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## Summary Information

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<b>Repository:</b>	Rare Book and Manuscript Library
<b>Creator:</b>	Diamond, Sigmund
<b>Title:</b>	Sigmund Diamond papers
<b>ID:</b>	4079812
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<b>Date [inclusive]:</b>	1950-1990
<b>Physical Description:</b>	52 linear feet ca. 62,300 items in 125 boxes
<b>Language of the Material:</b>	English .

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

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## Biographical / Historical

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Sigmund Diamond (1920-1999), Giddings Professor of Sociology and Emeritus Professor of History, Columbia University, 1955-1986.

Sigmund Diamond was born in Baltimore, Md. on 14 June 1920 and died in Norwich CT on 14 October 1999. He was educated at Johns Hopkins University A. B. 1940, Harvard University, Ph. D. 1953. He spent his career at Columbia University assistant professor then professor of historical sociology 1955 He wrote and edited numerous books including *The Nation Transformed* 1963, *The Soviet Union Since Khrushchev*, 1965, *In Quest: Journal of an Unquiet Pilgrimage*, 1980, and *Compromised Campus: The Collaboration of Universities with the Intelligence Community, 1945-1955* 1992. He served as Editor *Political Science Quarterly* from 1963 on.

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## Summary

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Correspondence, manuscripts, subject files and research notes of Sigmund Diamond. Included among the correspondence are Diamond's letters to and from various distinguished members of Columbia University and other academic institutions, as well as correspondence with many noted sociologists and historians. Included in the manuscripts is Diamond's "In Quest." The subject files comprise material from Diamond's tenure at Columbia and include some material pertaining to his forced departure from Harvard in the 1950's due to his previous communist affiliation, and his active role in maintaining the efficacy of the Freedom of Information Act. The research files include microfilms and notes.

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## Arrangement

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Cataloged correspondence, Box 1; Arranged correspondence, Boxes 1-26; Arranged manuscripts, Boxes 27-30; Subject files, Boxes 31-38; Research files, Boxes 89-112; Printed materials, Boxes 113-124; Miscellaneous printed material, Box 125.

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### **Revision Description**

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### **Immediate Source of Acquisition**

Gift of Sigmund Diamond, 1990.

### **Processing Information**

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## **Controlled Access Headings**

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- Sociology -- Study and teaching

- History -- Study and teaching
- Social problems
- Communism -- United States
- United States -- Social conditions
- United States -- Politics and government -- 1945-1953
- Addresses
- Articles
- Bibliographies
- Budgets
- Financial papers
- Lectures
- Lists (document genres)
- Memorandums
- Notebooks
- Notes (documents)
- Photographs
- Photographic prints
- Oral histories (literary works)
- Questionnaires
- Reports
- Reviews (documents)
- Speeches (documents)
- Surveys (documents)
- Tables
- Testimonies
- Theses
- Transcripts
- Sociologists
- Authors, American
- College teachers
- Historians
- Bundy, McGeorge
- Kissinger, Henry, 1923-
- Stern, Isaac, 1920-2001
- United States. Federal Bureau of Investigation
- Columbia University
- Columbia University. Bureau of Applied Social Research
- Harvard University
- Columbia University -- Faculty
- Students for a Democratic Society (U.S.)

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## Collection Inventory

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### Series I: Catalogued Correspondence

Title/Description	Instances
Isaac Stern	box I

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### Series III: Arranged Manuscripts

Title/Description	Instances
"In Quest"	box 27
"In Quest"	box 28
"In Quest" <u>Physical Description</u> : Photocopies	box 29
"In Quest" <u>Physical Description</u> : Financial reports, photocopies, miscellaneous	box 30
Transcript of oral history	box 31
Early version of paper delivered at American sociological association	box 31
"A casual view of America"	box 31

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### Series IV: Subject Files

#### Subseries IV.1: Columbia University

Title/Description	Instances
GSAS committee Executive committee on curriculum	box 31a
GSAS committee Executive committee on curriculum	box 31b
GSAS committee Executive committee on curriculum	box 32
GSAS committee Executive committee on curriculum	box 33
GSAS committee Executive committee on curriculum	box 34
Executive committee Reports & printed material	box 35
Executive committee Reports & printed material	box 36
Executive committee Reports & printed material	box 37
Committees, commissions, senate & misc.	box 38
Committees, commissions, senate & misc.	box 39

Committees, commissions, senate & misc.	box 40
Committees, commissions, senate & misc.	box 41
Faculty housing	box 42
Institute of early American history and culture	box 42
Fulbright	box 42
Committees & conferences	box 43
Sabbaticals	box 43
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Sub-committee on Ph.D. program in Architecture and urban planning	box 44
University Senate	box 45
University housing & rent protests	box 46
Bicentennial celebration	box 47
--Hudson institute project	box 47
--Evaluation--Rutgers	box 47
School of Public Health	box 48
Commission on academic priorities in arts & sciences	box 49
--Disciplinary committee	box 49
--Student disorders	box 49

### Series IV.2: Sociology Department

Title/Description	Instances
Chairperson of sociology dept.	box 50
Director of graduate studies	box 51
Director of graduate studies	box 52
Director of graduate studies	box 53
Oral exams	box 54 & 55
Student papers	box 56
Student papers	box 57
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Sociology department--Legitimation--Historical sociology for graduates	box 70
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### Series V: Miscellaneous Subject Files

Title/Description	Instances
American Academy of Arts and Sciences	box 72
ACLS	box 73
Behavioral & Social Sciences Survey Committee	box 74
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Conferences & trips	box 76
Etzioni, Amitai	box 77
Etzioni, Amitai	box 78
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Grants	box 80
National Endowment for the Humanities	box 81
National Research Council Behavior modification therapy	box 82
Political Science Quarterly	box 83
--Jewish Social Studies	box 83
Publishers - contracts, correspondence	box 84
Serge Lang	box 85
Serge Lang	box 86

Miscellaneous academic: National science fund; Short term lectureships; Director of scholars, 1979-80; Miscellaneous, 1980	box 87
Institute for Advanced Studies NYU appointment & lectures, Vassar	box 88

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## Series VI: Research Files

Title/Description	Instances
Anti-semitism	box 89
Anti-semitism	box 90
Bilingualism project	box 91
Bilingualism project	box 92
Freedom of information	box 93
Freedom of information	box 94
Jewish materials - organizations & projects	box 95
Jewish materials - organizations & projects	box 96
Jewish materials - organizations & projects	box 97
Miscellaneous files	box 98
Miscellaneous files	box 99
Notes for bibliography on background of civilization & notes on colonization	box 100
Miscellaneous notes on notecards	box 100
Miscellaneous notes on notecards	box 101
Miscellaneous notes on notecards	box 102
Miscellaneous notes on notecards	box 103
Miscellaneous notes on notecards	box 104
Photocopies from archives nationales & bibliotheque nationale	box 105
Photocopies from archives nationales & bibliotheque nationale	box 106
Photocopies from archives nationales & bibliotheque nationale	box 107
Photocopies from archives nationales & bibliotheque nationale	box 108

Microfilm from archives de ministere	box 109
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### Series VII: Printed Materials

Title/Description	Instances
Articles, speeches & reprints	box 113
Articles, speeches & reprints	box 114
Articles, speeches & reprints	box 115
Articles, speeches & reprints	box 116
Articles, speeches & reprints	box 117
Articles, speeches & reprints	box 118
Articles, speeches & reprints	box 119
Articles, speeches & reprints	box 120
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