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## Dietrich Bonhoeffer primary sources5456034

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## Summary Information

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<b>Repository:</b>	Burke Library at Union Theological Seminary
<b>Creator:</b>	Bonhoeffer, Dietrich, 1906-1945
<b>Creator:</b>	International Bonhoeffer Society
<b>Title:</b>	Dietrich Bonhoeffer primary sources
<b>ID:</b>	5456034
<b>Date [inclusive]:</b>	1926-2004
<b>Date [bulk]:</b>	1930-1946
<b>Physical Description:</b>	1.5 linear feet 4 boxes 1.5 linear feet 4 boxes
<b>Language of the Material:</b>	English , German .

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## Summary

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The collection consists of primary source material (correspondence, photographs, administrative files) related to the life and activities of Dietrich Bonhoeffer, a Lutheran theologian, professor, and member of the German resistance. Includes unique material related to Bonhoeffer's residence at Union Theological Seminary in 1930-1931, such as transcripts, correspondence, and Bonhoeffer's "Deceased Alumnus file" a collection transferred from the UTS Alumnae/i Office. Other highlights include: photographs of Bonhoeffer and the concentration camp at Flossenburg where he was imprisoned; remembrances of Bonhoeffer (correspondence and articles) by his friends and family (mostly copies of originals from Princeton Theological Seminary and the National Lutheran Council); and Bonhoeffer's correspondence with Richard Ern and his family from 1930-1931; Gift Books inscribed by Bonhoeffer and an account by Paul Buesing of his study and contact with Bonhoeffer at the Finkelwalde Seminary.

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## Arrangement

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Arranged in 7 series: 1. Union Theological Seminary, 1929-1976; 2. Writings, 1926-1999 (bulk 1926-1944); 3. Remembrances, 1944-2004; 4. Photographs [194?]; 5. Richard Ern's papers, 1930-1977 (bulk 1930-1931); 6. Signed Books; 7. Paul Buesing Papers [199?]-2004.

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### Publication Statement

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### Restrictions on Access

Collection open for research by appointment.

### Ownership and Custodial History

This is an artificial collection created from the collections of Union Theological Seminary and donations from outside sources, in particular via the International Bonhoeffer Society.

### Accrual

The repository continues to add materials to this collection, generally on an annual basis

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## Related Materials

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### Related Archival Materials

Associated Materials-- Note--The Burke Library also houses a related archival collection, entitled: Dietrich Bonhoeffer collection secondary source material.

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## Controlled Access Headings

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- Theologians -- Archives
- Anti-Nazi movement -- Germany
- Photographic prints
- Theologians
- Bonhoeffer, Dietrich, 1906-1945 -- : Archives
- Union Theological Seminary (New York, N.Y.) -- : Archives -- : Students
- Flossenbürg (Concentration camp) -- : Archives