Carol Truscott papers

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Descriptive Summary

Title: Carol Truscott papers
Dates: 1984-1992
Collection Number: 1994-07
Creator/Collector: Carol Truscott
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Abstract: The Carol Truscott papers document her involvement with a variety of groups in San Francisco's S/M communities in the 1980s and early 1990s and her work as editor of "Sandmutopia Guardian and Dungeon Journal," a S/M how-to publication written for all genders and sexual orientations.
Language of Material: English
Access
Collection is open to researchers with certain restrictions on certain materials. Contact the archivist for more information.
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Acquisition Information
Gift of Joann Lee, also known as Carol Truscott, 2003-2006.
Scope and Content of Collection
The Carol Truscott papers document her involvement with a variety of groups in San Francisco's S/M communities in the 1980s and early 1990s and her work as editor of "Sandmutopia Guardian and Dungeon Journal," a S/M how-to publication written for all genders and sexual orientations. Truscott was the Founding Editor of the journal, which was first published by Desmodus, Inc. in 1988. She worked with or participated in the Outcasts, the 15 Association, KISSSM and the Society of Janus and those groups are represented in the collection. There are also materials from S/M organizations and anti-censorship groups active outside of California. These include BA-FACT; the Committee to Preserve Our Sexual and Civil Liberties; the Eulenspiegel Society; Shelix, the Chicagoland Discussion Group; the National Leather Association; L&L; Safe, Sane Consensual Adults (SSCA); and Beyond Vanilla. Materials related to "SandMutopia Guardian and Dungeon Journal" and its publisher, Desmodus, Inc. include correspondence, legal records, meeting agendas, production files, source material, subject files, photographic materials and artwork. Finally, there are materials related to the creation of an SM Community Contingent in the SF Pride Parade, including flyers, clippings, memos and correspondence, financial records, notes, and a Womanlink resource list and history.
Indexing Terms
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