This is a list of former staff of the University of Birmingham, collections of whose papers are held in Special Collections at the University of Birmingham, UK as at April 2012. A separate list is available of our holdings of papers of former students.

These papers typically consist of correspondence; lecture and research notes; manuscript, typescript and printed copies of published and unpublished works; press cuttings; biographical notes; and occasionally items collected by subject. They may also include personal and family papers. Some of the papers of former staff also include material relating to careers before and after the individual’s time at Birmingham.

A

Adams, Henry (Hal) Packwood (fl 1921-1965), Lecturer in History: typescript of unpublished work; photograph; correspondence. Finding No: US102

Arber, Edward (1836-1912), Professor of English Language and Literature, Mason Science College, 1881-94: correspondence; notebooks; personal papers; list of publications with brief autobiography. Finding No: US4

Ashley, William James (1860-1927), Professor of Commerce, 1901-25: correspondence; press cuttings; articles and photocopies of notes. Finding No: US64

B

Bachtin, Nicholas (1895-1950), Lecturer in Linguistics: papers relating to a proposed edition of Plato's Cratylus and linguistic topics; biographical notes; notebooks; lectures; correspondence; personal papers. Finding No: US5

Bantock, Sir Granville (1868-1946), Professor of Music, 1908-34: original music manuscripts; printed items. Finding No: GB

Barker, Sidney Alan (b. 1926): reports and publications; personal papers; photographs and ephemera. Finding No: US116

Beazley, Sir Raymond (1868-1955), Professor of History, 1909-33: notes; manuscripts and typescripts of his works; press cuttings; correspondence; printed papers. Finding No: US6

Berry, Helen (b 1931), Secretary, Faculty of Commerce and Social Science, 1950-68 and School of History, 1968-88: news cuttings; printed material; ephemera. Finding No: US80

Billington, William (1876-1932), Professor of Surgery, 1924-1932, surgeon at the Queen's Hospital, Birmingham: typescript lectures; medical case notebooks and photographs. Finding No: US100

Bonser, Wilfrid (fl 1927-1952), University Librarian 1929-52: typescript papers. Finding No: US97

Bradbury, Robert Elwyn (fl 1951-1961), Lecturer in the Centre for West African Studies: notes and records of tours to Benin in southern Nigeria relating to language, culture and folk-lore. Finding No: US3

Bridge, Thomas William (1848-1909), Professor of Biology, Mason College, Professor of Zoology and Comparative Anatomy, University of Birmingham, 1880-1909: manuscripts of writings. Finding No: US106

Burcham, William Ernest (1913-2009), Professor of Physics, 1951–80: papers principally relating his research activities, including the development of cyclotron and radar, but also including some papers relating to his administrative and teaching roles in the Physics Department and to his personal life, 1939-1990s. Finding No: US56

C

Carlier, Edmond William Wace (1861-1940), Professor of Physiology, 1900-27: correspondence, lecture notes; printed articles. Finding No: US47


Chinn, Carl (b 1956), Professor of Birmingham Community History: papers relating to research into the history of bookmaking, betting and gambling. Finding No: US39

Cohen, Ronald Alban (1907-2001), Honorary Lecturer and Senior Research fellow, Dental History Unit, Dental School at the Dental School: correspondence; manuscript and printed notes; other research materials principally relating to dental history; published pamphlets, offprints and articles. Finding No: US71

Colley, Derek Charles (b 1930), Lecturer, later Senior Lecturer, Reader and Professor in Physics, 1955-59 and 1962-90: collected papers. Finding No: US23

Collins, John Churton (1848-1908), Professor of English, 1904-08: notebooks. Finding No: US7

Curtis, Bernard (fl 1970s), Lecturer in the Faculty of Education: papers relating to the organisation of the conference of the British Society for Phenomenology, 1976. Finding No: US68
D

Davis, Benjamin Tillett (1920-1998), Senior Lecturer in Forensic Pathology: research papers relating to history of health, medicine, and Birmingham hospitals and the Birmingham Medical School; accounts of autopsies, post mortems and attendance at inquests; minutes of the Inominate Club; photographs. Finding No: US86

Davies, Robert William (b.1925), Professor of Soviet Economic Studies, 1965-1990: research papers and correspondence largely relating to work on the Soviet economy, and including research undertaken with E.H.Carr and correspondence between Davies and Carr, 1930s-2000s. Finding No: US125

Duncan-Jones, Austin (1908-1967), Professor of Philosophy, 1951: correspondence with other philosophers regarding the establishment of the journal, Analysis. Finding No: US28

E


Elgar, Sir Edward William (1857-1934), composer, Professor of Music, 1904-1908: diaries; correspondence; scores; other printed material. Finding No: EE

F

Fiedler, Hermann George (1862-1945), Professor of German, 1890-1907: correspondence relating to the founding of the University and the establishment of a School of Modern Languages. Finding No: FH

Franklin, Cyril H. H. (b 1885), Lecturer in the Electrical Engineering Department, 1921-35: correspondence; photographs; typescript copy of autobiography; other papers. Finding No: US37

Fremlin, John Heaver (b 1913), Research Fellow Department of Physics 1945-46: collected papers. Finding No: US36

G

Galway, Margaret Higginson, (b 1900), Lecturer in English: lecture and other notes; manuscript and typescript copies of articles and unpublished work, offprints. Finding No: US25

Gray, Ann, cultural theorist: Papers relating to the work of the Centre for Contemporary Cultural Studies. Finding No: US120

Green, Michael (1942-2010), cultural theorist: Papers relating to Green's teaching activities in the Centre for Contemporary Cultural Studies and the Department of Cultural Studies and Sociology, together with some personal papers relating to his academic career and his involvement in the women's liberation playgroup in Calthorpe Park in the 1970s, 1970s-2000s. Finding No: US129

H

Hall, Stuart (b.1932), cultural theorist: Papers relating to Hall's research activities at the Centre for Contemporary Cultural Studies. Finding No: US121

Hancock, Sir William Keith (1898-1988), historian: Typescript survey of the mixed farming of Bomo village area, Nigeria, with associated correspondence, 1940. Finding No: US124

Hargreaves, Anthony Dalzell (1904-59), Professor of Law, 1950-59: autograph albums; notes; papers relating to the Solihull Fire Watch, 1940-45. Finding No: US8

Harvey, John Wilfred (fl 1913-1927), Lecturer in Philosophy, 1913-27: printed pamphlets; correspondence; photographs. Finding No: US60

Hawkes, John Gregory (b 1915), Lecturer and Senior Lecturer in Taxonomic Botany, 1952–61, Professor of Taxonomic Botany (Personal Chair), 1961–67, Mason Professor of Botany and Head of Plant Biology Department, 1967–82: photograph albums. Finding No: US84

Hawkesworth, Michael Rowling (d 2005), Lecturer in Physics: research papers; correspondence; articles; notebooks and folders of student lecture notes. Finding No: US85

Haworth, Sir (Walter) Norman (1883-1950), Professor of Chemistry, 1925-48: awards and medals; honorary degree certificates. Finding No: US90

Hilton, Rodney Howard (1916-2002), Lecturer and Reader in Medieval History, 1946-63, Professor of Medieval Social History, 1963-82: research notes; proofs; lecture notes; manuscripts of published articles; papers relating to conferences, talks and radio broadcasts; correspondence. Finding No: US78

Hogben, Lancelot Thomas (1895-1975), Professor of Zoology, 1941-47 and Medical Genetics, 1947-61: manuscript, typescript and printed papers. Finding No: US11


Humphreys, John (1850-1937), Lecturer in Dental Anatomy and Physiology: Personal papers consisting of notebooks on various aspects of local history and archaeology relating to Worcestershire, Warwickshire and Shropshire, and reprints of papers given to local antiquarian and archaeological societies, 1905-1925. Finding No: US130

Humphreys, Kenneth William (1916-1995), Librarian, 1952-75: correspondence; research materials, drafts and copies of publications relating to librarianship. Finding No: US35

Hutchison, Terence Wilmot (1912-2007), Professor of Economics 1956-78: drafts and copies of published articles, conference papers and book reviews; notes, papers and correspondence; manuscripts of lectures. Finding No: US74

papers relating to his career, 1934-1956. Finding No: MS819

J

Cadbury Research Library : Special Collections, The University of Birmingham: Papers of University Staff
Jinks, John Leonard (1929-1987), Professor of Genetics, 1965-85, and Pro-Vice-Chancellor: research notes; publications; biographical material. Finding No: US17

Johnson, Marion (fl 1969-1988), Lecturer at the Centre for West African Studies, 1969-70, Honorary Fellow 1970-88: publications; offprints; notebooks; research material; correspondence. Finding No: US26

Johnson, Richard (b.1939), Lecturer and Director, Centre for Contemporary Cultural Studies, 1974-1990s: Research papers, correspondence and substantial material relating to the activities of the Centre for Contemporary Cultural Studies. Finding No: US119

Jones, Austin Duncan- (1908–1967), Professor of Philosophy, 1951: correspondence with other philosophers regarding the establishment of the journal, Analysis. Finding No: US28

K

Kapp, Gisbert (1852-1922), Professor of Electrical Engineering, 1905-19: fragments of autobiography; biography; correspondence. Finding No: US24


Kuttner, Brian (1908-1992), Assistant Lecturer, 1932 Lecturer, 1936, Senior Lecturer, 1952, Reader, 1955 in the Mathematics Department and Professor Mathematical Analysis, 1969: writings. Finding No: US89

L

Lafitte, Francois (1913-2002), Professor of Social Policy and Administration and Head of Social Administration Department, later Dean of the Faculty of Commerce and Social Science 1965-68: published and unpublished writings; research and teaching notes; personal and family papers and correspondence including papers of his wife Eileen Lafitte; photographs; various papers of and relating to Havelock Ellis. Finding No: US72

Lambourne, Robert Alfred (1917-1972), Lecturer in the Department of Theology: papers relating to pastoral theology. Finding No: US12

Lapworth, Charles (1842-1920), Professor of Geology and Physiography, 1881-1913: research notes. Finding No: US9

Lawson, G. (fl 1942-1960), Lecturer in Mining and Minerals Engineering: notebooks and samples; other papers. Finding No: US30

Lewis, Anthony Carey (1915-1983), Professor of Music at the University of Birmingham, 1947-68: copies of correspondence. Finding No: US32

Lightwood, Raymond (1922-2001), Engineer, Researcher and Technician, Department of Surgery, Queen Elizabeth Hospital, 1960-87: research papers, notes, drawings and photographs principally relating to cardiac pacemaking; personal papers. Finding No: US69

Lockhart, Robert Douglas (1894-1987), Professor of Anatomy, 1931: draft manuscripts and proofs of work; research notes. Finding No: US46

Lodge, David John (b 1935), novelist, Lecturer, Reader and Professor of English, 1960-1987, Honorary Professor 1987:- literary and research papers; working notes; correspondence. Finding No: DL
Lodge, Sir Oliver (1851-1940), physicist and Principal of the University, 1900-19:
correspondence; press cuttings; diaries. Finding No: OJL

Lowenstein, Otto Egon (1906-1999), Mason Professor of Zoology and Comparative
Physiology, 1952-74: research notes; correspondence; scripts for television programme;
publications and offprints. Finding No: US42

M

Mathers, James (1916-1986), Lecturer in Pastoral Studies, Theology Department and social
psychiatrist: collected papers. Finding No: US82

Mitchell, William Fraser (1900-1988), Professor of Education, Selly Oak Colleges,
Birmingham: typescript and published poetry. Finding No: US101

Moon, Philip Burton (1907-1994), Lecturer, Reader and Poynting Professor in Physics, 1938-
74: biographical papers; research papers; drafts, publications, lectures and broadcasts;
correspondence. Finding No: US16

Morgan, Paul (1916-2006), Assistant Librarian, 1947-60: personal correspondence; research
notes; reminiscences. Finding No: US75

Moss, Kenneth Neville (1891-1942), Professor of Mining, 1922-42: scripts of lectures and
broadcasts. Finding No: US54

Mucklow, Graham Fernie, (1894-1973), Professor of Mechanical Engineering, 1940-59:
certificates; technical publications and papers. Finding No: US93

Muirhead, John Henry (1855-1940), Professor of Philosophy and Political Economy:
unfinished manuscripts relating to philosophy. Finding No: US61

Munrow, Albert Davis (1908-1970), Director of Physical Education 1939-70: papers; reviews;
publications; correspondence. Finding No: US67

N

Nicoll, John Ramsay Allardyce (1894-1976), Professor of English Language and Literature,
1945-61 and Director of the Shakespeare Institute at Stratford-upon-Avon: correspondence;
personal copies and typescripts of published works. Finding No: US27

Norris, Richard Hill (1831-1916), Professor of Physiology, Queen's College, 1862-91: papers
relating work on photography and on the physiology and pathology of blood, and on spiritualism.
Finding No: US41

O

O’Shea, Alan (b.1940), cultural theorist: research papers generated by O’Shea and other
members of the Media Group at the Centre for Contemporary Cultural Studies, 1977-1978. Finding
No: US127

P

Pardoe, William John (1909-1968), artist and photographer: Correspondence, photographs,
ephemeral material, and copies of publications containing medical diagrams and illustrations.
Finding No: US123
Parsons, Sir Leonard Gregory (1879-1950), Professor of Child Health, 1928-46: biographical material; personal correspondence; offprints of papers. Finding No: US48

Pedoe, Dan (b 1910), Lecturer in Mathematics, 1942-1945: papers. Finding No: US76


Phillips, Owen Hood (1907-1986), Barber Professor of Jurisprudence, 1946-74: manuscript and typescript notes; articles; news cuttings; correspondence; unpublished work. Finding No: DSH/US59


Picton, Jacob Glyndwr (fl 1961-1978), Lecturer, Faculty of Commerce and Social Science: personal papers relating service on NHS Committees, Wages Councils and other bodies. Finding No: US34

Poynting, John Henry (1852-1914), Professor of Physics, Mason College later University of Birmingham, 1880-1914: personal and family papers. Finding No: US55

Priestley, Sir Raymond Edward (1886-1974), Knight, Geologist, Principal and Vice-Chancellor, 1938-53: printed texts of papers, lectures and essays; diaries; other papers. Finding No: US38

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R

Reagan, Franklin P. (b 1890), Lecturer in the Department of Anatomy 1938-55: prints of anatomical drawings of mammals; manuscript notes. Finding No: US45

Rimmer, Douglas (1927-2004), Lecturer in Economics 1961-74, Deputy Director of the Centre of West African studies 1974-82, Director of the Centre of West African Studies 1982-87: school and undergraduate course notebooks; essays, papers and lectures; correspondence and diaries; other papers. Finding No: US94

Ritchie, R. L. Graeme (1880-1954), Professor of French, 1919-46: sketch of members of the French Department. Finding No: US70

Robertson, Sir Charles Grant (1869-1948), Principal 1920-38; Vice Chancellor 1927-38: typescripts, manuscripts and galley proofs of writings and speeches. Finding No: US95

Ross, Alan Strode Campbell (1907-80), Professor of Linguistics: correspondence; notes. Finding No: US29

S

Selincourt, Ernest de (1870-1943), Professor of English, 1908-35: manuscripts and proofs of publications; notebooks; reviews of publications and other press cuttings; offprints of articles. Finding No: US1

Shapiro, Isaac Avi (1904-2004), Lecturer, Department of English: Notes and working papers relating to research and teaching including lecture notes; correspondence, testimonials and personalia; research materials. Finding No: US79
Shrewsbury, John Findlay Drew (1898-1971), Professor of Bacteriology, 1937-63: correspondence; research notes and notebooks; printed material; drafts of published works. Finding No: US50

Skyrne, Tony Hilton Royle (1922-87), Professor of Mathematical Physics, 1964-87: research notes; teaching materials. Finding No: US18

Smith, Barbara Mary Dimond (b 1929), Lecturer in the Centre for Urban and Regional Studies: typescript text and research for unpublished work on the industrial history of Birmingham, Finding No: US88

Smith, Henry Arthur (b 1914), Lecturer, Department of English, 1933-1969: notebooks compiled during his Ph.D. research into William Hale White (1831-1913), novelist (under the pseudonym of Mark Rutherford). Finding No: US62

Smith, Robert Ernest Frederick (1922-2010), Professor of Russian: Personal and Research Papers, 20th cent. (Acc.2010/20). Finding No: US115

Smout, Charles Frederick Victor (1895-1978), Professor of Anatomy 1948-1961: notebooks; folder of medical notes Finding No: US49

Sonnenschein, Edward Adolf (1851-1929), Classical Scholar, Professor of Greek and Latin at Mason College and University of Birmingham 1883-1918: Research papers largely consisting of offprints of articles published in 'The Classical Review,' correspondence between Sonnenschein and other classical scholars, a letter from Oliver Lodge to Sonnenschein following the publication of his book 'The Soul of Grammar', volume of press cuttings compiled by Sonnenschein on subjects that interested him, 1887-1928, notebook containing notes made as an undergraduate at University College, Oxford in 1873; and, notes on classical metre. Finding No: US98

Sparks, Colin, cultural theorist: Papers relating to and generated by the Centre for Contemporary Cultural Studies. Finding No: US122

Spencer, Terence John Bew (1915-1978), Professor of English and Director of the Shakespeare Institute, 1958-78: reviews, articles and speeches. Finding No: DSH/US58

Stacey, Maurice (1907-1994), Lecturer, Reader and Mason Professor in Chemistry, 1936-74: autobiographical reminiscences; reports of overseas visits; research papers and notebooks; biographical memoirs; correspondence. Finding No: US15

Stiles, Walter (1886-1966), Professor of Botany, 1929-51: research papers; working papers; royalty statements. Finding No: US2


T

Thompson, James (b 1932), University Librarian 1989-1995: manuscript and typescript and working notes for his history of the University library. Finding No: US57

Thompson, Sir Michael Warwick (b 1931), Vice-Chancellor and Principal, 1987-96, scientist: notebooks; research papers and reports; publications and lectures; material relating to teaching and administration of the University of Sussex. Finding No: US14

Thomson, Sir Arthur Peregrine (1890-1977), Professor of Therapeutics, and Vice-Principal: research notes; copies of speeches and addresses; publications; commonplace books; material relating to the Buckland Club, a University dining society. Finding No: US51

Thomson, George Derwent (1903-1987), Professor of Greek, 1937-70: notebooks. Finding No: US19
Thornton, (Robert) Kelsey Rought (b 1938), Professor of English, 1989-2000: drawings and sketches of members of Birmingham University academic and administrative staff with accompanying notes. Finding No: US77

Tilden, Sir William Augustus (1842-1926), Professor of Chemistry, Mason College 1880-1894: research correspondence; photograph album containing portraits of members of Mason College staff; scrapbooks; medals and ephemera. Finding No: US66


Twiss, Douglas Frank (1883-1951), scientist: published works and articles; University of Birmingham gown and Colwyn Medal awarded in 1935. Finding No: US92

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W

Wade, Owen Lyndon (b 1921), Lecturer and Senior Lecturer in Medicine, 1951–57; Professor of Therapeutics and Clinical Pharmacology, 1971–86: papers comprising autobiographical reminiscences, personal and professional correspondence, diaries, medical notebooks, research notes and papers, family papers. Finding No: US83

Walker, John (b 1921), Lecturer, Reader and Professor of Applied Nuclear Science, 1963-88, Director of Birmingham Radiation Centre, 1968-84, Pro-Vice-Chancellor, 1973-78: collected papers. Finding No: US107

Watson, George Neville (1886-1965), Mason Professor of Mathematics, 1918-51: articles; notes; lectures; correspondence. Finding No: US20

Whitehouse, Harold Beckwith (1882-1943), Professor of Midwifery and Diseases of Women: typescript text of Ingleby lectures delivered by him, 1920. Finding No: US113

Whitfield, Allan George Williams (fl 1966-1974), Professor of Medicine, 1966-74: draft and printed copies of publications on clinical medicine and historical topics. Finding No: US52

Whitfield, John Humphreys (1906-1995), Serena Professor of Italian Language and Literature, 1947-70: papers. Finding No: US21

Whitting, Philip David (fl 1950s), Lecturer in Classics: lecture notes and research on Byzantine history Finding No: US87

Willetts, Ronald F. (1915-1999), Lecturer, Senior Lecturer, Reader and Professor of Greek, 1946-81: material relating to role as Public Orator. Finding No: US81

Windle, Sir Bertram Coghill Alan (1858-1929), Professor of Anatomy at Mason Science College and University of Birmingham, 1884-1905: diaries; scrapbooks; other papers and correspondence on the founding of the University of Birmingham. Finding Nos: US73, US40

Wishart, David Matthew Garrick (1928-2003), Head of School of Mathematics: material and research notes relating to history of the Mathematics department at the University of Birmingham including correspondence; photographs; memorabilia. Finding No: US96
Wynn, William Henry (1878-1956), Professor of Medicine, 1926-1946: lecture texts; writings; correspondence; offprints of papers by others on medical subjects. Finding No: US108

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