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Summary Information

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Biographical / Historical

German physicist. Arthur Korn was Professor at the University of Munich, 1895-1908, and the University of Berlin, 1914-1939. Korn came to the United States in 1939. Author of FREIE UND ERZUNGENE SCHWINGUNGEN, 1910, HANDBUCH DER PHOTOTELEGRAPHIE UND TELAUTOGRAPHIA, 1911, and studies in mathematical physics and the theory of potentials, he is credited with the first telegraphic transmission of photographs over circuit, in 1904.

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Summary

Autograph letters and postcards from European physicists and mathematicians to Korn. There are brief as well as long and technical letters, some sent to Korn as editor of PHYSIKALISCHE BERICHTE, some on the presentation of papers at French and German academies, some discussing theories of mathematical physics, and some of a personal nature. Among the correspondents are Albert Einstein, Emile Picard, Max Planck, and Wilhelm Roentgen.

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Controlled Access Headings

- Physikalische Berichte
- Mathematical physics -- Research
- Potential theory (Mathematics)
- Physics -- Research -- Germany
- Physicists
- Einstein, Albert, 1879-1955
- Picard, Emile, 1856-1941
- Planck, Max, 1858-1947
- Röntgen, Wilhelm Conrad, 1845-1923
- Universität München -- : Faculty

Collection Inventory

Arthur Korn letters	
Title/Description	Instances
Bertrand, Joseph, Paris, To [Arthur Korn], 1898-10-17	box 1

Scope and Contents

a.l.s., 3p.

Bjerknes, Carl Anton, Christiana, Norway, To Arthur Korn, Feb - 14 March 1898 box 1

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a.l.s., 23p.

Bjerknes, Carl Anton, Christiana, Norway, To [Arthur Korn], 1899-06-28 box 1

Scope and Contents

a.l.s., 3p.

Bjerknes, Carl Anton, Christiana, Norway, To Arthur Korn, 1901-04-19 box 1

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a.l.s., 3p.

Bjerknes, Vilhelm Friman Koren, Stockholm, To Arthur Korn, 1903-10-29 box 1

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a.l.s., 8p

Bjerknes, Vilhelm Friman Koren, Stockholm, To (Arthur Korn), 1906-03-26 box 1

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a.l.s., 4p.

Cailletet, Louis Paul [Paris] To [Arthur Korn], 1903-05-20 box 1

Scope and Contents

a.l.s., 2p.

Carathéodory, Constantin, Munich, To [Arthur Korn], 1934-10-19 box 1

Scope and Contents

a.l.s., 3p.

Debye, Peter, Munich, To Arthur Korn, 1921-10-13 box 1

Scope and Contents

a.p.c.s.

Einstein, Albert, Berlin, To Arthur Korn, 1920-01-28 box 1

Scope and Contents

t.p.c.s.

Einstein, Albert, Berlin, To Arthur Korn, 1926-06-23 box 1

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Hilbert, David, Göttingen, To Arthur Korn, 1923-06-26 box 1

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a.p.c.s.

Klein, Felix, Göttingen, To Arthur Korn, 1900-11-26 box 1

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Ladenburg, Rudolph Walter, Berlin, To [Arthur Korn],
undated box 1

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a.l.s., 7p.

Lasker, Emanuel, Berlin, To Arthur Korn, 1929-02-20 box 1

Scope and Contents

a.l.s., 1p.

Lichtenstein, Leon, Leipzig, To (Arthur Korn), 1929-11-04 box 1

Scope and Contents

a.l.s., 3 p.

Lorentz, Hendrik Antoon, 1853-1928, Haarlem, To [Arthur
Korn], 1913-08-13 box 1

Scope and Contents

a.l.s., 1p.

Neumann, Karl Gottfried [Leipzig?], To [Arthur Korn],
1899-12-31 box 1

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Picard, Emile, 1856-1941, Paris, To Arthur Korn,
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1907-11-19 box 1

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Picard, Emile, 1856-1941, Paris, To Arthur Korn,
1913-12-06 box 1

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Picard, Emile, 1856-1941, Paris, To [Arthur Korn],
1914-04-05 box 1

Scope and Contents

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Planck, Max, 1858-1947 Berlin, To Arthur Korn,
1926-01-13 box 1

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Planck, Nax, 1858-1947, Berlin, To Arthur Korn,
1910-10-21 box 1

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Poincaré, Henri, to (Arthur Korn), undated box 1

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Roentgen, Wilhelm Konrad, Munich, To [Arthur Korn],
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Roentgen, Wilhelm Konrad, Munich, To [Arthur Korn],
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Roentgen, Wilhelm Konrad, Munich, To (Arthur Korn), 1906-12-15 box 1

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Schrödinger, Erwin, Zurich, To Arthur Korn, 1926-11-03 box 1

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Schrödinger, Erwin, Zurich, To Arthur Korn, 1927-07-16 box 1

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Schwarz, Hermann Amandus Berlin, To [Arthur Korn], 1905-12-29 box 1

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Sommerfeld, Arnold Johannes Wilhelm, Munich, To [Arthur Korn], 1908-01-09 box 1

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Steklov, Vladimir Andreevich, Kharkov To [Arthur Korn], [1900] box 1

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Steklov, Vladimir Andreevich, Kharkov To [Arthur Korn], 1902-06-06 box 1

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Steklov, Vladimir Andreevich Kharkov, To [Arthur Korn], 1903-03-23 box 1

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Volterra, Vito, Rome, To [Arthur Korn], 1910-01-05 box 1

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Watson, George Neville, Birmingham, England, To Arthur Korn, 1932-09-26 box 1

Scope and Contents

t.l.s., 2p. (mathematical formulas are added in the author's hand)

Zaremba, Stanislaw, Krakow, To [Arthur Korn], 1904-06-21 box 1

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