K0605
American Guild of Organists, Greater Kansas City Chapter Records
1934-2008
12 cubic feet, oversize

Organizational records including scrapbooks, minutes, membership records, and printed and published materials, programs, clippings, and photographs.

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DESCRIPTION:

This collection includes the records of the Deans of the chapter, meeting minutes, membership records, correspondence, financial records, Bombarde newsletters, chapter programs, scrapbooks, and published materials. An informal finding aid has been prepared by the chapter historian, James A. Tharp.

INVENTORY:

BOX 001

SCRAPBOOKS

Scrapbooks - GKC Chapter, American Guild of Organists:

Volume 1, 1936-1956
Volume 2, 1956-1958
Volume ?, 1963-1964
Volume 8, 1970-1971
Volume 11, 1974-1975


BOX 002

SCRAPBOOKS/ LOOSE MATERIALS

Scrapbooks – GKC Chapter, American Guild of Organists:

Volume 4, 1961
Volume 5, 1963-1967
Volume 10, 1972-1974
Volume ?, 1974-1977
Volume 15, 1987-1992
Volume 16, 1992-1994


BOX 003

SCRAPBOOKS/ LOOSE MATERIALS

Scrapbooks – GKC Chapter, American Guild of Organists:

Volume 3, 1959-1962
Volume 7, 1969-1971
Volume 12, 1975-1976
Volume 13, 1976-1977

AGO Membership Directories, 1979-1999
AGO Youth Committee *Marionettes and Pipes*, 10-19-98
Photos and misc.

**BOX 004**

*SCRAPBOOKS/LOOSE MATERIALS*

Scrapbooks – GKC Chapter, American Guild of Organists
Volume 14, 1977-1980
Volume ?, 1993-1999 (includes photo from 1947 and issues of *Bombarde* )


Loose materials:
- Miscellaneous papers
- Programs from national conventions
- Booklet of charters, constitution and bylaws

**BOX 005**

*SCRAPBOOKS*

Scrapbook –AGO Regionals, Des Moines & Wichita, 1961

Scrapbook Mid Winter Conclave, American Guild of Organists, St. Louis 1956-1958

Scrapbooks – GKC Chapter, American Guild of Organists:
Volume ?, 1964-1965
Volume 6, 1967-1969
Volume 9, 1971-1972

**BOX 006 (KA1095)**

- Artists not Used, 1994-1998
- Program – GKC Chapter, American Guild of Organists, 1996-1997

Folder *How to Improve Your Chapter Programming and Publicity*

Folder KCAGO Budget, Treasury Reports

Folder KCAGO Guild Sunday

Folder KCAGO Conventions

Folder KCAGO Correspondence – National

Folder Professional Concerns (all years)


Folder Correspondence from Benjamin Harrison

Folder AGO 1965-6 Dean
includes newsletter and examination requirements for 1975

Folder Membership Records 1973-1974
Folder  Photographs of individuals
Folder  *Organ Plus: A Catalogue of Ensemble Music for Organ and Instruments*
Folder  AGO Regional Convention Material
Folder  KCAGO Ethics – Religious Principles
Folder  KCAGO Examinations, Contests
Folder  *Bombarde*
Folder  Pamphlets, etc.
*American Guild of Organists Greater Kansas City Chapter Info-Pak*
*Planning Space for Pipe Organs: An Architects Guide*
*Wedding Music Catalog 1995*
Folder  AGO Library
Folder  KCAGO Correspondence – Local, 1962-1977
Folder  AGO Program
Folder  Evaluations
Folder  Miscellaneous
includes announcements, correspondence, informational pages, etc.
Folder  Newsletters – *Bombarde*
September 1981 – April 1983
Folder  American Guild of Organists Professional Concerns Guidelines for Chapters 1982
Folder  Professional Concerns Publications 1986
Folder  1995 Info-Pak (mock-up) with 3 ½” disk
Folder  Conflict Procedures
Folder  American Guild of Organists Info-Pak 1991
Folder  Request cards for the 1991-1992 Info-Pak
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**BOX 007**
Folder  AGO Professional Concerns reports and meeting minutes
Folder  Problems within Trinity Church and Christ Episcopal Church
David Stevens at Trinity and George Emblom at Christ Episcopal
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*The Work and Compensation of the Church Musician*  
*Compensation of the Church and Synagogue Musician*  
*Buying an Organ*  
*Region IV Convention*


**BOX 008**

Folder  Bachathon
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Folder  *Brief Introductions on Selected Hymn-Tunes for Organ* by Dale and Twila Ryder
Folder  Music
Folder  Histories of the AGO and other entities
Folder  Photographs
Folder  Dissertation

Self Evaluation of Pastors’ Church Music Education and the Resultant Philosophy of Music in the Worship Service by Norman W. Regier

Folder  Survey Salary
Folder  AGO Church
Folder  Professional Concerns
Folder  Survey of Seminaries in the Greater KC Metropolitan Area
Folder  AGO
Folder  Susan Baker – *Some Things I Have Learned as an Organist*
Folder  Constitution, By-Laws, Policies
Folder  Stoplists of Area Organs
Folder  ASCAP (American Society of Composers, Authors, and Publishers)

**BOX 009 (1244kc)**

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Treasurer’s Report, 1992-1993
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BOX 010

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Folder 8  Graduate Students in Recital, 2001
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Folder 18  Programs: Chenault, Harrison, Chen, Welch, T. Brown, Laube, Sambach, Crozier 1959, 2005-2008
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OVERSIZE

Scrapbook
Advertisement for Info-Paks on foam board
Press Plate