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## Summary Information

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<b>Repository:</b>	Rare Book and Manuscript Library
<b>Creator:</b>	Ebersole, Laurence H
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<b>Date [inclusive]:</b>	2000-2014
<b>Physical Description:</b>	.21 linear feet 1 half-size document box
<b>Language of the Material:</b>	English .
<b>Abstract:</b>	This collection documents the work of Laurence H. Ebersole with Amnesty International Puget Sound (AIPS), as well as Local Group 4 and several campaigns, the Seattle Amnesty International Film Festival, and membership mobilization.

### Preferred Citation

Identification of specific item; Date (if known); AIUSA Laurence H. Ebersole Papers, 2000-2014; Box and Folder; Center for Human Rights Documentation and Research, Rare Book and Manuscript Library, Columbia University Library.

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## Biographical / Historical

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Laurence H. Ebersole joined AIUSA as a member in 1985 in San Francisco, where he worked on Urgent Actions. In 1998 he moved to Seattle, and has worked there with Local Group 4 from 2000 to the present. He also works with AI of Puget Sound (AIPS), a cluster of all AIUSA local and student groups in the Puget Sound area. Ebersole's positions with AIPS have included Information Coordinator (2000-2003), Chair (2004-2007), and Interim Treasurer (2006-2007). Ebersole also served as a Steering Committee Member in Washington State AIUSA Ending Violence Campaign,; member of the Seattle Human Rights Film Festival Planning Committee (2002-2009). He currently serves as Area Coordinator in Washington State (2004-present),

Meeting Facilitator for AIUSA Local Group 4 of Seattle, and human rights advocate with Edith Garwood's AI and AIUSA Working Group on Israel/Occupied Palestinian Territories/Palestine Authority (2012-present).

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## Summary

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The collection documents human rights advocacy and events by Amnesty International Puget Sound (AIPS), as well as Local Group 4, and includes information on several campaigns, the Seattle Amnesty International Film Festival, and membership mobilization. The collection contains reports, printed webpages, clippings, and correspondence.

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## Arrangement

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This collection is arranged in one series.

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### **Revision Description**

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### **Restrictions on Access**

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### **Restrictions on Access**

This collection has no access restrictions.

### **Immediate Source of Acquisition**

Source of acquisition--Laurence H. Ebersole. Method of acquisition--Deposit; Date of acquisition--03/10/2015.

### **Ownership and Custodial History**

The papers were originally donated by Laurence H. Ebersole to RBML on March 10, 2015.

### **Processing Information**

Papers Accessioned ptl 3/10/2015.

### **Processing Information**

Processed by Carolyn Smith in 2018. Finding aid written by Carolyn Smith in June 2018.

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## Controlled Access Headings

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- Human rights
- Women's rights
- Seattle (Wash.)
- AIDS activists
- HIV (Viruses)
- Human rights film festivals
- Human rights in motion pictures
- Middle East
- Ebersole, Laurence H
- Amnesty International
- Amnesty International USA

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## Collection Inventory

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### Series I: General, 2000-2014

#### Scope and Contents

This collection contains documents on security, women's rights, events and work in the Seattle area, and Middle East advocacy. It remains in its original order. Extensive notes on the material were included by Ebersole and can be found in Box 1, folder 1.

Title/Description	Instances	
Background Information Written for Archive, 2014	box 1	folder 1

Security and Human Rights, 2012	box 1	folder 2
Economic Rights, Women's Rights, General, 2011	box 1	folder 3
Seattle Human Rights Film Festival, 2008-2009	box 1	folder 4
Amnesty International Puget Sound (AIDS), 2004-2005	box 1	folder 5
AIUSA Local Group 4 of Seattle, 2003-2012	box 1	folder 6
Middle East Advocacy, 2005-2010	box 1	folder 7
Coalitions and Advocacy, 2008-2012	box 1	folder 8

**Scope and Contents**

Includes USB flash drive

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