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Collection Overview

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SUMMARY: The Delmore Schwartz Papers document the life and work of the writer,

editor, and teacher Delmore Schwartz. The papers consist of writings, notebooks, correspondence, photographs, personal papers and effects, drawings, clippings, and printed material. Writings and notebooks comprise the bulk of the papers. Writings include drafts of poems, stories, essays, reviews, criticism, lectures, and other writings. Notebooks span two decades and document Schwartz's increasingly troubled mind and frantic writings, containing a hybrid of writing drafts and personal diary entries. The papers also include correspondence with friends and colleagues, revealing his intimate but often troubled friendships, professional relationships, and two marriages. Personal and professional papers of Schwartz contain records of his divorce from Elizabeth Pollet, teaching files and financial materials, drawings, collected clippings, and other papers. The papers also contain photographs of Schwartz, his family and friends, and literary events. The

papers span the years 1906-1975.

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Administrative Information

Immediate Source of Acquisition

Purchased from Kenneth Schwartz on the E.J. Beinecke Fund, 1975 and 1981; and from Lame Duck Books on the Carl Van Vechten Fund, 2002. Gift of James Atlas, 1981 and Dwight McDonald, 1982.

Custodial History

The Delmore Schwartz Papers contains material of mixed provenance. In 1962, Schwartz left Manhattan to live in Syracuse, New York and abandoned his belongings. An individual hired to move the materials recognized Schwartz's name and stored them for several years until he transferred them to Dwight Macdonald, who was executor of Schwartz's estate. Upon Schwartz's death in 1966 in Manhattan, Macdonald retrieved the remaining papers from his last hotel room. Materials left behind in Syracuse were discovered in 1976 and transferred to the George Arents Research Library. In 1981, these materials were sent to the Beinecke Library to comprise the Delmore Schwartz Papers.

Conditions Governing Access

The materials are open for research.

Box 29: Restricted fragile material. A digital reference surrogate is available in Beinecke Digital Collections. For further information consult the appropriate curator.

Conditions Governing Use

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Preferred Citation

Delmore Schwartz Papers. Yale Collection of American Literature, Beinecke Rare Book and Manuscript Library.

Processing Information

This collection includes materials previously identified by the following call numbers: ZA Schwartz, Uncat ZA File Schwartz, and Uncat.ZA File.483.

Alexander Runchman identified early drafts of Schwartz's Genesis throughout the Writings series.

Existence and Location of Copies

Microfilm service copies are available.

Separated Materials

Printed material received with the collection was removed for separate cataloging and can be accessed by searching the library's online catalog.

Delmore Schwartz

Delmore Schwartz was born in Brooklyn, New York on December 8, 1913 to Romanian-born immigrants Harry and Rose Schwartz. His only sibling, Kenneth, was born in 1916. Harry Schwartz was a successful real estate businessman and Delmore Schwartz grew up comfortably middle class. In 1923, his parents separated and in 1927 they officially divorced. Their tumultuous marriage would be the source of anger and disappointment for Schwartz in his writings and future relationships. Schwartz developed an erratic relationship with his Jewish heritage that remained throughout his life, vacillating between engaged optimism and resentment of his parents' generation's traditional ways. Harry Schwartz lost most of his money in the 1929 market crash and died in 1930. The family received none of the little inheritance left after the estate executor embezzled the remaining funds. The crime never went to trial and Rose Schwartz was left to be the sole provider for Delmore and Kenneth.

Schwartz displayed an early talent for reading and writing but struggled in the rest of his studies. While in high school, he published a few poems in the high school literary magazine and was encouraged by teachers to study English in college. After graduation from George Washington High School, Schwartz enrolled in a college prep course at Columbia University and in 1931 he transferred to the University of Wisconsin. He thrived there, being exposed to avant-garde literature and art. Although he was a curious student, his grades were poor and he returned to New York City in 1932. He enrolled at New York University and studied with philosopher, Marxist scholar, and student of John Dewey, Sidney Hook. Hook's influence was profound on Schwartz's studies and early ideas of becoming a writer. Schwartz co-founded and edited the literary magazine Mosaic, in which he published his own essays and caught the attention of other New York writers. He moved to Greenwich Village in his junior year, began writing a purported twelve hours a day, and it was there that he began to make the acquaintance of the New York literary community. He graduated with a B.A. in philosophy in 1935. In July of the same year, Schwartz wrote his short story "In Dreams Begin Responsibilities." That fall he started graduate studies in philosophy at Harvard but never finished his degree. Through 1936, he wrote prolifically, published poems in *Poetry* and *American* Caravanmagazine, and won the Bowdoin Prize in the Humanities for his essay, "Poetry as Imitation." In the spring of 1937, Schwartz ran out of funds and returned to New York, beginning his work full time as a writer and critic.

"In Dreams Begin Responsibilities" appeared in the 1937 debut issue of *Partisan Review*, the left-wing magazine started by Philip Rahv and William Phillips. Schwartz's story appeared alongside writings by famous and influential figures, such as Sidney Hook and Edmund Wilson. His story and its success pushed him into the spotlight and he quickly became a writer to watch, with critics comparing him to W.H. Auden and Hart Crane. A year later, New Directions published Schwartz's first collection of poems and stories, *In Dreams Begin Responsibilities*. It received immediate and intense praise by many, including Ezra Pound, T.S Eliot, William Carlos Williams, Robert Lowell, and Vladimir Nabokov. In 1938, Schwartz married Gertrude Buckman, a fellow NYU graduate. The marriage was unhappy from the beginning and ended in divorce six years later.

Successfully published, Schwartz began his teaching career. He was hired as a lecturer and then Assistant Professor at Harvard University. He taught at several institutions throughout his life, including Bennington College, Kenyon College, Princeton University, and finally at Syracuse University. Many other schools extended invitations. Students admired him and he maintained a strong influence on his students. Schwartz also received several fellowships and grants throughout his life, including a Guggenheim Fellowship, the Shelley Memorial Prize, a Fulbright fellowship (he canceled it amidst his second divorce), a grant by the National Institute of Arts and Letters, and a residency at the writer's colony Yaddo. In 1940, Schwartz addressed the Modern Language Association, delivering his "The Isolation of Modern Poetry." *Genesis: Book I*, a semi-autobiographical piece, intended as the first installment of a multi-volume epic, was published in 1943 and received unfavorable criticism. Schwartz began to doubt his writing abilities.

During his late twenties, Schwartz's alcoholism, drug abuse (he favored barbiturates and amphetamines), and acute depression developed and began to affect his marriage, friendships, and ability to work. Easily angered and increasingly paranoid, he created emotional distances in most of his relationships and struggled to maintain professional contacts with other writers. Other writers respected Schwartz's talent

and work but found it difficult to weather his accusations of artistic jealousy, plagiarism, and gossip. Despite his interpersonal challenges, he maintained the role of an important writer and literary figure. He alienated most of his friends but a few remained devoted to him, refusing to relent to his accusations and delusions, including Dwight Macdonald, Saul Bellow, John Berryman, and William Barrett.

In 1948, after leaving Harvard suddenly in 1947, Schwartz published a book of short stories, *The World is a Wedding*. Critics and literary figures praised it but it failed to sell many copies. His work was widely anthologized during this time and he was considered by some to be the most anthologized poet of his generation. He published critical essays on important literary figures, film and television, and was poetry editor at *Partisan Review* and later at *The New Republic*.

Schwartz married Elizabeth Pollet, a younger writer and former student at Black Mountain College, in 1949. The couple moved from New York to rural northern New Jersey to concentrate on their writing. Schwartz became increasingly unwell, drinking even more, and succumbing to paranoid delusions. Pollet left Schwartz in the fall of 1955, after enduring years of his erratic and abusive behavior, and stayed with a friend in a location she kept secret from Schwartz. Schwartz reacted with violent anger and his most elaborate paranoid delusion to date. He moved back to New York and checked into the Chelsea Hotel; accused Pollet of having an affair with art critic and editor of *Arts* magazine, Hilton Kramer (who barely knew Pollet); physically attacked Kramer in his apartment after repeatedly calling him on the telephone; and was consequently arrested in his hotel room and brought to Bellevue Hospital. After a stay in Bellevue, he was transferred to Payne-Whitney Clinic. Once released from the clinic, Schwartz began to file complaints and lawsuits. One affidavit accused Kramer, Pollet, James Laughlin, Marshall Best, Saul Bellow, The Living Theatre, William Styron, Perry Miller, and Harry Levin of conspiracy against him. Others were subpoenaed. Schwartz eventually narrowed his attack to just Kramer and the legal affair dragged on for years.

Schwartz was often unwell, but he sometimes maintained periods of calm. In 1958, he gave the lecture, "The Present State of Modern Poetry," at the Library of Congress and was interviewed by Randall Jarrell. In 1960 he was awarded the Bollingen Prize for poetry, making him the youngest poet to receive the prestigious prize. After *The World is a Wedding*, none of his other published works received the same praise as his earlier work. He wrote little that interested others in the last six years of his life and most of his writing activity was filling up notebooks and leaves of paper with lengthy and often illegible writings.

Schwartz's final teaching post was at Syracuse University. Although his appearance was unkempt and he was a severe alcoholic, he had a robust student following. Musician Lou Reed was among his students and Schwartz had a great influence on Reed as a poet and musician. Reed dedicated the instrumental song "European Sun" on the Velvet Underground's first album to Schwartz (according to Reed, Schwartz didn't like song lyrics). Schwartz left Syracuse in January 1966 to return to Greenwich Village, where he resumed drinking at the White Horse Tavern, a favorite of his for years. He was often seen alone in parks or the New York Pubic Library, writing in notebooks.

Schwartz died at the age of fifty-three of a heart attack on July 11, 1966 in a hallway of the Columbia Hotel in Greenwich Village. His body went unclaimed at the morgue for two days until friends were alerted to his death. In the years after his death, there was a resurgence of interest in his work. John Berryman, Saul Bellow, and Robert Lowell are among the writers that profess Schwartz's influence on their own work. Lowell considered him to be the most underrated poet of the century. Bellow's 1973 novel *Humboldt's Gift*, which won the Pulitzer Prize, is a semi-fictional memoir about Schwartz.

Other published works by Schwartz include *Shenandoah* (1941), *Vaudeville for a Princess and Other Poems* (1950), *Summer Knowledge: Selected Poems* (1938-1958) (1959), and *Successful Love and Other Stories* (1961).

Scope and Contents

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photographs, drawings, clippings, personal effects, and printed material spanning the years 1906-1975, with the bulk of the material dating from the period 1926-1966.

The papers primarily document Schwartz's life as a writer, including drafts of poems, stories, essays, reviews, criticism, lectures, other writings, and writings of others. His erratic creative process is revealed through the drafts of writings: at times he was focused, working on holograph and typescript drafts of poems and stories methodically, and other times he filled pages with nearly illegible handwriting and overlapping sentence fragments. Among the writings of others is Schwartz's copy of James Joyce's Finnegan's Wake, of which every page contains his dense annotations. Schwartz's notebooks span two decades and document his increasingly troubled mind and frantic writings, containing a hybrid of writing drafts and personal diary entries.

The papers also include correspondence with friends and colleagues, revealing his intimate but often troubled friendships, professional relationships, and two marriages. Professional and personal papers of Schwartz relate to his divorces from Gertrude Buckman and Elizabeth Pollet, his lawsuit against Hilton Kramer, and his teaching and finances, and include drawings, clippings, and other papers. Clippings and other printed material contains published writings on Schwartz, but the bulk of it is articles of interest to Schwartz. The papers also contain photographs of Schwartz, his family and friends, and literary events.

Arrangement

Organized into six series: I. Correspondence, 1937-1966. II. Writings, 1926-1966. III. Notebooks, 1939-1966. IV. Personal and Professional Papers, 1936-1966. V. Photographs, 1906-circa 1975. VI. Materials Removed from Printed Works, undated.

Collection Contents

Series I: Correspondence, 1937-1966, undated

1.42 linear feet (2 boxes)

Correspondence is arranged into two subseries: General Correspondence and Third Party Correspondence.

The correspondence series contains correspondence between Schwartz and friends and colleagues. Letters are incoming unless otherwise noted. Correspondence relates to Schwartz's writings, finances, personal life, and work as a teacher. Much of the correspondence regards contractual agreements, his financial instability, and writings of others. Some letters regard interpersonal strife among friends and acquaintances. Despite the amount of correspondence, little of it discusses the main events, works, and friendships of Schwartz's life.

A 1965 letter from Lou Reed discusses Reed's consideration of graduate school, his desire to be a poet and his new music career, and his affection and respect for Schwartz. Letters from Victoria Bay regard the difficulties her relationship with Schwartz, a letter from Ted Berrigan accompanies a copy of his *The Sonnets*, and letters from James Laughlin relate to the friendship between the two and publishing agreements between Schwartz and New Directions.

Among the correspondents are many notable writers, such as W. H. Auden, William Barrett, John Berryman, T.S. Eliot, Randall Jarrell, Robert Lowell, Julian Beck of Living Theatre, Marcia Nardi, Philip Rahv, Stephen Spender, and Allen Tate.

General Correspondence

This subseries is arranged alphabetically by correspondent. Letters by those identified by first names only, outgoing letters to people not listed, unidentified and financial correspondence, delivery confirmations, and empty envelopes are filed at the end of the series.

| b. 1, f. 1 | "A" general | 1955-1966 |
|-------------|--|-----------------------|
| b. 1, f. 2 | Atlantic Monthly | 1959 |
| b. 1, f. 3 | Art News | 1954-1958 |
| b. 1, f. 4 | Auden, W. H. (Wystan Hugh) | 1942-1943 |
| b. 1, f. 5 | "B" general | 1939-1959 |
| b. 1, f. 6 | Barrett, William | 1942-1946, undated |
| b. 1, f. 7 | Basler, | 1957 |
| b. 1, f. 8 | Bay, Victoria | undated |
| b. 1, f. 9 | Bellow, Saul | 1956 July 16 |
| b. 1, f. 10 | Berrigan, Ted Includes Berrigan's <i>The Sonnets</i> | circa 1964 |
| b. 1, f. 11 | Berryman, John | 1946-1965, undated |
| b. 1, f. 12 | Blackmur, Helen | 1946, undated |

| b. 1, f. 13 | Blackmur, Richard | 1941-1953, undated |
|-------------|---------------------------------|-----------------------|
| b. 1, f. 14 | Boudreau, Eugene | 1964-1965 |
| b. 1, f. 15 | Bousquet, Alain | 1958 |
| b. 1, f. 16 | Broyard, Anatole | undated |
| b. 1, f. 17 | Brooks, Van Wyck | 1952-1953 |
| b. 1, f. 18 | Brown, Edward | 1953, undated |
| b. 1, f. 19 | Buckman, Gertrude | 1944, undated |
| b. 1, f. 20 | "C" general | 1942-1965, undated |
| b. 1, f. 21 | Carpenter, Margaret | 1958 |
| b. 1, f. 22 | Clark, Anthony | undated |
| b. 1, f. 23 | Commentary | 1947-1959, undated |
| b. 1, f. 24 | Cooper, Pat | 1953, undated |
| b. 1, f. 25 | Covici, Pascal | 1955-1958 |
| b. 1, f. 26 | "D" general | 1960-1965 |
| b. 1, f. 27 | Dike, Donald | 1957-1958 |
| b. 1, f. 28 | Doubleday and Company, inc. | 1958-1965 |
| b. 1, f. 29 | "E" general | 1959-1961 |
| b. 1, f. 30 | Eliot, T. S. | 1939-1953 |
| b. 1, f. 31 | Elliott, George P. | 1955-1958 |
| b. 1, f. 32 | Esquire | 1958, undated |
| b. 1, f. 33 | Evett, Robert | 1952-1959, undated |
| b. 1, f. 34 | "F" general | 1957-1958, undated |
| b. 1, f. 35 | Farrar, Straus and Giroux, Inc. | 1955-1959 |
| b. 1, f. 36 | Fitts, Dudley | 1943 September 2 |
| b. 1, f. 37 | Fitelson and Mayers | 1957 December 17 |
| b. 1, f. 38 | Flint, Robert | undated |

| b. 1, f. 39 | Ford Foundation | 1953-1963 |
|-------------|---|-----------------------|
| b. 1, f. 40 | Foreign Service of the United States of America | 1957 August 29 |
| b. 1, f. 41 | Fulbright Commission | 1957 November 8 |
| b. 1, f. 42 | "G" general | 1946-1961 |
| b. 1, f. 43 | Garrigue, Jean | 1943-1946, undated |
| b. 1, f. 44 | Goff, Eleanor | 1946 |
| b. 1, f. 45 | Gruenthal, Lola | 1956-1958 |
| b. 1, f. 46 | Gruenthal, Max | 1960-1961 |
| b. 1, f. 47 | "H" general | 1946-1965 |
| b. 1, f. 48 | Halio, Jay Includes Halio's writing, "Delmore Schwartz's Felt Abstractions" | 1962 September 21 |
| b. 1, f. 49 | Handlin, Oscar | 1953-1954 |
| b. 1, f. 50 | Harrisson, Gilbert A. | 1954-1956, undated |
| b. 1, f. 51 | Hartle, Pat | undated |
| b. 1, f. 52 | Harvard University | 1939-1956 |
| b. 1, f. 53 | Henry, Kenneth | 1943 |
| b. 1, f. 54 | Herschberger, Ruth | undated |
| b. 1, f. 55 | Howe, Irving | 1957, undated |
| b. 1, f. 56 | Hutchins, Robert | 1953 |
| b. 1, f. 57 | "I" general | 1952-1962 |
| b. 1, f. 58 | Jarrell, Randall | undated |
| b. 1, f. 59 | John Simon Guggenheim Memorial Foundation | 1940, 1954 |
| b. 1, f. 60 | "K" general | 1943-1965 |
| b. 1, f. 61 | Kaplan, J. M. | 1958-1959 |
| b. 1, f. 62 | Katz, | 1945, 1958 |
| b. 1, f. 63 | Krim, Sy | 1959 May 1 |
| b. 1, f. 64 | <u>"L" general</u> | 1946-1961, undated |
| b. 1, f. 65 | Laughlin, James | 1940-1955, undated |
| | | |

| b. 1, f. 66 | Lewis, Richard | 1955 |
|-------------|---------------------------------|------------------------|
| b. 1, f. 67 | Library of Congress | 1957-1965, undated |
| b. 1, f. 68 | Living Theatre | 1959 January 22 |
| b. 1, f. 69 | Lowell, Robert | 1945-1946 |
| b. 1, f. 70 | Lynes, Carlos | 1953 |
| b. 1, f. 71 | Lytle, Andrew | 1943-1945 |
| b. 1, f. 72 | "M" general | 1943-1966 |
| b. 1, f. 73 | Macdonald, Dwight | 1937-1959, undated |
| b. 1, f. 74 | Mackin, Cornelia W. | 1949, 1952, undated |
| b. 1, f. 75 | Macleish, Archibald | 1955 January 28 |
| b. 1, f. 76 | Marshall, Margaret | 1957 May 13 |
| b. 1, f. 77 | Maxwell, William | 1958, undated |
| b. 1, f. 78 | Morrison, Theodore | 1946-1949 |
| b. 1, f. 79 | Moss, Howard | 1958 |
| b. 1, f. 80 | "N" general | 1953-1961, undated |
| b. 1, f. 81 | Nardi, Marcia | 1952, undated |
| b. 1, f. 82 | The Nation | 1952 December 9 |
| b. 1, f. 83 | New Directions Publishing Corp. | 1939-1964 |
| b. 1, f. 84 | The New Republic | 1955-1960, undated |
| b. 1, f. 85 | The New Yorker | 1958, undated |
| b. 1, f. 86 | "O" general | 1961, undated |
| b. 1, f. 87 | Odell, | 1964 August 20 |
| b. 1, f. 88 | "P" general | 1955-1965 |
| b. 1, f. 89 | Palmer, John | 1958 |
| b. 1, f. 90 | Partisan Review | 1958-1959, undated |
| b. 1, f. 91 | Perspectives | 1952 November 7 |
| | | |

| b. 1, f. 92 | Phillips, William | undated |
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| b. 1, f. 93 | Poetry | 1954-1959 |
| b. 1, f. 94 | Pollet, Elizabeth | 1944-1957, undated |
| b. 1, f. 95 | Princeton University | 1943-1953 |
| b. 1, f. 96 | "R" general | 1953-1964, undated |
| b. 1, f. 97 | Rahv, Philip | 1943-1946, undated |
| b. 1, f. 98 | Ransom, John C. | 1952-1958, undated |
| b. 1, f. 99 | Reed, Lou | 1965 |
| b. 1, f. 100 | The Reporter | 1955 December 28, |
| b. 1, f. 101 | Russell, | 1956-1958 |
| b. 1, f. 102 | "S" general | 1943-1965, undated |
| b. 1, f. 103 | S & O Associates | 1965 |
| | | 1000 |
| b. 1, f. 104 | Scarlett, Emily | 1958, undated |
| b. 1, f. 104 b. 1, f. 105 | Scarlett, Emily Schapiro, Meyer | 1939-1964, undated |
| | <u> </u> | 1939-1964, |
| b. 1, f. 105 | Schapiro, Meyer | 1939-1964, undated 1943-1958, |
| b. 1, f. 105 b. 1, f. 106 | Schapiro, Meyer Schwartz, Harry | 1939-1964, undated 1943-1958, undated |
| b. 1, f. 105 b. 1, f. 106 b. 1, f. 107 | Schapiro, Meyer Schwartz, Harry Schwartz, Kenneth Schwartz, Rose | 1939-1964, undated 1943-1958, undated 1948 January 26 |
| b. 1, f. 105 b. 1, f. 106 b. 1, f. 107 b. 1, f. 108 | Schapiro, Meyer Schwartz, Harry Schwartz, Kenneth Schwartz, Rose Outgoing letter | 1939-1964, undated 1943-1958, undated 1948 January 26 1944 May 20 |
| b. 1, f. 105 b. 1, f. 106 b. 1, f. 107 b. 1, f. 108 b. 1, f. 109 | Schapiro, Meyer Schwartz, Harry Schwartz, Kenneth Schwartz, Rose Outgoing letter Shapiro, Karl | 1939-1964, undated 1943-1958, undated 1948 January 26 1944 May 20 1956-1959 |
| b. 1, f. 105 b. 1, f. 106 b. 1, f. 107 b. 1, f. 108 b. 1, f. 109 b. 1, f. 110 | Schapiro, Meyer Schwartz, Harry Schwartz, Kenneth Schwartz, Rose Outgoing letter Shapiro, Karl Slavitt, David | 1939-1964, undated 1943-1958, undated 1948 January 26 1944 May 20 1956-1959 |
| b. 1, f. 105 b. 1, f. 106 b. 1, f. 107 b. 1, f. 108 b. 1, f. 109 b. 1, f. 110 b. 1, f. 111 | Schapiro, Meyer Schwartz, Harry Schwartz, Kenneth Schwartz, Rose Outgoing letter Shapiro, Karl Slavitt, David Smith, Bill | 1939-1964, undated 1943-1958, undated 1948 January 26 1944 May 20 1956-1959 1959 |
| b. 1, f. 105 b. 1, f. 106 b. 1, f. 107 b. 1, f. 108 b. 1, f. 109 b. 1, f. 110 b. 1, f. 111 b. 1, f. 112 | Schapiro, Meyer Schwartz, Harry Schwartz, Kenneth Schwartz, Rose Outgoing letter Shapiro, Karl Slavitt, David Smith, Bill Spender, Stephen | 1939-1964, undated 1943-1958, undated 1948 January 26 1944 May 20 1956-1959 1959 1954-1959 |
| b. 1, f. 105 b. 1, f. 106 b. 1, f. 107 b. 1, f. 108 b. 1, f. 109 b. 1, f. 110 b. 1, f. 111 b. 1, f. 112 b. 1, f. 113 | Schapiro, Meyer Schwartz, Harry Schwartz, Kenneth Schwartz, Rose Outgoing letter Shapiro, Karl Slavitt, David Smith, Bill Spender, Stephen Syracuse University | 1939-1964, undated 1943-1958, undated 1948 January 26 1944 May 20 1956-1959 1959 1954-1959 1957, undated 1958-1966 |

| b. 1, f. 117 | Trilling, Lionel | 1954 December 21 |
|------------------|---|-----------------------|
| b. 1, f. 118 | "U" general | 1954-1965 |
| b. 1, f. 119 | United States. Dept. of State | 1957 April 4 |
| b. 1, f. 120 | United States Information Agency | 1956 May 3 |
| b. 1, f. 121 | "V" general | 1955-1980 |
| b. 1, f. 122 | "W" general | 1951-1965 |
| b. 1, f. 123 | Who's Who in America | 1960-1965 |
| b. 1, f. 124 | Williams, Oscar | 1956-1958 |
| b. 1, f. 125 | Wilson, Angus | 1956 September 4 |
| b. 1, f. 126 | Wolf, Leonard | 1957 December 18 |
| b. 1, f. 127 | Yaddo (Artist's colony) | 1956-1958 |
| b. 1, f. 128 | Yale University | 1960 |
| b. 1, f. 129 | Zabel, Morton Dauwen | 1950 April 23 |
| b. 1, f. 130 | Zolotow, Maurice | 1943 |
| b. 2, f. 131 | , Arthur | 1946, undated |
| b. 2, f. 132 | , Holmes | undated |
| b. 2, f. 133 | , Klip | 1946 April 9 |
| b. 2, f. 134 | , Mark | 1941-1946 |
| b. 2, f. 135 | Outgoing correspondence Letters to people not listed above | 1943-1962, undated |
| b. 2, f. 136 | Unidentified correspondence | 1943-1961, undated |
| b. 2, f. 137 | Financial correspondence | 1943-1959 |
| b. 2, f. 138 | Delivery confirmations | 1963-1965, undated |
| b. 2, f. 139-140 | Empty letter envelopes | 1941-1965, undated |
| Thi | rd Party Correspondence | |
| b. 2, f. 141 | To William Barrett from David Way Regards Elizabeth Pollet | 1947 August 1 |
| b. 2, f. 142 | To John Berryman from Isaac Rosenfeld of <i>The Republic</i> | 1943 July 9 |

Third Party Correspondence (continued)

| b. 2, f. 143 | To Jennie Lee Davis from Mary Chase and Alice Hillon | 1955 |
|--------------|---|-----------------|
| b. 2, f. 144 | To Dr. Friedlander from Mark Van Doren and Sidney Hook | 1939 March 8 |
| | Regards Schwartz's teaching philosophy at University of North California Woman's College | |
| b. 2, f. 145 | To James Laughlin from Charles Pearce | 1942 February 9 |
| b. 2, f. 146 | To Elizabeth Pollet from unidentified | undated |
| b. 2, f. 147 | Unidentified | 1946, 1961 |

Series II: Writings, 1926-1966, undated

11.5 linear feet (12 boxes)

Additional writings are located in Series III, Notebooks.

Writings is arranged into seven subseries: Poems, Stories and Essays, Reviews and Criticism, Drama, Lectures, Other Writings and Papers, and Writings of Others.

Writings include holograph, typescript, composite, photocopied, and printed drafts of poems and prose with annotations and corrections. The series also includes empty white folders with notes by Schwartz's biographer James Atlas.

Poems contains drafts of Schwartz's poetry, many of which include his corrections and notes. The bulk of the subseries is comprised of drafts of *Summer Knowledge: New and Selected Poems 1938-1958*, "The Studies of Narcissus," and untitled and unidentified poems. Stories and Essays includes extensive drafts of published and unpublished writings, including "A Colossal Fortune (for Marshall Allen and for Peggy)," "The Hartford Innocents," and "Kilroy's Carnival." Writings on T.S. Eliot represent an unfinished book by Schwartz. The subseries also includes introductions to other writers' books, dust jackets for his published works, and untitled and unidentified drafts and fragments.

Reviews and Criticism includes writings on others' work, nearly all of which were published. The bulk of Other Writings and Papers consists of drafts that are difficult to read, fragments of writings, and untitled and unidentified. Writings of Others contains writings sent to Schwartz for his review and possibly to edit in his capacity as editor of *Partisan Review*, and Schwartz's personal copies of various writings. Included in the subseries is Schwartz's heavily annotated copy of James Joyce's *Finnegans Wake* and several of Elizabeth Pollet's poems, untitled writings and notes.

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| b. 3, f. 148 | Abraham and Orpheus | undated |
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| b. 3, f. 149 | All clowns are masked and all personae | undated |
| b. 3, f. 150-151 | "Apollo Musagate, Poetry and the Leader of the Poets" | 1962, undated |
| b. 3, f. 152 | "Aubade" from Mosaic November-December 1934 | 1934 |
| b. 3, f. 153 | "Birth, Copulation, Death" | undated |
| b. 3, f. 154 | "The Body's Sweet Secret and Secret Sweet" | undated |
| b. 3, f. 155 | <u>"A Bohemian Comedy"</u> | undated |
| b. 3, f. 156 | "Cantata, A. Lincoln" | 1942 January |
| b. 3, f. 157 | "Le Cimitiere Marin" | 1961 June |
| b. 3, f. 158 | "The Conclusion" | undated |
| b. 3, f. 159 | "Cupid and Psyche" | undated |
| b. 3, f. 160 | <u>"Dr. Levy"</u> | undated |
| | Part of early draft for <i>Genesis</i> | |

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| b. 3, f. 161 | "Dogs are Shakespearean, Children are Stranger" | undated |
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| b. 3, f. 162 | "Dream of Whitman Paraphrased and Painted by Renoir" | 1954 |
| b. 3, f. 163 | "The Error" Part of early draft for <i>Genesis</i> | 1937 May |
| b. 3, f. 164 | "Exercise" | 1914-circa 1945 |
| b. 3, f. 165 | "Exercise in Preparation for a Pindaric Ode to Carl Hubbell" | 1959 |
| b. 3, f. 166 | "The First Night of Fall and Falling Rain" | undated |
| b. 3, f. 167 | "Here is a Poem I Wrote Before I Died" | circa 1965 |
| b. 3, f. 168 | I am to my own heart merely a serf | undated |
| b. 3, f. 169 | "Imitation of a Fugue" | circa 1937 |
| b. 3, f. 170 | "Interlude (Intervening Conversation)" | undated |
| b. 3, f. 171 | "Intervention" | undated |
| b. 3, f. 172 | "The Journey of Poetry Compared with the Variety of All Travel" | 1961 |
| b. 3, f. 173 | "Made in America" | undated |
| b. 3, f. 174 | "My Mind to Me a Kingdom Is" | 1950 |
| b. 3, f. 175 | "Phoenix Poem" | 1957 |
| b. 3, f. 176 | "The Poet" | undated |
| b. 3, f. 177 | "Poetry and the Poets" | 1954 |
| b. 3, f. 178 | "Present Moments" Includes several drafts of other poems | 1940 |
| b. 3, f. 179 | <u>"Presto"</u> | undated |
| b. 3, f. 180 | "Real Life (The Boys and the Girls)" | undated |
| b. 3, f. 181 | "The Sad Druggist" Part of early draft for Genesis | undated |
| b. 3, f. 182 | "Seurat's Sunday Afternoon Along the Seine" | undated |
| b. 3, f. 183-184 | "Shenandoah or the Naming of the Child: A Play in Verse" | undated |
| b. 3, f. 185 | "A Snapshot of the Kingdom of Morning" | undated |
| b. 3, f. 186-189 | "The Studies of Narcissus" | 1954-1959 |
| b. 3, f. 190-191 | <u>"Summer Knowledge"</u> | 1959, undated |
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| b. 4, f. 261 | "The Birthday, The Metaphor" | undated |
| b. 4, f. 262 | "The Brothers Kennedy" | 1955 |
| b. 4, f. 263-267 | "Child's Universal History" | 1943 |
| b. 4, f. 268 | "The Children's Question" | 1940s |
| b. 4, f. 269-273 | "A Colossal Fortune (for Marshall Allan and for Peggy)" | 1952 |
| b. 5, f. 274 | "The Confession" | undated |
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| b. 5, f. 276 | "A Day in the Thirties" | 1950s |
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| b. 5, f. 286 | "The Famous Elephant" | 1940s |
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| b. 5, f. 291 | <u>"Genesis"</u> Part of early draft for <i>Genesis</i> | late 1930s |
| b. 5, f. 292 | "The Gift" | 1959 |
| b. 5, f. 293 | "Hallmarks (or "RH")" | 1940s |
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| b. 5, f. 294-298 | "The Hartford Innocents" Includes notebook | 1958 |
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| b. 5 , f. 299 | <u>"Having Snow"</u> Part of early draft for <i>Genesis</i> | 1950s |
| b. 5, f. 300 | "The Headwaiter" | 1940s |
| b. 5, f. 301-302 | "The Heights of Joy" Include letter on back of page 22 to Mr. Basler | 1957 |
| b. 5, f. 303-306 | [Heinrich Heine] | 1950s |
| b. 5, f. 307-308 | "A History of the Boys and the Girls" | late 1950s |
| b. 5, f. 309 | "How to Read a Poem" | undated |
| b. 5, f. 310 | "How to Write Fiction" | undated |
| b. 5, f. 311 | In Dreams Begin Responsibilities New Directions publication announcements | 1938 |
| b. 5, f. 312 | "In the Middle of Life" | 1940s |
| b. 5, f. 313-319 | "Kilroy's Carnival" | undated |
| b. 5, f. 320 | Two lyrics from <i>Kilroy's Carnival, A Masque</i> Includes "Aria" and "Song" | 1960 |
| b. 5, f. 321 | "A Letter Day Romance" | 1940s |
| b. 5, f. 322 | "A Letter to a Former Sweetheart" | 1937 |
| b. 5, f. 323 | "The Locked Door" | 1940s |
| b. 5, f. 324 | "Love and Money" | 1950s |
| b. 5, f. 325 | "Love Stories" | late 1950s |
| b. 6, f. 326 | "The March Beginning (Modern Romance)" | 1940s |
| b. 6, f. 327 | "Maxwell's Crisis" fragment | undated |
| b. 6, f. 328-329 | "Memoirs of a Metropolitan Child, Memoirs of a Giant Fan" | undated |
| b. 6, f. 330 | "A Metropolitan Gauntlet" | 1940s |
| b. 6, f. 331-333 | "A Modern Romance" | 1956 |
| b. 6, f. 334 | "Modern Romance and Freedom" | circa 1949 |
| b. 6, f. 335 | "The Moralist" | 1940s |
| b. 6, f. 336 | "Naming of a Hotel" Perhaps part of "Memoirs of an Editor and Critic" | undated |
| b. 6, f. 337 | "A Note on Arts as Imitation" | 1936 March |
| b. 6, f. 338 | "The Nun and the Ritz" | 1955 |
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| b. 6, f. 339 | "The Pajamas Opera" | late 1940s |
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| b. 6, f. 340 | "The Park" | 1940s |
| b. 6, f. 341 | "Publicity" | undated |
| b. 6, f. 342 | "The Rage of the Second Morning" | 1950s |
| b. 6, f. 343 | "Record" | 1954 |
| b. 6, f. 344 | "A Remarkable Summer" | 1940s |
| b. 6, f. 345 | [Richmond] | late 1940s |
| b. 6, f. 346 | "The Sense of the Past, The Past as Actual" | undated |
| b. 6, f. 347 | "Shyness" | undated |
| b. 6, f. 348 | Partisan Review announcement of prize for "The Statues" | 1938 July |
| b. 6, f. 349 | "Stick of Wood: Forty Years After" | undated |
| b. 6, f. 350 | "The Story of a Heart" | 1937 |
| b. 6, f. 351 | "Strictly Personal" | undated |
| b. 6, f. 352-353 | "Successful Love" | circa 1960 |
| b. 6, f. 354 | Successful Love and Other Stories dust jackets | 1961 |
| b. 6, f. 355-356 | "Summer Colony" | undated |
| b. 6, f. 357-360 | <u>"T.S. Eliot"</u> | undated |
| b. 6, f. 361 | "Tales from the Vienna Woods" | undated |
| b. 6, f. 362-364 | "Track Meet" Also stored in: Oversize Box 26, Folder 906a Includes galleys | 1958-1959 |
| b. 6, f. 365 | "Twelfth Night: Or What You Will" | 1936 |
| b. 6, f. 366 | "Twins in the Womb" | undated |
| b. 6, f. 367 | [Virgil Gibson] | 1952 |
| b. 6, f. 368 | "Washburn Story" | 1945 |
| b. 6, f. 369 | "The World is a Wedding" | 1938 |
| b. 6, f. 370 | The World is a Wedding dust jacket | 1948 |
| b. 6, f. 371-372 | "Zola's Camera and Hegel's White Elephant: An Essay on the Philosophy of Fiction" | undated |
| b. 6, f. 373 | Fragment: "VI Metaphor" | undated |
| b. 6, f. 374-375 | Untitled introduction to Isaac Rosenfeld collection of book reviews and essays | 1962 |

| b. 6, f. 376 | "To the Reader," introduction to untitled book of prose and poetry Includes draft of writing fragment | undated |
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| b. 6, f. 377-378 | Untitled introductions to anthologies | undated |
| | Untitled Arranged by first line | |
| b. 6, f. 379 | "The girl woke up with a start." | undated |
| b. 6, f. 380 | "Joan Marie Hadley Prunt slammed the door of her car shut." | undated |
| b. 6, f. 381 | "My aged friend Cash Howells lives on the top of a small mountain not far away from my own home in West Jersey." | undated |
| b. 6, f. 382-386 | Unidentified drafts and fragments | after 1930 |
| b. 7, f. 387-392 | Unidentified drafts and fragments | after 1930 |
| b. 7, f. 393 | Notes for planning stories | 1950s-1960 |
| | Reviews and Criticism Titled writings are filed alphabetically at the beginning of the subseries. Untitled writings are arranged alphabetically by the subject author. | |
| b. 7, f. 394 | "Bell's Contribution" | undated |
| b. 7, f. 395 | "Novels and the News" from the <i>The New Republic</i> 1959 April 13 | 1959 |
| b. 7, f. 396 | "The Present Situation of the Writer in America" | 1950 |
| b. 7 , f. 397 | "Religious Belief and the Readings of Poetry" | 1951 |
| b. 7, f. 398 | "The Saturday Show" from The Poconola 1926 August 7 | 1926 |
| b. 7, f. 399 | On Brownstone Eclogues by Conrad Aiken | 1942 |
| b. 7, f. 400 | On <i>Mimesis: The Representation of Reality in Western Literature</i> by Erich Auerbach | 1949 |
| b. 7, f. 401 | On <i>Ulysses in Nighttown</i> by Marjorie Barkenstein | 1959 |
| b. 7, f. 402 | On Louise Bogan | undated |
| b. 7, f. 403 | On T. S. Eliot | 1940s |
| b. 7, f. 404 | On William Faulkner | 1940s |
| b. 7 , f. 405 | On Ernest Hemingway | 1940s |
| b. 7, f. 406 | On The Poetry of Gerard Manley Hopkins | 1946 |
| b. 7, f. 407 | On Further Speculations by T.E. Hulme | undated |
| b. 7, f. 408 | On Stephen Hero by James Joyce | 1945 January |
| b. 7, f. 409 | "Our Poor Dead King," on James Joyce | 1940s |

Reviews and Criticism (continued)

| b. 7, f. 410 | On an article on Madison Avenue in the <i>New York Times Magazine</i> by James Kelly | undated |
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| b. 7, f. 411 | On Ring Lardner | undated |
| b. 7, f. 412 | "Death of a Poet," on Boris Pasternak | undated |
| b. 7 , f. 413 | On Sunshine and Shadow by Mary Pickford | 1955 |
| b. 7, f. 414-415 | On Thrones de los Cantares by Ezra Pound | 1960 |
| b. 7, f. 416 | On Words for the Wind by Theodore Roethke | undated |
| b. 7, f. 417 | On <i>The American Establishment and Other Reports, Opinions and Speculations</i> by Richard H. Rovere | 1956 |
| b. 7, f. 418 | On Person, Place, and Thing by Karl Kay Shapiro | 1942 |
| b. 7 , f. 419 | On Allen Tate | undated |
| b. 7, f. 420 | On Ivan Turgenev | undated |
| b. 7, f. 421 | On Allen White | undated |
| b. 7, f. 422 | On William Butler Yeats | undated |
| b. 7, f. 423 | "Delights and Defects of Experiment" on New Directions 1944 from The Nation | 1944 |
| b. 7, f. 424 | On films and television | undated |
| b. 7, f. 425-428 | Various drafts and fragments | 1940s |
| b. 30, f. 920 | Printed fragment from Partisan Review | undated |
| b. 7, f. 428a | Clippings by Schwartz | 1951, undated |
| b. 7, f. 429 | New York Times Book Review instructions | 1962 May 14 |
| b. 30, f. 921 | The Nation (contributing writer) | 1951 February 24 |
| Dra | ma | |
| b. 7, f. 430 | "Paris and Helen: An Entertainment" | undated |
| b. 7, f. 431 | "Venus in the Back Room" | undated |
| b. 7, f. 432 | Untitled | undated |
| b. 7, f. 433 | Notes | 1940-1941 |
| Lec | tures | |
| b. 7, f. 434 | "Isolation of Modern Poetry" notes | undated |
| b. 7 , f. 435 | "Literary Dictatorship of T.S. Eliot" Includes announcement for lecture | 1949, 1961 |

Lectures (continued)

| b. 7, f. 436-437 | "The Present State of Poetry/The Present State of American Poetry" Includes 1958 January 21 Washington Evening Star clipping on lecture | 1957-1958 |
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| b. 7, f. 438 | Untitled lecture on current American poetry | circa 1956 |
| | Other Writings and Papers | |
| b. 8, f. 439 | Notes and diary entries | 1946 |
| b. 8, f. 440-479 | Notes and drafts of writings | circa 1942-1966 |
| b. 9, f. 480-516 | Notes and drafts of writings Folders 503-508 likely contain early drafts for <i>Genesis</i> | circa 1942-1966 |
| b. 10, f. 517-544 | Notes and drafts of writings | circa 1942-1966 |
| b. 11, f. 545-549 | Notes and drafts of writings | circa 1942-1966 |
| b. 11, f. 550 | English translation of Paul Valéry | circa 1930 |
| b. 11, f. 551-552 | Bibliographies | undated |
| | Contracts and Royalty Statements | |
| b. 11, f. 553 | Contract with New Directions for book on T.S. Eliot | 1944 |
| b. 11, f. 553a | Royalty statements for New Directions Shenandoah, Vaudeville for a Princess, and The World is a Wedding | 1950, 1955 |
| b. 11, f. 553b | Contract with Doubleday and Company for "Collected Poems" | 1958 May 23 |
| b. 11, f. 554 | Contract with Richard Bagley for all rights to Schwartz's dramatic works | 1959 November 17 |
| b. 11, f. 555 | Contract with Corinth Books for "Short Stories" | 1960 October 12 |
| b. 11, f. 556 | Partisan Review rejection | undated |
| b. 11, f. 557 | Various writings on Schwartz, clippings and photocopies Also stored in: Oversize Box 26, Folders 902-903 | 1948-1951 |
| | Writings of Others The series is arranged alphabetically by author. Leaves removed from books, dust jackets, and clippings and tear sheets are filed at the end. | |
| b. 12, f. 558 | Atherton, J.S. "Finnegans Wake: The Gist of the Pantomime" Includes Schwartz's notes | undated |
| b. 12, f. 559 | Bay, Victoria. Untitled poem | undated |
| b. 12, f. 560 | Bazelon, David T. "To the Seventh Power" | undated |
| b. 12, f. 561 | Eaton, Charles Edward. "Della Robbia in August" | undated |
| b. 12, f. 562 | Eliot, T.S. "The Music of Poetry" and William Troy "The D.H. Lawrence Myth" from <i>The Partisan Review Anthology</i> | 1962 |
| b. 12, f. 563 | Eliot, T.S. Bibliography | undated |
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Writings of Others (continued)

| b. 12, f. 564 | English, Logan. "The Silver Star" | 1965 November |
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| b. 12, f. 565 | Garfield, Richard. "Three Poems" | 1965 |
| b. 12, f. 566 | Gold, Herbert. " The Age of Happy Problems" | 1962 |
| b. 12 , f. 567 | Grady, James. "Memorial Day 1953" | undated |
| b. 12, f. 568 | Hanlon, Robert. "Mardi Gras in Algiers" Sent by Aldous Huxley to Hanlon | January 1958 |
| b. 12, f. 569 | Heinrich Heine. Portions of <i>Reisebilder</i> Ordered by Viking Press from New York Public Library | 1956 December |
| b. 12, f. 570 | Jacobs, Forrest. "A Sense of Direction" Handwritten draft of "Phoenix Lyric" on verso | undated |
| b. 12 , f. 571 | Jespersen, Ruth. "A Sentimental Story" Includes note to Schwartz | 1965 August |
| b. 12, f. 572 | Johnson, Geoffrey. Various poems | undated |
| b. 12, f. 573 | Joyce, James. Title page of <i>Ulysses</i> | undated |
| | Joyce, James. Finnegans Wake, heavily annotated Stored in: box 29 Restricted fragile material. A digital reference surrogate is available in Beinecke Digital Collections. For further information consult the appropriate curator. | 1939 |
| b. 12, f. 574 | Malzberg, Barry. "In the Night of Memory: Two Scenes" | 1964 September |
| b. 12, f. 575 | Manning, Christian. "Horses in the Mountain" fragment | undated |
| b. 12, f. 576 | Morgan, Edwin. "The Cape of Good Hope" | undated |
| b. 12, f. 577 | Mortimer, Ruth. "Dostoevski and the Dream," from Modern Philology | 1956 November |
| b. 12, f. 578 | Ober, Doris. Various short stories | undated |
| b. 12, f. 579 | Petria, Paul. "The Moving Reef" | undated |
| | Pollet, Elizabeth | |
| b. 12, f. 580-581 | | |
| D. 12, 1. 360-361 | Various poems | undated |
| b. 12, f. 582 | Various poems "Arabella" | undated undated |
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| b. 12, f. 582 | "Arabella" | undated |
| b. 12, f. 582 b. 12, f. 583 | "Arabella" "Death is an Open Door" | undated |
| b. 12, f. 582 b. 12, f. 583 b. 12, f. 584 | "Arabella" "Death is an Open Door" "For Ruth" | undated undated undated |

Writings of Others (continued)

| b. 12, f. 589 | Rielly, Hernando. Various poems | undated |
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| b. 12, f. 590 | Shapiro, David. "January: A Book of Poems" | undated |
| b. 12, f. 591 | Singer, "Miss." Untitled poem | undated |
| b. 12, f. 592 | Stanford, Don. <i>The Traveler</i> Includes notes by Schwartz | 1955 |
| b. 12, f. 593 | Valéry, Paul. "A Course in Poetics: First Lesson" from <i>The Southern Review</i> | 1940 |
| b. 12, f. 594 | Wood, Allyn. "Star of London" | undated |
| b. 12, f. 595 | "Philip." Various poems | undated |
| b. 12, f. 596 | "O: A Journal of Poetry," volume one number nine | Summer 1964 |
| b. 12, f. 597 | "Poetry and the Modern World symposium" | undated |
| b. 12, f. 598-601 | Leaves from books Many are annotated by Schwartz | undated |
| b. 12, f. 602-603 | Dust jackets | undated |
| b. 13, f. 604-610 | Clippings and tear sheets not concerning Schwartz Also stored in: Oversize Boxes 24-27 | 1940-1966, undated |

Series III: Notebooks, 1939-1966

7 linear feet (7 boxes)

This series is comprised of notebooks containing Schwartz's writings, including poetry and prose, journal entries, and notes. Schwartz's handwriting is very difficult to read after 1960 and is often illegible. The notebooks' contents provide insight into Schwartz's erratic moods and alcoholic binges. After 1965, one notebook will often span three to five days. All notebooks were dated by Schwartz and titled notebooks are noted.

Additional writings are located in Series II, Writings.

| b. 14, f. 611-651 | 1939-1953 Includes "The aid to memory" | 1939-1953 |
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| b. 15, f. 652-682 | 1954-1964 October Includes "Ulysses" | 1954-1964 October |
| b. 16, f. 683-714 | 1964 November-1965 June Includes "New Poems II," "History of Love/Notebook I," "From notebooks, poetry, notes," "Lyceum Gate II," "Joyce," "New Poems," and "Marriage in Love" | 1964 November-1965 June |
| b. 17, f. 715-746 | 1964 November-1965 February | 1964 November-1965 February |
| b. 18, f. 747-776 | 1965 February - 1965 June | 1965 February-1965 June |
| b. 19, f. 777-804 | 1965 September-1966 February Includes "Planner," "Metro: A Midwar Party," "Diana Cobb," "Diana Cobb VI," "Kilroy's Carnival," "Picture Shows II," "Diana Cobb Notebook VIII," "Commonplace," "New Fables, Parables, and Proverbs," and "The History of Love" | 1965 September-1966 February |
| b. 20, f. 805-814 | 1966 February-June and undated | 1966 February, undated |
| b. 20, f. 815-817 | Notes filed among the notebooks Includes drawings | 1951-1965 |
| b. 20, f. 818-822 | Collected clippings and printed material filed among the notebooks | 1951-1965 |

Series IV: Personal and Professional Papers, 1936-1966, undated

2.25 linear feet (4 boxes)

The series is arranged into four subseries: Divorce, Financial, Teaching, Other Papers, and Personal Effects.

This series contains personal and professional papers of Schwartz. The papers reflect the emotionally rife proceedings of his divorces from Gertrude Buckman and Elizabeth Pollet, his problematic financial responsibilities, and his teaching. Other papers include personal papers and drawings.

| ι | Divorce | |
|-------------------|--|-----------------------------|
| b. 21, f. 823 | Note of Issue for Inquest for Gertrude Buckman and Schwartz's divorce | 1944 |
| b. 21, f. 823a | Notes regarding Pollet and Dr. Gruenthal Includes photograph of Pollet | 1951-1965, undated |
| b. 21, f. 824 | <u>Letters from lawyers</u> | 1958-1959 |
| b. 21, f. 825 | Character testimonial regarding Schwartz by unidentified individual | 1959 January 14 |
| b. 21, f. 826-836 | Legal documents, statements, and letters | 1958-1961 |
| F | inancial | |
| b. 21, f. 837-838 | Invoices | 1957-1962 |
| b. 21, f. 839 | Tax statements and notes | 1947, 1958–1959, undated |
| b. 21, f. 840 | Medical bills | 1958-1966 |
| b. 21, f. 841 | Housing invoices and notices Includes eviction notices | 1958-1965 |
| b. 21, f. 842-848 | Bank statements | 1958-1966 |
| b. 21, f. 849 | Home insurance memorandum | 1959 |
| b. 21, f. 850 | Summons from Syracuse University Hospital | 1965 |
| | -eaching | |
| b. 21, f. 851 | Harvard University hire notification letters | 1940, 1943 |
| b. 21, f. 851a | Princeton University Resident Fellow in Creative Writing notification letter | 1952 January 10 |
| b. 21, f. 851b | Princeton University phone directory | 1953 |
| | Syracuse University | |
| b. 21, f. 852 | Memos | 1962-1965 |
| b. 21, f. 853 | <u>Class lists</u> | undated |
| b. 21, f. 854 | Blom, Lois Ardyn. Various writings, typescripts | 1962 May |
| b. 21, f. 855 | Friedman, Nancy. "The Locket: An Original Play for Television," typescript | undated |

Teaching > Syracuse University (continued)

| b. 21 , f. 856-858 | Various student writings | 1942, undated |
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| b. 21, f. 859 | Syracuse University Library invoices | 1964-1966 |
| b. 21, f. 860 | Syracuse Book Center invoices | 1965 |
| | Other Papers | |
| b. 21, f. 861a | Judgment of Annulment for Elizabeth Pollet and David Way | 1948 |
| b. 21, f. 861b | Curriculum Vita | 1954 |
| b. 21, f. 861c | New York University registrar record of Schwartz's coursework at various universities | circa 1935 |
| b. 21, f. 861 | Harvard University course grades, graduation program, and poetry award | 1936, 1945-1946 |
| b. 21, f. 862 | Address book | 1959 |
| | Drawings of nudes, faces, and houses Stored in: Oversize Box 26, Folders 907-908 One notebook and loose sketches | October 1961, undated |
| b. 21, f. 863-872 | Event announcements, tickets, and menus Includes literary, film, music, book, art, and political announcements | 1943-1966, undated |
| b. 21, f. 873 | 1966 Calendar | 1966 |
| b. 28 | Empty folders and envelopes with Schwartz's labels and notes | circa 1950-1966 |
| | Personal Effects | |
| b. 22 | Eyeglasses; nail scissors and clippers; magnifying glass; and jewelry box containing jewelry, pins and keys | undated |

Series V: Photographs, 1906-circa 1975, undated

0.42 linear feet (1 box)

This series consists of snapshots of Delmore Schwartz, his brother and parents, wives, friends, and a small number of unidentified images. Photonegatives created for publication in James Atlas's *Delmore Schwartz:* The Life of an American Poet are filed at the end.

| b. 23, f. 874 | Delmore Schwartz | 1916-1965 |
|-------------------|---|-----------------------|
| b. 23, f. 875 | Delmore, Rose, and Kenneth Schwartz | 1914-1926 |
| b. 23, f. 876 | Schwartz with brother Kenneth and father Harry at Coney Island | 1915-1916 |
| b. 23, f. 877 | Delmore and Kenneth Schwartz | circa 1920 |
| b. 23, f. 878 | Schwartz at Library of Congress One photograph includes Randall Jarrell | 1958 February |
| b. 23, f. 879 | Harry and Rose Schwartz | 1906-circa 1960 |
| b. 23, f. 880 | Gertrude Buckman Includes one slide | 1937-1942 |
| b. 23, f. 881 | Elizabeth Pollet One photograph includes Barbara Pollet | 1923-1955 |
| b. 23, f. 882 | Friends | 1939, undated |
| b. 23, f. 883 | "Sandy/Sandra" | circa 1942 |
| b. 23, f. 884-886 | Three unidentified women | 1944, 1963 undated |
| b. 23, f. 887 | Unidentified Includes negatives | undated |
| b. 23, f. 888 | Negatives created for inclusion in James Atlas's <i>Delmore Schwartz: The Life of an American Poet</i> Photonegatives by Syracuse University Library and Yale Library | circa 1975 |

Series VI: Materials Removed from Printed Works, undated

0.21 linear feet (1 box)

This series is comprised of manuscript notes removed from printed volumes previously in Schwartz's possession.

| b. 30 , f. 915 | Manuscript notes and clippings | undated |
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| | Removed from: T. S. Eliot, Selected essays (New York: Harcourt, Brace & World, c1960) (call number Zab Sch955 Zz960E). | |
| b. 30, f. 916 | Manuscript notes | undated |
| | Removed from: T. S. Eliot, The complete poems and plays 1909-1950 (New York: Harcourt, Brace, c1958) (call number Zab Sch955 Zz958E). | |
| | | |
| b. 30, f. 917 | Manuscript notes | undated |
| b. 30, f. 917 | Manuscript notes Removed from: James Joyce, Dubliners (New York: Modern Library, c1954) (call number Zab Sch955 Zz954J). | undated |
| b. 30, f. 917 b. 30, f. 918 | Removed from: James Joyce, Dubliners (New York: Modern Library, c1954) (call | undated undated |

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1 linear foot (4 boxes)

| b. 24, f. 889-894 | Clippings not related to Schwartz (in Series II, Writings) | 1940-1966, undated |
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| b. 25, f. 895-901 | Clippings not related to Schwartz (in Series II, Writings) | 1940-1966, undated |
| b. 26, f. 902-903 | Clippings on Schwartz (in Series II, Writings) | 1940-1966, undated |
| b. 26, f. 904-906 | Clippings not related to Schwartz (in Series II, Writings) | 1940-1966, undated |
| b. 26, f. 906a | "Track Meet" galleys (in Series II, Writings) | 1958 |
| b. 26, f. 907-908 | Drawings of nudes, faces, and houses (in Series IV, Professional and Personal Papers) | October 1961, undated |
| b. 27, f. 909-914 | Clippings not related to Schwartz (in Series II, Writings) | 1940-1966, undated |

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