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GENERAL INTRODUCTION

PROVENANCE

The collection was transferred to the University Archives by Kate Robinson, University Librarian, in April 2023.

BRIEF OUTLINE OF THE HISTORY OF BATH UNIVERSITY PRESS

Bath University Press (BUP) was established on the recommendation of the Academic Board of Bristol College of Science and Technology in March 1965 in anticipation of the College becoming a university. The University of Bath's 1966 Royal Charter of foundation makes provision for institutional publishing and in February 1967 Council and Senate confirmed the establishment of the Press and created a Publications Committee to oversee its management. Day-to-day running of the Press was the responsibility of the University Librarian, John H. Lamble.

At the time of its inception, the value of the Press was seen as threefold. It made possible the publication of seminal and ground-breaking works lacking in immediate commercial viability while raising the new University's profile and enhancing its academic credentials. It was seen as having the potential to become a financial asset in the future. The Press was also tasked with producing official University of Bath documents including calendars, prospectuses, annual reports and exam papers. In addition, it sought to publish research papers, scholarly monographs and conference proceedings as well as reference works and periodicals.

Bath University Press was never prolific. The total number of BUP publications is modest at ninety-three. Works were not usually actively pursued. A fairly eclectic range of subjects are covered from strictly academic, such as underwater acoustics, microbial systems and methods for the design of hospital grounds, through to titles with broader public appeal such as industrial heritage, euphemisms and the history of the City of Bath. Authors include University of Bath academics, collaborators and friends, and local historians and residents.

Bath University Press operations continued on a small scale throughout the 1970s and 1980s but began to slow down in the late 1990s. The last Bath University Press title was published in 2004.

DESCRIPTION OF THE COLLECTION

The material is presented in the order given in the contents list. It covers the period from the 1965 to 2012.

The collection comprises material relating to the general management of Bath University Press, the administrative work associated with the production and sale of Bath University Press publications, and copies of all Bath University Press titles. The collection documents the operation and output of a small university press while reflecting the academic interests, activities and expertise of the University of Bath in the early decades of its development and growth.

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L. Richmond, University of Bath, 2024

SECTION A MANAGEMENT AND ADMINISTRATION 1965-2012

This section contains correspondence, minutes of meetings, stock lists and working papers relating to the day-to-day management and administration of Bath University Press. It includes communications with printers, routine enquiries, financial reporting and documentation concerning decision making.

For material relating specifically to individual works published by Bath University Press see Section B.

The presentation is chronological.

A/1 1965-1967.

A/2 1968.

A/3 1969.

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A/5 1971.

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A/7 1973.

A/8 1974-1975.

A/9 1976-1986.

A/10 1987-1990.

A/11 1991-1994.

A/12, A/13 1995.

Two folders.

A/14 1996-2003.

A/15 2004-2012.

SECTION B **CORRESPONDENCE AND PAPERS** **1965-2012**
RELATING TO PUBLICATIONS

This section contains material relating to works published by the Bath University Press. It includes correspondence with authors, editors, reviewers and printers, and enquiries from individuals looking to purchase particular titles. Not all Bath University Press publications are represented.

For material relating to the day-to-day management and administration of Bath University Press see Section A. For copies of Bath University Press publications see Section C.

The presentation is chronological by date of publication.

- B/1 *A Technological University: An Experiment in Bath*, ed. Gerald Walters (1966), 1965.
- B/2 *Technology + Society*, ed. Gerald Walters (1967-1974), 1968-1987.
- B/3 *Religion in a Technological Society*, ed. Gerald Walters (1968), 1968-1970.
- B/4 *Men, Machines and the Social Sciences*, John H. Lambie (1969), 1969-1970.
- B/5 *An English Rural Community*, Beatrice M. Willmott Dobbie (1969), 2003-2008.
- B/6, B/7 *Information and Its Users*, J. M. Brittain (1970), 1970-1973.
Two folders.
- B/8 *Hans Carossa der Artz; A Critical Study*, R. G. Dening (1973), 1973, 1983.
- B/9 *The Economic Consequences of the Severn Bridge and its Associated Motorways*, E. J. Cleary and R. E. Thomas (1973). 1973.

- B/10 *The Greatness of Dante Alighieri*, H. W. Smith (1973), 1975.
- B/11 *Bath - Museum or City?*, Gerry Hones (1978), 1978-1979.
- B/12 *Case Studies on the Effects of the EEC on the UK Food and Drink Industry*, J. R. Nicholls (1979), 1978-1981.
- B/13-B/21 *Pounds or Pinfolds and Lockups: Beast and Man in Custody*, Beatrice M. Willmott Dobbie (1979), 1978-2005.

Includes black and white photographic prints.

Nine folders.
- B/22 *Sociology of Scientific Knowledge*, ed. H. M. Collins (1982), 1981-1988.
- B/23 *Acoustics and the Sea-Bed*, N. G. Pace (1983), 1982, 2004.
- B/24 *Dir Bundesrepublik Deutschland: Ein Studienbuch zur Politischen, Sozialen und Wirtschaftlichen Entwicklung* ed. Clive Edwards and Hans Werner Lohneis (1982), 1979-1987.
- B/25, B/26 *Memoirs of a Street Urchin*, Louie Stride (1984), 1984-2007.

Two folders.
- B/27 *Inverclyde: A Social and Economic Survey*, A. M. Sykes, J. M. Livingstone and C. S. Greensted (1984), 1973-1978.
- B/28 *The East German Novel: Identity, Community, Continuity*, Dennis Tate (1984), 1983-1984.
- B/29 *Natural Antimicrobial Systems*, ed. G. W. Gould, M. E. Rhodes, A. K. Charnley, R. M. Cooper and R. G. Board (1986), 1984-1991.

- B/30, B/31 *A Dictionary of American and British Euphemisms*, R. W. Holder (1987), 1986-1995.
Two folders.
- B/32 *Homeostatic Mechanisms in Micro-organisms (FEMS Symposium, No. 44)*, ed. R. Whittenbury, G. W. Gould, J. G. Banks and R. G. Board (1987), 1987-1990.
- B/33 *The Linguist's Business*, ed. M. Croft (1988), 1988-1989.
- B/34 *Bath and the Eighteenth-Century Novel*, M. K. Hill (1989), 1986-2010.
- B/35, B/36 *An Illuminated Chronicle*, M. Gifford Brown (1990), 1989-2007.
Two folders.
- B/37 *Underwater Electroacoustic Transducers*, D. Stansfield (1991), 1991-2006.
- B/38 *Pauline*, Pauline Forrest (1992), 1989-2004.
- B/39, B/40 *Thinking about Management*, R. W. Holder (1992), 1988-2009.
Two folders.
- B/41 *Sound in the Sea*, ed. Peter F. Dobbins (1993), 1990-1993.
- B/42 *Good Clinical Practice and Ethics in European Drug Research*, ed. Peter N. Bennett (1994), 1993-1997.
- B/43 *Engineers and Engineering*, R. Angus Buchanan (1996), 1990-1997.

- B/44-B/46 *Gunpowder: The History of an International Technology*, Brenda J. Buchanan (1996), 1994-2006.
Three folders.
- B/47 *The Running Tide*, Donald Maitland (2000), 1999-2002.
- B/48-B/50 *The Dictionary Men*, R. W. Holder (2004), 1996-2012.
Three folders.

SECTION C PUBLICATIONS 1965-2004

This section contains copies of Bath University Press publications. The presentation is chronological by date of publication.

1965

C/1 *The Proposed University of Bath - A Technological University: Development Plan Report Number 1 (1965).*

1966

C/2 *Technology and Society: The First Bath Conference 1965*, ed. Gerald Walters and Kenneth Hudson (1966).

C/3 *Science, Technology and Government: The Second Bath Conference 1966*, ed. Kenneth Hudson (1966).

C/4 *A Technological University: An Experiment in Bath*, ed. Gerald Walters (1966).

C/5 *An Introduction to Elliott 803 Autocode*, O. B. Chedzoy (1966) reprint.

1967

C/6 *The Industrial Past and the Industrial Present*, ed. Kenneth Hudson (1967).

C/7 *Scientists in British Industry*, ed. Gerald Walters and Stephen Cotgrove (1967).

C/8 *The Sociology of Science and Technology*, S. Cotgrove, [October 1967].

C/9 *Technology + Society 4(1)*, ed. Gerald Walters, November 1967.

1968

C/10 *The Theory and Practice of Industrial Archaeology*, ed. R. A. Buchanan (1968).

C/11 *Barriers to Industrial Progress: The Third Bath Conference 1967*, ed. Kenneth Hudson and J. Hoskin Lambie (1968).

C/12 *Technology + Society 4(2)*, ed. Gerald Walters, April 1968.

C/13 *Religion in a Technological Society*, ed. Gerald Walters (1968).

C/14 *Current Developments in Physics*, ed. Richard Sullivan (1968).

C/15 *Technology + Society 4(3)*, ed. Gerald Walters, September 1968.

1969

C/16 *The Industrial Archaeology of Bath*, R. A. Buchanan (1969).

C/17 *Technology + Society 4(4)*, ed. Gerald Walters, May 1969.

C/18 *An English Rural Community: Batheaston with S. Catherine*, Beatrice Willmott Dobbie (1969).

C/19 *Technology + Society* 5(1), ed. Gerald Walters, July 1969.

C/20 *Thinking About Organization*, Geoffrey Hutton (1969).

C/21 *Technology + Society* 5(2), ed. Gerald Walters, October 1969.

C/22 *Men, Machines and the Social Sciences*, ed. J. Hoskin Lamble (1969).

1970

C/23 *Technology + Society* 5(3), ed. Gerald Walters, January 1970.

C/24 *Science and Religion: The Re-opening Dialogue*, ed. Gerald Walters (1970).

C/25 *Technology + Society* 5(4), ed. Gerald Walters, March 1970.

C/26 *Technology + Society* 6(1), ed. Gerald Walters, May 1970.

C/27 *Information and its Users*, J. M. Brittain (1970).

C/28 *Technology + Society* 6(2), ed. J. Hoskin Lamble, October 1970.

1971

C/29 *Technology + Society* 6(3), ed. J. Hoskin Lamble, March 1971.

C/30 *Cross Frontier Mergers in Europe*, C. Layton (1971).

1972

C/31 *Technology + Society* 7(1), ed. J. Hoskin Lamble, January 1972.

C/32 *Thinking About Organization*, G. Hutton (1972) 2nd edition in association with Tavistock Publications.

C/33 *Technology + Society* 7(2), ed. R. A. Buchanan, April 1972.

C/34 *Technology + Society* 7(3), ed. R. A. Buchanan, July 1972.

C/35 *Technology + Society* 7(4), ed. R. A. Buchanan, November 1972.

1973

C/36 *Early Horticultural Catalogues*, John Harvey (1973).

C/37 *Hans Carossa Der Artz Gion: A Critical Study*, R. G. Denning (1973).

C/38 *Technology + Society* 8(1), ed. R. A. Buchanan, April 1973.

C/39 *The Economic Consequences of the Severn Bridge*, E. J. Cleary and R. E. Thomas (1973).

C/40 *Technology + Society* 8(2), ed. R. A. Buchanan, July 1973.

C/41 *The Education of Users of Scientific and Technical Information: Report from a Workshop held at the University of Bath, 14-16 September 1973* (1973).

- C/42 *Technology + Society* 8(3), ed. R. A. Buchanan, October 1973.
- C/43 *The Greatness of Dante Alighieri*, Herbert W. Smith (1973).
- C/44 *How to Use an IBM Punch*, J. Black and M. Douglass (1973).
- C/45 *Hospital Grounds: Nursery Stock*, P. R. Thoday (1973).
- C/46 *Hospital Grounds: Interior Plants*, M. J. Sargent (1973).
- 1974**
- C/47 *Hospital Grounds: Utilisation*, P. R. Thoday and M. J. Sargent (1974).
- C/48 *Hospital Grounds: Harness Curtilage Landscape*, P. R. Thoday (?1974).
- C/49 *Technology + Society* 8(4), ed. R. A. Buchanan, August 1974.
- C/50 *Industrial Horizons: The Location of an Oil Refinery*, M. Walker (1974).
- C/51 *Inverclyde: Social and Economic Survey*, A. J. M. Sykes, J. M. Livingstone and C. S. Greensted (1974).
- 1976**
- C/52 *National Conference on Degree Sandwich Courses*, ed. Garry Denbury (1976).

- 1977**
- C/53 *Agricultural Cooperation in Practice*, M. J. Sargent and N. M. Doherty (1977).
- C/54 *University of Bath Development Plan Review* (1977).
- 1978**
- C/55 *Bath - Museum or City?*, ed. Gerry Hones (1978).
- 1979**
- C/56 *Case Studies on the Effects of the EEC on the UK Food and Drink Industry*, J. R. Nicholls (1979).
- C/57 *Pounds or Pinfolds and Lockups: Beast and Man in Custody*, B. M. Willmott Dobbie (1979).
- 1980**
- C/58 *University of Bath Site History: A Summary of Records of the Prehistory and History of Bathampton Down and the University Site*, Patrick Crooke (1980) reprint.
- C/59 *The Campus Cookbook*, ed. David J. Lock and Hilary J. Lotinga (1980).
- C/60 *Bath: Walks with the Walls*, Peter Smithson (1980).
- 1981**
- C/61 *Some Speeches of the Chancellor, Lord Hinton of Bankside* (1981).

1982

C/62 *Sociology of Scientific Knowledge: A Source Book*, ed. H. M. Collins (1982).

C/63 *Die Bundesrepublik Deutschland: Ein Studienbuch zur Politischen, Sozialen und Wirtschaftlichen Entwicklung*, ed. Clive Edwards and Hans Werner Lohneis (1982).

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C/64 *The University of Bath - The Formative Years 1949-1969*, G. H. Moore (1982).

1983

C/65 *Impressions of China*, R. A. Buchanan (1983).

C/66 *Acoustics and the Sea-Bed*, ed. N. G. Pace (1983).

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C/67 *The East German Novel: Identity, Community, Continuity*, Dennis Tate (1984).

C/68 *Memoirs of a Street Urchin*, Louie Stride (1984).

1985

C/69 *Bath and Belfast - Two Cities: One Nation?*, Chris Patten (1985).

1986

C/70 *Antimicrobial Systems in Milk, Part 2 of Proceedings of Symposium on Natural Antimicrobial Systems, University of Bath, England, 10-13 September 1985* (1986).

C/71 *Natural Antimicrobial Systems*, ed. G. W. Gould, M. E. Rhodes Roberts, A. K. Charnley, R. M. Cooper and R. G. Board (1986).

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C/72 *Die Bundesrepublik Deutschland: Ein Studienbuch zur Politischen, Sozialen und Wirtschaftlichen Entwicklung*, ed. Clive Edwards and Hans Werner Lohneis (1987) reprint.

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C/74 *The Linguist's Business: The Inside View*, ed. M. Croft (1988).

C/75 *Homeostatic Mechanisms in Micro-Organisms: FEMS Symposium No. 44*, ed. R. Whittenbury, G. W. Gould, J. G. Banks and R. G. Board (1988).

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C/76 *Bath and the Eighteenth-Century Novel*, Mary K. Hill (1989).

C/77 *The CHEST Software Directory 1989/90* [1989].

1990

C/78 *An Illuminated Chronicle*, Mary Gifford Brown (1990).

C/79 *A Pox on the Provinces: Proceedings of the 12th Annual Congress of the British Society for the History of Medicine*, ed. Roger Rolls and Jean and John R. Guy (1990).

C/80 *Ethical Responsibilities in European Drug Research*, ed. Peter N. Bennett (1990).

1991

C/81 *Higher Education Cost or Investment?*, Richard M. Mawditt [1991].

C/82 *The CHEST Software Directory 1991* [1991].

C/83 *Underwater Electroacoustic Transducers*, D. Stansfield (1991).

1992

C/84 *Thinking About Management*, R. W. Holder (1992).

C/85 *Pauline: A Portrait of My Younger Self*, Pauline Forrest (1992).

C/86 *The CHEST Software Directory 1992/93* [1992].

1994

C/87 *Good Clinical Practice and Ethics in European Drug Research*, ed. Peter Bennett (1994).

1996

C/88 *Gunpowder: The History of an International Technology*, ed. Brenda J. Buchanan (1996).

C/89 *Engineers and Engineering: Papers of the Rolt Fellows*, ed. R. Angus Buchanan (1996).

2000

C/90 *Lundy Island: A Bibliography*, A. Holbrook (2000).

C/91 *Tidal Barrages in the Severn Estuary: A Bibliography 1904-1999*, A. Holbrook (2000).

C/92 *The Running Tide: A View of International and other Public Affairs over Four Decades*, Donald Maitland (2000).

2004

C/93 *The Dictionary Men: Their Lives and Times*, R. W. Holder (2004).