Lilith magazine records11.MWALB02726

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# Summary Information

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# Preferred Citation

Lilith magazine records, Robert D. Farber University Archives & Special Collections Department, Brandeis University.

# Biographical / Historical

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# Scope and Contents

The Lilith magazine records contains material documenting the operations of Lilith, a Jewish feminist periodical that began publication in 1976. Documents include original notebooks, correspondence, interviews, manuscripts, and ephemera that shed light on the research and resources behind numerous Lilith articles on topics ranging from Passover Haggadahs and conversion to Judaism to the Israeli feminist movement and women's health. The collection also contains manuscripts, typescripts, and correspondence with Lilith writers and readers, including material from Jewish women worldwide who...
were interested in reporting on local news and culture for the magazine. Administrative files show the operations of Lilith and contain meeting minutes, mission statements, press releases, and fan mail. Other materials include approximately 11 linear feet of books owned by Lilith Magazine.

**Arrangement**


**Administrative Information**

**Publication Statement**

Brandeis University

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**Conditions Governing Access**

Access to the collection is in accordance with the policies of the Robert D. Farber University Archives & Special Collections Department, Brandeis University. Please contact the department for more information.

This collection is stored offsite. Please contact the department about having the collection recalled for your use. This process usually requires 36 hours notice.

**Conditions Governing Use**

Requests to reproduce or publish material from the collection should be directed to the Robert D. Farber University Archives & Special Collections Department, Brandeis University.
Immediate Source of Acquisition

The acquisition of the archives was made possible thanks to a generous donation from Elaine Reuben '63.

The collection was transferred to Brandeis in November 2014; additional records and a book collection were received in August and September 2016, March 2017 and May 2017.

Processing Information

The collection is unprocessed. Material remains in the same order in which it was received.

Collection Inventory

Subject Files, 1968 - 2000, undated

Date [inclusive]: 1968 - 2000, undated

Scope and Contents

The material in these boxes includes manuscripts, research notes, correspondence, original notebooks, ephemera and other materials relating to issues and topics covered by Lilith, including rituals, Jewish women's bodies, women's health, and Israeli feminism, among others.

Editorial and Administrative Files, 1976 - 2011, undated

Date [inclusive]: 1976 - 2011, undated

Scope and Contents

The material in these boxes consists of Lilith editorial and administrative files. Editorial files include correspondence, manuscripts and typescripts (some with editorial notes), reader surveys and clippings files. Administrative files include press releases, meeting minutes and mission statements from the magazine's early years.

Art and Design Files, 1976 - 2014, undated

Date [inclusive]: 1976 - 2014, undated
Scope and Contents

These boxes contain files pertaining to the production of the magazine, including mockups, illustrations, advertising copy, photographs and other graphic files.

Printed Materials, 1976 - 2014, undated

Date [inclusive]: 1976 - 2014, undated

Scope and Contents

The material in these boxes includes teaching materials, reference materials, programs, surveys and other printed material.

Lilith Magazine Addendum, August 2016, 1976 - 2016, undated

Date [inclusive]: 1976 - 2016, undated

Scope and Contents

These boxes contain materials deposited in August 2016. Documents include editorial and administrative files (Specifically Susan Schnur's editorial files), correspondence (including poetry editor's correspondence), art and design files, programs, publications by others, and more.


Date [inclusive]: 1980 - 2008, undated

Physical Description: 2.75 Linear Feet 2 manuscript boxes, 1 half manuscript box, 1 oversize manuscript box

Scope and Contents

2.75 linear feet of material related to the art and design of Lilith Magazine. Materials include invitations, exhibition announcements, programs and portfolios from prospective artists wanting to be featured in Lilith; approximately 5 CDs containing sample artwork and photographs; art slides; and other sample artwork. The addendum also contains subject files about Jewish art and artists and mock ups of Lilith issues from the 1990s.


Date [inclusive]: 1975 - 2004, undated
Physical Description: 1 Linear Feet 2 manuscript boxes

Scope and Contents

One linear feet of material from Lilith's early years to recent past. Materials include handwritten notes (circa 1975); manuscript submissions and typescripts from various Lilith writers (1970s-1980s), program and conference materials and notes (980s-2000s) various printed materials by Lilith, such as booklets and fliers (1980s-1990s); publications by Lilith and others (1980s-1990s); and 2 cassette tapes.

Lilith Magazine Book Collection

Scope and Contents

Eleven linear feet of books and periodicals owned by Lilith Magazine.