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Summary Information

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Biographical / Historical

Rachel Anne (Reynolds) Purpura was a graduate student at Columbia University's New York School of Social Work during 1942-1943. Her career focused on the reform of institutional bureaucracy. She volunteered in several committees at the central branch of the Brooklyn YWCA. As an undergraduate, she majored in Economics and Sociology, and received her B.A. degree from Mount Holyoke College in 1940.

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Summary

Ms. Purpura's papers consist primarily of class notes and term papers from various courses taken at The New York School of Social Work. In addition, the collection includes course outlines, reading lists, bibliographies, interviews, case studies observations, newspaper clippings, and magazine reprints.

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Arrangement

Ms. Purpura's papers are arranged in three series.

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Controlled Access Headings

- Schools of social work
- Social work education -- Curricula -- United States
- Social work education -- United States

- Social work with youth
- Sociology -- Outlines, syllabi, etc
- Purpura, Rachel Anne, 1918-
- New York School of Social Work
- New York School of Social Work. Association of Group Work Students

Collection Inventory

Series I: Courses, 1942-1943

Scope and Contents

This series consists of Ms. Purpura's class notes and term papers associated with graduate courses taken at The New York School of Social Work. The papers also include course syllabi, bibliographies, and reading lists.

Title/Description	Instances	
Courses		
11943 April-May	box 1	folder 1
1A, 1942 July-August	box 1	folder 2
3A, 1942 July-August	box 1	folder 3
5A, 1943 January-March	box 1	folder 4
81943 June-August	box 1	folder 5
18, undated	box 1	folder 6
20, 1942 November-December	box 1	folder 7
20A, circa, 1942	box 1	folder 8
25, 1943 February-March	box 1	folder 9
25A, 1943 January-March	box 1	folder 10
51, 1943	box 1	folder 11
52, 1942 May-June	box 1	folder 12
54, 1943 February-March	box 1	folder 13
61, 1942	box 1	folder 14
70, 1943 February-December	box 1	folder 15
75, 1943 June-July	box 1	folder 16
82, 1943	box 1	folder 17
87, 1942 April-June	box 1	folder 18
88, 1943 May-July	box 1	folder 19

90, circa, 1943	box 1	folder 20
116, 1942 October	box 1	folder 21
180, 1943 April-June	box 1	folder 22
181, 1943 April-June	box 1	folder 23
190, 1943 January-March	box 1	folder 24
291, 1943 June-August	box 1	folder 25

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Series II: Case Works, 1943

Scope and Contents

These files contain Ms. Purpura's observations, bibliographies, and information used for assigned case studies in the field of group work.

Title/Description	Instances	
Case Works		
11943 March-June	box 1	folder 26
1A, circa, 1943	box 1	folder 27
Course Program Bibliographies, circa, 1943	box 1	folder 28

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Series III: Biographical, 1942-1943

Scope and Contents

This series include Ms. Purpura's typed application summary for The New York School of Social Work. Also included is a certification from the Welfare Council for completion of the Brooklyn Orientation Training Course for Volunteers in Group Work.

Title/Description	Instances	
Biographical, 1942-1943	box 1	folder 29

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