Collection of role-playing games

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Descriptive Summary

Title: Collection of role-playing games

Date (inclusive): circa 1985-2000

Collection Number: MS 375

Extent: 3.29 linear feet (4 boxes)

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Abstract: This collection contains role-playing games including Advanced Dungeons & Dragons, Marvel Super Heroes, and DC Heroes. Items in the collection include player and master manuals, as well as maps and character pieces.

Languages: The collection is in English.

Access

The collection is open for research.

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Processing History


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Collection Scope and Contents

This collection contains role-playing games including Advanced Dungeons & Dragons, Marvel Super Heroes, and DC Heroes. The boxes contain both players and masters handbooks, as well as maps and character cards. The collection also includes four boxed game sets, some of which include a CD, extra pamphlets, cards, maps, and manuals.

Collection Arrangement

The collection is arranged alphabetically by game title.

Indexing Terms

The following terms have been used to index the description of this collection in the library’s online public access catalog.

Subjects

DC Comics, Inc.
Dungeons & dragons
Marvel Comics Group
Fantasy games
Role playing

Genres and Forms of Materials

Card, table and board game elements
Game pieces (game elements)
Manuals (instructional materials)

Box 1, Folder 1  Clanbook-Dragon Magazine 1985-1994
Box 1, Folder 2  Dragon Wars-Advanced Dungeons & Dragons: Wilderness Survival Guide 1986-1989
Box 1, Folder 3  Advanced Dungeons & Dragons: Book of Artifacts 1993
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