuna, Chernoe Znamia, Demokraticheskaia Gazeta, Demokraticheskaia Rossiia, Edalet, Ekspres-khronika, Evrei i Perestroika, Evreiskaia Gazeta, Golos Kurda, Romania Libera, Carpatische Rundschau, to name just a few.

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Arrangement

Arranged in two series. Periodicals and newspapers are arranged by title in alphabetical order (Latin alphabet). Leaflets are arranged by broad subjects and by issuing organization (also alphabetically).

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Administrative Information

Publication Statement

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Revision Description

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Restrictions on Access

This collection is located off-site. You will need to request this material at least three business days in advance to use the collection in the Rare Book and Manuscript Library reading room.

Restrictions on Access

This collection has no restrictions.

Immediate Source of Acquisition

Source of acquisition--Slavic bibliographer. Method of acquisition--Purchase; Date of acquisition--1993.

Ownership and Custodial History

Purchased by the Slavic bibliographer, and sent to RBML in 1993, with small additions still being added as of 2000.

Processing Information

Papers Listed, PTL 9/25/2015.

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Accruals

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Related Materials

Related RBML Collections:

[Soviet Independent Press Collection](#). Columbia University Libraries.

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Controlled Access Headings

- Perestroika
- Europe, Eastern
- Leaflets (printed works)
- Periodicals

Collection Inventory

Series I: Publications	
Title/Description	Instances
#s:	
22	box 23
22 (cont'd) -- 24 ore	box 24
A:	
A Het -- Adevarul (nos. 1-150)	box 1
Adevarul (nos. 153-325)	box 2
Adevarul (nos. 326-527) -- Adevarul in Libertate	box 3
Advokatskii Vestnik -- Aven Amenta, Romale	box 4
Azi	box 5
Azi (cont'd)	box 6

B:

Baricada -- Bulgaria	box 7
Buzunar	box 8
C:	
Catavencu	box 8
Centrum Demokratyczne -- Contrapunct	box 9
Contrast -- Czas Krakowski	box 10
Czechoslovakia	box 11
D:	
Democratia	box 11
Demokraticzna Sedmitsa -- Demokratiia (nos. 1-88)	box 12
Demokratiia (nos. 89-200)	box 13
Demokratiia (nos. 201-300)	box 14
Demokratiia (nos. 301-350)	box 15
Demokratiia (nos. 353-450)	box 16
Demokratiia (nos. 451-567)	box 17
Demokratiia '91 -- Dimineata (nos. 3-18[277])	box 18
Dimineata (nos.19[277]-108[367])	box 19
Dimineata (nos. 103[368]-198[457])	box 20
Dimineata (nos. 200[459]-253[512]) -- Dreptatea	box 21
Dreptatea (cont'd) -- Duma	box 22
E:	
Echimox -- Ekopolitika	box 25
Elif -- Expres	box 26
Expres (cont'd) -- Expres Magazin	box 27
F:	
FSZDL News -- Flacara	box 28
Flagrant	box 29
G:	
Gazeta Wyborcza	box 29
Gazeta Wyborcza (cont'd)	box 30
Gdan'ska Alternativa -- Goniec Zoliborski	box 31
H:	

Helikon -- Hungarian Observer	box 32
Hungarian Panorama	box 33
K:	
Karpaten Rundschau	box 33
Kelet Nyuget -- Knizevne Noviny	box 34
Komitet Organizacyjny -- Kuryr	box 35
L:	
Leo -- Lidove Noviny	box 36
Lidove Noviny (cont'd)	box 37
Lidove Noviny (cont'd)	box 38
Lidove Noviny (cont'd)	box 39
Lidove Noviny (cont'd)	box 40
Lidove Noviny (cont'd)	box 41
Lidove Noviny (cont'd)	box 42
Lidove Noviny (cont'd)	box 43
Lidove Noviny (cont'd)	box 44
Listy do Polako'w -- Lumea Azi	box 45
Lumea Democratiei	box 46
M:	
Makedonska Tribuna	box 46
Malopolska -- Monitorul de Lasi	box 47
Moravske Listy	box 48
N:	
Narodno-Zemledelsko Zname	box 48
Narodno-Zemledelsko Zname (cont'd)	box 49
Narodno-Zemledelsko Zname (cont'd)	box 50
Nasi Razglei -- Nu	box 51
O:	
Obcanske Hnuti--Opinia	box 52
Opinia (cont'd) -- Ovdje	box 53
P:	
Palatul de Justitie -- Podnikatel	box 54

Pogled -- Pravda	box 55
Pravo Lidu	box 56
R:	
Revansa	box 56
Revista Cultului Mozaic -- Romania Libera	box 57
Romania Libera (cont'd)	box 58
Romania Libera (cont'd)	box 59
Romania Libera (cont'd)	box 60
Romania Libera (cont'd)	box 61
Romania Libera (cont'd)	box 62
Romania Literara	box 63
Romania Mare -- Rzeczpospolita	box 64
S:	
Samorzadnos'c' Robotnicza -- Strict Secret	box 65
Studentske Listy -- Svoboden Narod	box 66
Svoboden Narod (cont'd)	box 67
Svoboden Narod (cont'd)	box 68
Svoboden Narod (cont'd) -- Szabadzag	box 69
T:	
Tara -- Tineretul Liber	box 70
To i Owo -- Tygodnik Solidarnos'c'	box 71
Tygodnik Solidarnos'c' (cont'd)	box 72
V:	
Vek 21	box 72
Vek 21 (cont'd)	box 73
Venkov -- Vitorul	box 74
Vitorul (cont'd) -- Wiadomosci	box 75
W:	
Wiadomosci Dnia -- Zemledelsko Zname	box 76
Z:	
Zemledelsko Zname (cont'd) -- Zycie Warszawy	box 77

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Series II: E.E.I.P. Leaflets	
Title/Description	Instances
Agrarian Union (Hungary) -- Obcanske Forum (Czechoslovakia)	box 1
Organization of the "Left Wing Alternative" (Hungary) -- Political Parties (Bulgaria)	box 2
Polska Wspolnota Narodowa -- Wiadomosci Ruchu Pokoju	box 3

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