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Abstract: The Arthur Quinn Papers (1967-1997) consist primarily of Quinn's manuscript drafts. Correlating correspondence for each title is filed with manuscript drafts. Unpublished papers, speeches and prospectuses, his Princeton dissertation and undated notebooks pertaining to coursework while at Princeton are also included.

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Manuscripts for publication

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No additions are expected.

Processing Information
Processed by Jae Mauthe in 2012.

Biography/Organization History
Arthur J. Quinn (1942-1997) received his B.A. from University of San Francisco and his M.A., Ph.D. in the History and Philosophy of Science from Princeton University.
Quinn taught at University of Oregon in 1968 then moved on to become Professor of Rhetoric at University of California, Berkeley from 1970-1997. Quinn was instrumental in reorganizing the undergraduate major within the Rhetoric Department at Berkeley during his tenure as chair of the department.
Quinn published books in the fields of philosophy, Biblical studies, rhetoric, literary criticism, early American history and California history. In 1985 Quinn was awarded the Distinguished Teaching Award by the University of California at Berkeley. The Arthur J. Quinn Memorial Fellowships, established in memory of Arthur Quinn (1942-1997), Professor of Rhetoric, support research by doctoral candidates in the history of California.

Scope and Content Note
The Arthur Quinn Papers (1967-1997) consist primarily of Quinn's manuscript drafts titled Audiences and Intentions, Before Abraham, Book of Essays, Broken Shore, Confidence of British Philosophers, Figures of Speech, Hell with the Fire Out, New World, Poets Work and the Rivals. Correlating correspondence for each title is filed with manuscript drafts. Unpublished papers, speeches and prospectuses, his Princeton dissertation and undated notebooks pertaining to coursework while at Princeton are also included.

Series 1 Correspondence 1975-1979
  Physical Description: carton 1, folder 1
  Scope and Content Note
  Contains incoming and outgoing miscellaneous correspondence.

carton 1, folder 1 Correspondence 1975-1979

Series 2 Lectures 1973
  Physical Description: carton 1, folders 3-5
  Arrangement
  Lectures are arranged alphabetically.
  Scope and Content Note
  Contains various lectures, talks and speeches.

carton 1, folder 3 Lyons Lecture University of Oregon 1973

carton 1, folder 4 Speech University of Pittsburgh

carton 1, folder 5 Talks
Series 3 Notes

Physical Description: carton 4, folders 11-22; carton 5, folders 1-11

Arrangement

Notebooks are arranged in original order, undated.

Scope and Content Note

Contains Quinn's miscellaneous notes while at Princeton.

Notes

Series 4 Writings 1967-1997

Physical Description: carton 1, folders 2, 6-40; cartons 2-3; carton 4, folders 1-10

Arrangement

Manuscript drafts, prospectuses and unpublished papers are arranged alphabetically. Correspondence regarding manuscripts are arranged with corresponding manuscript draft. Correspondence is arranged chronologically.

Scope and Content Note

Contains manuscript drafts of Quinns published works titled Audiences and Intentions, Before Abraham Was, Book of Essays I, Book of Essays II, Broken Shore, Confidence of British Philosophers, Figures of Speech, Hell With the Fire Out, New World, A Poet's Work, The Rivals. Correspondence with related to each manuscript draft is included. Prospectuses for British Historians, An Enterprise of Hope and A New Nation and two unpublished papers on philosopher Francis Bacon and historian Francis Parkman.

sub subseries 4.1 Dissertation

Physical Description: Carton 1, folder 2

Scope and Content Note

Series contains Quinn's dissertation from Princeton.

Dissertation

sub subseries 4.2 Manuscript Drafts

Physical Description: carton 1, folders 11-40; cartons 2-3; carton 4, folders 1-10

Arrangement

Manuscript drafts are arranged alphabetically by title.

Scope and Content Note

Series includes drafts of Quinn's published works with correlating correspondence.

Audiences and Intentions Correspondence

Before Abraham Was Correspondence

Before Abraham Was

Book of Essays I

Book of Essays II

Broken Shore Correspondence

Broken Shore

Confidence of British Philosophers

Confidence of British Philosophers

Figures of Speech Correspondence 1981
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#### sub subseries 4.3: Prospectuses

- **Physical Description:** carton 1, folders 6-8
- **Arrangement:** Prospectuses are arranged alphabetically by title.
- **Scope and Content Note:** Series includes Quinn's prospectuses for British Historians, An Enterprise of Hope and a New Nation.

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- **Physical Description:** carton 1, folders 9-10
- **Arrangement:** Unpublished papers are arranged alphabetically.
- **Scope and Content Note:** Series includes unpublished papers on philosopher Francis Bacon and historian Francis Parkman.

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