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## Independent Literary Agents Association records4079870

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## Summary Information

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<b>Repository:</b>	Rare Book and Manuscript Library
<b>Creator:</b>	Independent Literary Agents Association
<b>Title:</b>	Independent Literary Agents Association records
<b>ID:</b>	4079870
<b>ID:</b>	MS#0642
<b>Date [inclusive]:</b>	1975-1989
<b>Physical Description:</b>	3 linear feet 7 manuscript boxes
<b>Language of the Material:</b>	English .

### Preferred Citation

Identification of specific item; Date (if known); Independent Literary Agents Association records; Box and Folder; Rare Book and Manuscript Library, Columbia University Library.

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## Biographical / Historical

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Founded in 1977. A non-profit corporation consisting of professional literary agents who work for themselves or small agencies. It later joined with the Society of Authors' Representatives to form the Association of Authors' Representatives.

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## Summary

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Correspondence, by-laws, memoranda, contracts, permission forms, reports, bank statements and other legal papers, advertising, and printed materials.

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## Arrangement

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Arranged. Box 16: Correspondence, 1975-1987; Box 17: General Files, 1978-1986; Membership letters, 1977; New members, 1979-1984; Box 18-19: Treasury files, 1978-1989; Box 20: Meetings, 1979-1986; Box 21-22: Subject files. Box numbering begins at 16 because the collection was originally part of the Society of Authors' Representatives records.

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## Administrative Information

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### Revision Description

Box list added. kws 2023-01-27

### Restrictions on Access

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## Immediate Source of Acquisition

Archive of ILAA: Source of acquisition--ILAA via Richard Curtis. Method of acquisition--Gift; Date of acquisition--04/30/92.

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Gift of the Independent Literary Agents Association (via Richard Curtis), 1992.

## Processing Information

Archive of ILAA Processed PL 02/12/95.

## Accruals

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## Related Materials

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## Controlled Access Headings

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- American literature -- 20th century
- Authors and publishers
- Authors, English

- Authors, American
- English literature -- 20th century
- Novelists, American -- 20th century
- Novelists, English -- 20th century
- Publishers and publishing
- Literary agents -- Societies, etc
- Literature publishing
- Translations
- Copyright
- Copyright -- Drama
- Copyright -- Adaptations
- Copyright, International
- Books -- Translations
- Advertisements
- Bylaws (administrative records)
- Contracts
- Financial records
- Legal documents
- Manuscripts (documents)
- Memorandums
- minutes (administrative records)
- Questionnaires
- Reports
- Literary agents

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## Collection Inventory

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Independent Literary Agents Association records	
Title/Description	Instances
Correspondence, 1975-1987	box 16
General Files, 1978-1986	box 17
Membership letters, 1977	box 18
New Members, 1979-1984	box 19
Treasury files, 1978-1989	box 20
Treasury files, 1978-1989	box 21
Meetings, 1979-1986	box 22
Subject files	
Subject files	

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