Guide to the Jared Eliot Association, Yale University, Records

RU 76

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Collection Overview

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**CALL NUMBER:** RU 76

**CREATOR:** Yale University. Jared Eliot Association

**TITLE:** Jared Eliot Association, Yale University, records

**DATES:** 1934–1949

**PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION:** 0.25 linear feet (1 box)

**LANGUAGE:** English

**SUMMARY:** The records consist of correspondence, clippings, minutes of meetings, a scrapbook, questionnaires, exhibition materials, published materials, and notes documenting the Jared Eliot Association, with an emphasis on its "Great Books" exhibition.

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Key to the container abbreviations used in the PDF finding aid:

b. box
f. folder

Administrative Information

Preferred Citation

Jared Eliot Association, Yale University, Records (RU 76). Manuscripts and Archives, Yale University Library.
Biographical / Historical
The Jared Eliot Association was a literary society founded in 1934. It was named after Jared Eliot, who graduated from Yale College in 1706 and was made a trustee in 1730.

Scope and Contents
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General note
Forms part of Yale Record Group 40 (YRG 40), Records of Yale clubs, societies, and organizations.

Arrangement
The records are arranged by record type.
**Collection Contents**


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Selected Search Terms

The following terms have been used to index the description of this collection in the Library’s online catalog. They are grouped by name of person or organization, by subject or location, and by occupation and listed alphabetically therein.

Subjects
Book collecting
College students -- Societies, etc.
Literature -- Societies, etc.

Corporate Bodies
Yale University -- Societies, etc.
Yale University -- Students
Yale University. Jared Eliot Association