

Outreach Collection, 1967–2009

Physical Description: 1 Linear Feet

Scope and Contents

The Outreach Collection includes paper records generated by the MLA's various efforts to connect with and support members and the profession at large since 1884. These include materials generated by the annual convention, awards, communications, and marketing and sales. The materials comprise convention programs, brochures, invitations, and dinner menus; member responses to the convention; convention statistics; press releases; award announcements; speeches; correspondence within and without the MLA; and promotional items.

Conditions Governing Access:

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This collection is partially open for research. The brochures and programs and invitations subseries are fully open. The general conventions records subseries is open by request. The member issues subseries is permanently restricted. Material may be protected by Copyright Law (Title 17, United States Code). Reproduction is permitted at the discretion of the association.

Arrangement

This collection has been arranged into three subseries:

Annual Convention

Awards

Marketing and Sales

Processing Information:

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Small portions of the collection were processed in conjunction with the NEH-funded grant to process the General Chronological Collection. The majority of the collection remains unprocessed.

Related Materials:

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See also the MLA Scrapbooks Collection.

Controlled Access Headings:

- MLA Annual Convention
- MLA awards
- Publicity

Annual Convention Series, 1967–2002

Scope and Contents

The annual convention subseries contains paper records generated by the MLA Annual Convention since its second meeting in 1884. The materials comprise convention programs, brochures, and invitations; member responses to the convention; convention statistics; and business correspondence regarding both the annual convention and the MLA's short-lived central division convention 1895–1922.

Proceedings and Minutes, 1969

Title/Description	ID
Proceedings of the Eighty-Fourth Annual Meeting of the Modern Language Association of America, 1969	Document box OR 01

General, 1967–2002

Title/Description	ID
Annual convention, 1967	Document box OR 01
Annual convention, 1969	Document box OR 01
Annual convention, 1973	Document box OR 01
Annual convention, 1975	Document box OR 01
Annual convention, 1976	Document box OR 01
Annual convention, 1977	Document box OR 01
Annual convention, 1978	Document box OR 01
Annual convention, 1980	Document box OR 01
American Literature Section, 1980	Document box OR 01
Annual convention, 1982	

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Annual convention, 1984	Document box OR 01
Annual convention--Wole Soyinka, 1986	Document box OR 01
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Awards Series, 1981–2009

MLA Awards, 1982–2009

Title/Description	ID
Aldo and Jeanne Scaglione Prize for Comparative Literary Studies, 2009	Document box OR 02
Aldo and Jeanne Scaglione Prize for French and Francophone Literary Studies, 2009	Document box OR 02
Aldo and Jeanne Scaglione Prize for Italian Studies, 2009	Document box OR 02
Aldo and Jeanne Scaglione Prize for Slavic Literary Studies, 2009	Document box OR 02
Aldo and Jeanne Scaglione Prize for a Translation of a Scholarly Study of Literature, 2009	Document box OR 02
Aldo and Jeanne Scaglione Publication Award for a Manuscript in Italian Studies, 2009	Document box OR 02
Distinguished Scholarly Edition Prize, 2009	Document box OR 02
First Book Prize, 2009	Document box OR 02
Francis Andrew March Award, 1992	

MLA Records Collection

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Howard R. Marraro Prize, 1986–1988	Document box OR 02
Independent Scholars Prize, 1986–1988	Document box OR 02
James Russell Lowell Prize, 1982–2009	Document box OR 02
Katherine Singer Kovac's Prize, 2009	Document box OR 02
Kenneth W. Mildener Prize, 1986–2009	Document box OR 02
Lois Roth Award for a Translation of a Literary Work, 2009	Document box OR 02
Mina P. Shaughnessy Prize, 1986–2009	Document box OR 02
Morton N. Cohen Award, 2009	Document box OR 02
Phyllis Frankin Award for Public Advocacy of the Humanities, 2003–2010	Document box OR 02
US Latina and Latino and Chicana and Chicano Literary and Cultural Studies Prize, 2009	Document box OR 02
William Riley Parker Prize for Article in PMLA, 2009	Document box OR 02
William Sanders Scarborough Prize for an Outstanding Scholarly Study of Black American Literature or Culture, 2009	Document box OR 02

MLA Award Miscellany

Title/Description	ID
Prize Nominations, 1986–1988	Document box OR 02
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Information on alternate award candidates is permanently restricted. Other information is accessible by request.	
Prize Selection Committees, 1983–1988	Document box OR 02
Administration of MLA Prizes, 1999	Document box OR 02
Award Presentation Speech, 1987	

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Non-MLA Award, 1981–1993

Title/Description	ID
Charles A. Dana Awards, 1987–1989	Document box OR 02

Common Wealth Award, 1981–1993

Title/Description	ID
<p>Milan Kundera, 1981</p> <p><u>Conditions Governing Access:</u> Conditions Governing Access</p> <p>Information on alternate award candidates is permanently restricted. Other materials are accessible by request.</p>	Document box OR 02
<p>Christopher Isherwood, 1983</p> <p><u>Conditions Governing Access:</u> Conditions Governing Access</p> <p>Information on alternate award candidates is permanently restricted. Other materials are accessible by request.</p>	Document box OR 02
<p>Eudora Welty, 1984</p> <p><u>Conditions Governing Access:</u> Conditions Governing Access</p> <p>Information on alternate award candidates is permanently restricted. Other materials are accessible by request.</p>	Document box OR 02
<p>Adrienne Rich, 1991</p> <p><u>Conditions Governing Access:</u> Conditions Governing Access</p> <p>Information on alternate award candidates is permanently restricted. Other materials are accessible by request.</p>	Document box OR 02
<p>Carlos Fuentes, 1992</p> <p><u>Conditions Governing Access:</u></p>	Document box OR 02

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John Updike, 1993

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