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## Summary Information

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<b>Repository:</b>	Rare Book and Manuscript Library
<b>Creator:</b>	Williamson, Charles C (Charles Clarence), 1877-1965
<b>Title:</b>	Charles C. Williamson papers
<b>ID:</b>	4079481
<b>ID:</b>	MS#1356
<b>Date [inclusive]:</b>	1900-1965
<b>Physical Description:</b>	50 boxes 50 boxes
<b>Language of the Material:</b>	English .

### Preferred Citation

Identification of specific item; Date (if known); Charles C. Williamson papers; Box and Folder; Rare Book and Manuscript Library, Columbia University Library.

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## Biographical / Historical

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From 1926 to 1943 Williamson served as Director of the Columbia University Libraries and Dean of the Columbia School of Library Service. Upon retirement he remained active in educational circles as a member of the Greenwich Association for the Public Schools and as consultant to the Connecticut Commission for Educational Television.

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## Summary

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Correspondence of Williamson covering his college years and his positions at Bryn Mawr College, the New York Public Library, the Carnegie Foundation, and the Rockefeller

Foundation. A significant portion of Williamson's Columbia University correspondence and memoranda is addressed to or related to Roger Howson, University Librarian from 1926 to 1940. The manuscripts, chiefly typescripts, are concerned with library science and educational topics. Also, clippings and pamphlet files with some related correspondence and typescripts dealing with education and particularly the use of television as a teaching aid.

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## Arrangement

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Listed and arranged.

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### Publication Statement

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### Revision Description

PDF replaced with full finding aid, YH June 2020

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## Immediate Source of Acquisition

Source of acquisition--Williamson, Mrs. C. C. Method of acquisition--Gift; Date of acquisition--1965. Accession number--M-65.

## Processing Information

Cataloged Christina Hilton Fenn 09/--/89.

## Accruals

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## Controlled Access Headings

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- Education -- Connecticut -- Greenwich
- Academic libraries -- New York (State) -- New York
- Education -- Societies, etc
- Academic libraries -- Pennsylvania -- Bryn Mawr
- Library science
- Library education
- Library schools
- Television in education
- Librarians
- College administrators
- College teachers
- Howson, Roger, 1882-1962
- Bryn Mawr College
- New York Public Library
- Carnegie Foundation for the Advancement of Teaching

- Rockefeller Foundation
- Columbia University. Libraries
- Greenwich Association for the Public Schools (Greenwich, Conn.)
- Columbia University. School of Library Service
- Connecticut Commission for Educational Television

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## Collection Inventory

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<b>Charles C. Williamson papers, 1900-1965</b>	
<b>Title/Description</b>	<b>Instances</b>
Correspondence, 1900-1945	box 1
Correspondence, 1920-1965	box 2
"Training for Library Work", typescript manuscript, 1921	box 2
Correspondence: Howson, Roger, 1934-1937	box 3
Manuscripts: Typescripts, including speeches	box 4
Manuscripts: Miscellaneous notes	box 5
Manuscripts: "Standardization and the Library"	box 5
Bibliography and books	box 6
Catholic Church, Clippings	box 7
Catholic Church, Clippings	box 8
Catholic Church, Clippings	box 9
Comunism, Clippings and Notes	box 10
Education, Clippings, 1957-1961	box 11
Education, Clippings and Pamphlets	box 12
Education, Clippings and Pamphlets	box 13
Education, Greenwich, Connecticut	box 14
Education, Greenwich, Connecticut	box 15
Education, Greenwich Association for the Public Schools	box 16
Education, Greenwich Association for the Public Schools	box 17
Education, Notes	box 18
Education, Pamphlets	box 19
Education, Pamphlets	box 20
Education, Pamphlets	box 21

Education, Connecticut	box 22
Education, Subject Folders, A - M	box 23
Education, Subject Folders, N - T	box 24
Educational Television, Correspondence	box 25
Educational Television, Pamphlets	box 26
Educational Television, Pamphlets	box 27
Educational Television, Subject Folders & Miscellaneous Reports	box 28
Educational Television, Williamson's Typescripts	box 29
Radio-TV Advertising, Clippings	box 30
Radio-TV Advertising, Clippings	box 31
Miscellaneous Subject Folders, A-Col	box 32
Miscellaneous Subject Folders, Con-G	box 33
Miscellaneous Subject Folders, H-Ph	box 34
Miscellaneous Subject Folders, Po-Q	box 35
Miscellaneous Subject Folders, R-Ra	box 36
Miscellaneous Subject Folders, Re-S	box 37
Miscellaneous Subject Folders, U-Z	box 38
"Who's Who in Connecticut"	box 38
<b>Scope and Contents</b>	
Typescript copy with related biographical clippings	
Photographs	box 38
<b>Scope and Contents</b>	
2 copies with additions and correction by Williamson	
"Who's Who in Library", 1933	box 38
Clippings	box 39
Clippings	box 40
Clippings	box 41
Clippings	box 42
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Miscellaneous Printed Matter	box 47
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Williamson's correspondence files	box 48
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**Scope and Contents**

Correspondence, manuscripts, documents, and printed material loaned by Mrs. Williamson to Paul A. Winckler for use in preparing Winckler's 1968 New York University Ph.D. thesis on C.C. Williamson.

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Documents, memorabilia and printed material.	box 50
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