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Abstract: Ralph Fertig, former Associate Professor in the USC School of Social Work, has worked toward social justice as a civil rights lawyer, social worker, federal administrative judge, and activist. His papers consist of his authored essays and personal narratives, collected clippings, correspondence and institutional records from political organizations and initiatives that he led (including Southern California Americans for Democratic Action, Humanitarian Law Project, and University Synagogue), and educational and reference materials held in his USC School of Social Work office. The papers also reflect Fertig's lifelong participation in the Freedom Riders movement, from clippings and personal narratives about the initial Freedom Rides in 1961 to Fertig's correspondence, contact directories, and a Freedom Riders Day poster documenting his efforts to organize members of the movement later in their careers.

Biographical note
Ralph D. Fertig, Professor at the USC School of Social Work from 2002 to 2016, has worked toward social justice as a civil rights lawyer, social worker, federal administrative judge, and activist. Fertig received a BA from the University of Chicago in 1950 and an MA in Sociology from Columbia University in 1952. During the 1950s and 1960s, Fertig worked for community organizations in Chicago and Washington, D.C., such as the Hyde Park Youth Project and the Metropolitan Washington Planning and Housing Association. During this time, Fertig was also committed to the Civil Rights Movement, marching with Martin Luther King Jr., working with Bayard Rustin on the Leadership Council on Civil Rights, and participating in the Freedom Riders movement. In 1961, while demonstrating in Alabama as a Freedom Rider, Fertig was arrested for disturbing the peace and beaten--almost fatally--by white inmates in the Dallas County jail.

In the 1970s, Fertig moved to Los Angeles and returned to school for a joint program in law and urban planning--receiving his JD from the UCLA School of Law in 1979. Between his JD and the start of his teaching career at USC, Fertig managed a private law practice, served as Supervising Trial Attorney for the U.S. Equal Employment Opportunity Commission, and acted as Federal Administrative Judge (Civil Rights) in the late 1990s. Fertig also headed various social justice initiatives during this time, serving as president to both the Southern California Americans for Democratic Action (SCADA) and the Humanitarian Law Project. Later, Fertig acted as Chairman of the Social Justice Committee of the University Synagogue in Los Angeles and joined the board of the Progressive Jewish Alliance.

He is a prolific author, writing plays, poetry, and essays, as well as the books Love and Liberation: When the Jews Tore Down the Ghetto Walls (sole author) and 100 Years of Social Work at USC 1906-2006: A History in Words and Pictures (co-author).

Fertig retired from USC in 2016 as an Associate Professor in the Graduate School of Social Work. During his teaching career, Fertig was known for mobilizing his students to campaign for public policies for housing the homeless in Los Angeles, among many other initiatives.

Content Description
The Ralph Fertig papers, 1929-2014, consist of essays, correspondence, research files, clippings, photographs, and USC School of Social Work faculty and student records created and collected by Fertig during his career as a social worker, civil rights lawyer, activist, and educator. The majority of the early material (1940s through 1970s) in this collection comprise essays and personal narratives that Fertig authored along with clippings that he collected--many featuring Fertig's work as a social worker, student, and activist in Chicago, Washington, D.C., and, beginning in the early 1970s, Los Angeles. Fertig's papers created in the 1980s and 1990s--during the time that he was working as a lawyer and federal administrative judge--focus more on the political organizations and initiatives that he participated in and sometimes led. Organizations with significant amounts of documentation in these papers include the Southern California Americans for Democratic Action (SCADA), Humanitarian Law Project, and University Synagogue. Most of the material created after 2002 relates to Fertig's teaching and research at the USC School of Social Work, including syllabi, faculty meeting minutes, student work, lecture material, and policy and orientation guides. Material relating to the Freedom Riders movement appears in various time periods in this collection, from clippings and personal narratives about the initial Freedom Rides in 1961 to Fertig's correspondence and contact directories documenting his efforts to organize members of the movement later in their careers.
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Gift of Ralph Fertig, July 19, 2016.

Processing Information
Fertig donated these papers in two installments. The first part of the collection came from his home in 2009 and the second part came from Fertig's USC School of Social Work office when he retired in 2016. The papers that came from Fertig's home were originally arranged chronologically and each series has generally been organized to maintain this arrangement. The papers that came from his USC office are described under the “USC School of Social Work” series, which is not arranged chronologically as this part of the collection was not chronologically organized when donated.

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Americans for Democratic Action. Southern California Chapter -- Archives
Humanitarian Law Project -- Archives
University of Southern California. School of Social Work -- Faculty
University of Southern California. School of Social Work -- Students
University Synagogue. Social Justice Committee -- Archives

Social work and writings prior to law degree 1929-1998 1948-1979
Scope and Contents
This series contains research and writings from Fertig's career prior to receiving his Juris Doctor (JD) degree from UCLA in May of 1979. A small amount of autobiographical writings in this series were created after 1979, but these focus on Fertig's earlier career-- such as Fertig's manuscripts for his 1998 work titled, "Searching for Justice in Chicago." Material dates from 1929 to 1998, with the bulk spanning 1948 to 1979. See also the Freedom Riders series for any documentation of Fertig's participation in the Freedom Riders group of civil rights activists of the 1960s and the USC School of Social Work series for papers from this time that Fertig kept for reference in his office.
Box 1, Folder 1
"Anti-Negro Restrictive Covenants in Chicago" - paper by Fertig 1948 April 27

Box 1, Folder 2
*Pulse Magazine* - University of Chicago 1948 October

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"Dilemna" - poem by Fertig 1949 April 26

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*New Populist* - University of Chicago Student Quarterly Spring 1950

Scope and Contents
Fertig was the editor of this quarterly at the time of this edition's publication.

Box 1, Folder 5
Two Hundred Forty-Second Convocation - University of Chicago 1950 June 21

Box 1, Folder 6-7
"A Survey of Relations Between Negroes and Jews in Chicago" - thesis by Fertig 1952 February

Related Materials
Another copy of this thesis, along with related articles, were kept in Fertig's office at USC. See the USC School of Social Work series.

Box 1, Folder 8
Correspondence - C. Wright Mills to University of Chicago re: application for Race Relations Program 1952 February

Box 1, Folder 9
"Chatham-Avalon Park Community Council, Chicago" - paper 1953

Box 1, Folder 10
"Need Grade Separations at Stony-South Chicago - 79th" - South-Side News-Courier article by Fertig 1954 June 10

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"Rapid Transit Down Center of Stony-Island Expressway" - South-Side News-Courier article by Fertig 1954 June 17

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Box 1, Folder 13
"Gangs of Chicago" paper circa 1955

Box 1, Folder 14
"Street Worker's Diary" - daily activity reports 1955

Box 1, Folder 15
*Chicago* [magazine] 1955 September

Box 1, Folder 16
"Different Stages of Development of a 'Street Club' Group for Movement into the Center's Building Program" - paper 1956

Box 1, Folder 17
Correspondence - Charles H. Shireman to Richard J. Parvis re: Ralph Fertig 1956 April 11

Box 1, Folder 18-19
Hyde Park Youth Project progress reports 1955-12-1956-06

Box 1, Folder 20
"Reaching, Redirecting, and Research with Youth Through the Services of a Street Club Worker" - report by Fertig 1956 November 7

Box 1, Folder 21
Correspondence - Sophia M. Robison to Fertig re: thank you for report 1956 November 28

Box 1, Folder 22
"Street Clubs We Have Worked With: Summary of the First Six Months: Hyde Park Youth Project" - paper by Fertig circa 1956

Box 1, Folder 23
"Community Building" pamphlets - Southeast Neighborhood House circa 1950s-1960s

Box 1, Folder 24
Minutes of the first meeting of the Professional Advisory Sub-Committee on the Street Club Work of the Hyde Park Youth Project and the Hyde Park Neighborhood Club 1957 February 22

Box 1, Folder 25
"Les Freres" meeting summary 1957 March

Box 1, Folder 26
From the minutes of the Street Club Work Professional Advisory Committee meeting 1957 March 21

Box 1, Folder 27
"Resume of Street Club Services" - report by Fertig 1957 April 10

Box 1, Folder 28-29
"An Examination and Analysis of Techniques Used by a Street Club Worker in Handling Anti-Social Behavior of Youths Served in the Street Club Program and an Exploration of the Process of Referral of Street Club Members and Their Families for Case Work Service" 1957 May

Box 1, Folder 30
"Fertig Works with Teens at Gads Hill" *West Side Times* article 1957 August 22

Box 1, Folder 31
Correspondence - Fertig to Margaret Berry re: "hard-to-reach youth" 1957 September 5

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**Correspondence to and from Fertig 1973-1976**

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Includes correspondence from Fertig to Edward M. Kaitz and Reverend Felix D. Dancy and correspondence to Fertig from Frank H. Hollis, Harvey S. Perloff, Walter E. Washington, Neil C. Sandberg, James R. Moyer, R. Stephen Browning, Anni Landauer, Earl E. Raines, and John S. Gibson, Jr. The majority of this correspondence relates to Fertig's move from Washington, D.C. to Los Angeles, California.

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"Background Statement for Review of Housing Rehabilitation and Neighborhood Determination" - paper by Fertig 1976

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Letter of recommendation from Joan H. Cole to UCLA Department of Architecture and Urban Planning 1976 March 1

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"Proposal to Review the Impact on Inner City Neighborhoods of Services by Agencies Overseen by House Banking, Currency, and Housing Committee" - paper by Fertig 1976 March 14

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Letter of recommendation from Edmund G. Brown to Dean Murray Schwartz re: admission to UCLA Law School 1976 April 28

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"GLACAA, the War on Poverty, and Community Politics: The Roots of Municipal Imperialism in Los Angeles" 1976 June 15

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"issues in the Community Development Block Grant (CDBG), Neighborhood Determination and Housing Rehabilitation" - draft submission by Fertig 1976 July 7

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Committee on Banking, Currency and Housing Hearings on Urban Recovery - memorandum and notes 1976-08-1976-09

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Interview with Fertig by *The Docket* and resumes 1976 November 23

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"A Report to the Chairman of the Committee on Banking, Currency and Housing" - memorandum and report by Fertig 1976-07-23-1976-12-28

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"Urban Development Strategy for California" - Advisory Committee draft 1977 May

Box 3, Folder 34

"Community Development Block Grants: A Metropolitan Perspective" - Housing Committee of the Community Relations Conference of Southern California 1977 June 6

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"The Environment, the Economy and the Excluded" - guest opinion article by Fertig in Sierra Club Bulletin 1977 August

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Final Exam: Law and the Poor 1977 December 13

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"Cramalot" - play by Fertig 1978 May 13

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"An Enquiry into the Initiation, Development and Maintenance of Relations Between Lawyers and Clients" study by Fertig 1978 June 14

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Program in Social Ecology: Faculty Research Interests and Representative Publications 1978 July 15

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"Coming of Age in the City: Older People in Older Houses in Older Neighborhoods" - research paper by Fertig 1978 July

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"Urban Aid Often AIDS Abuses Instead" - *Los Angeles Times* article by Fertig 1978 October 4

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"Planning for Economic Integration with the Use of Law" - Fertig dissertation proposal circa 1970s

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Letter from Fertig re: bilingual graduation announcements 1979 March 18

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"Equal Law and Social Justice: Initial Explorations for a Dissertation on Efforts to Reallocate Legal Services to the Poor" - paper by Fertig 1979 April 16

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"Law School Caught Up in Battle Over Bilingual Grad Announcements" - article in UCLA Daily Bruin 1979 April 23

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Box 4, Folder 11-12

"Poverty, the Law, and the System of Justice" - a proposed dissertation in Urban Planning by Fertig 1979 November 7

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Law and Poverty - final exam with Supreme Court brief: Rodriguez and Martinez v. Sawyer circa 1979

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"Backgrounds of the War Against Poverty" - paper by Fertig circa 1970s-1980s
Box 4, Folder 17: "Statement on Unifying Philosophy for Settlement Houses for the National Capital Area Federation of Settlements and Neighborhood Centers" - paper by Fertig circa 1966

Box 4, Folder 18: "Law as an Item of Collective Consumption" - paper by Fertig circa 1979

Box 4, Folder 19: Memorandum to Julius Edelstein and Dudley Morris, Jimmy Carter's National Urban Policy Task Force circa 1979

Box 6, Folder 5: Housing Team memorandum, Western Center on Law and Poverty 1977

Box 7, Folder 31: USC Community Service Center - proposal by Fertig 1976

Box 7, Folder 32: Program Handbook Area Council No. 8 - Greater Los Angeles Community Action Agency circa 1975

Box 7, Folder 33: UCLA Asian American Law Students Association proposal for alternate admissions program circa 1979

Box 8, Folder 49: "A Proposed Position Paper in Our Continuing Fight Against Poverty" - paper by Fertig circa 1975

Box 8, Folder 50: "Representation by Counsel in Criminal Cases" - paper by Fertig circa 1960s-1980s

Box 8, Folder 51: "article on the environment, the economy, and the excluded" by Fertig circa 1970s

Box 8, Folder 54: "A Haggadah for All People" - essay by Fertig circa 1970s-1980s

Box 8, Folder 55: "Some Reflections Upon a Career of Community-Based Efforts for Social Reform" - paper by Fertig circa 1960s

Box 9, Folder 3: "Reaching Rejected Youth" - article by Fertig 1960

Box 9, Folder 4: Personal writings and photographs 1947-1984

Scope and Contents
Includes portraits of an unidentified child (possibly Fertig); a poem; clippings of writings by Fertig—one titled "A Man's Poetic Wanderlust"; an article about Fertig winning an orator contest for Hirsch High School; and the score of a happy birthday song for Fertig "from Karen" for Fertig's 40th birthday.

Box 9, Folder 5: Photograph and article featuring Arthur H. Fertig circa 1940s

Scope and Contents
Photographic print of Arthur H. Fertig with two other naval officers and a clipping of an article titled, "Proud Father, Hero Son." Text from the article: "Capt. Arthur H. Fertig, USMS, recently on leave, is shown here with his dad, Arthur J. Fertig, 1506 Rosemont."

Box 9, Folder 6: [American Maritime Officer (newspaper) featuring Arthur Fertig] 1981 June

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Box 9, Folder 7: [Portrait of a young girl by Frank Moore Studios] circa 1930s-1950s

Box 9, Folder 8: Photograph of Ralph Fertig, Martin Sheen, and unidentified man circa 1970s-1980s

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Box 9, Folder 10: Book of poems by H. T. Tsiang 1929

Box 9, Folder 11: Photocopies from "Rebel Voices: An IWW Anthology" 1964


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Various titles were used for different drafts of this work, including: "Legacies: The Life and Times of an American Liberal - Book I: The Chicago Years"; "The Life and Times of an American Liberal: A Personal/ Political Perspective of the Twentieth Century - Book I: The Chicago Years"; and "Searching for Justice in Chicago." In these folders, "Searching for Justice in Chicago" is the title with the latest date.

Box 10, Folder 6: Flyer - protest march to-do list circa 1970s-1990s

Box 10, Folder 7: "Roots" book manuscript by Fertig circa 1995

Box 10, Folder 8: "Farewell to Ralph" song circa 1981

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Box 10, Folder 22  "Katinga (As Told to Katie) - draft by Fertig 1973 February 13
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Box 10, Folder 26  "Ours is a society in which wealth and power [...]" - paper by Fertig 1973 February 1
Box 10, Folder 27  "Hope for the Family" - D.C. Coalition of Conscience brochure 1965
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Box 11, Folder 26  New Careers Development Program - Necessary Ingredients circa 1972
Box 11, Folder 27  Southern California Americans for Democratic Action (SCADA) 1968-2003 1980s

Scope and Contents
This series contains correspondence, event programs, newsletters, documentation of organizational initiatives, and other documents internal to SCADA. Material dates from 1968 to 2003, with the majority of these documents created in the 1980s.

Box 4, Folder 20-21  El Salvador correspondence, activism, and resources 1982-1985
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                    March 28
Box 8, Folder 46   Maps of California's proposed assembly districts 1981
Box 8, Folder 47   "Wake Up Democrats! Take Back the Country" conference 2001 June 24
Box 8, Folder 48   SCADA tax exemption application and bylaws 1981-1983
Box 11, Folder 24  "Sham A Lot" - political satire by Fertig circa 1980s
Box 11, Folder 15  Iran-Contra research and initiatives 1987
Box 11, Folder 16  "Organizing a Major Issue Campaign" guide circa 1980s
Box 11, Folder 17  One Thousand Days: The Reagan Record 1983 October
Box 11, Folder 18  Simpson-Mazzoli Bill 1982-1983
Box 11, Folder 20  [ADA event - photographic proof sheets] circa 1980s
Box 11, Folder 21  Stickers 1968-1980
Humanitarian Law Project (HLP) 1978-2004 1990s

Scope and Contents
This series contains editions of HLP newsletters, correspondence, administrative records, research relating to Kurdistan, and legal proceedings and briefs from cases involving HLP. The bulk of this material was created in the 1990s while Fertig served as HLP’s president. One case that is well-documented in this series, Humanitarian Law Project, et al. v. Janet Reno, et al., was a federal court case concerning the rights of people in the United States to provide material support to organizations classified by the U.S. Government as engaged in terrorist activities. The Sri Lanka-based Liberation Tigers of Tamil Eelam (LTTE) and the Turkey-based Kurdistan Workers Party (PKK) were specific organizations concerned in this case.

Box 6, Folder 7  PROTOCOL [newsletter] 1990-1991
Box 6, Folder 10  Correspondence to Sergei Aizavian, Soviet Consul General re: issue of PROTOCOL (publication) review 1990 June 8
Box 6, Folder 15  Contacts - Board of Directors 1990 June
Box 6, Folder 16  International Educational Development (IED) memorandum - "United Nations Sub-Commission" 1990 September 10
Box 6, Folder 17  HLP overviews, projects, and editions of PROTOCOL 1990-1995
Box 6, Folder 18  "Seeking Peace Through Law" - paper by Fertig circa 1996
Box 6, Folder 19  International Educational Development (IED) Report on our Work at the UN Commission on Human Rights 1992
Box 6, Folder 20  "The Humanitarian Law Project Honors Sister Pat Krommer" - event program 1992 February 14
Box 6, Folder 22  "An Urgent Appeal for Intervention" - Project AIDS International (PAI) 1993 August
Box 6, Folder 24  "Nuremberg -- Fifty Years: Accountability and Responsibility" -- excerpt from University of Missouri-Kansas City Law Review 1995
Box 6, Folder 25  "A Living Tree: The Roots and Growth of Jewish Law" - reprinted excerpt 1988
Box 6, Folder 26  HLP/IED minutes of board meeting and correspondence 1994-1995
Box 6, Folder 27  1000 Friends of the Humanitarian Law Project circa 1994
Box 6, Folder 28  "Healing Wounded People: Bringing Justice to War Crimes Victims" - excerpt from United States Holocaust Memorial Museum 1997
Box 6, Folder 29  Correspondence from Jerome M. Segal, Jewish Peace Lobby 1997 September
Box 6, Folder 30  Publications from Senator Alan Cranston re: campaign for a new United Nations charter 1996-1997
Box 6, Folder 31  International Education Development by-laws 1978 May 18
Box 6, Folder 32  Sink or Shrink - the Turnaround Agenda circa 1999
Box 6, Folder 33  Arms and the Men - HLP Research Program re: Turkey circa 1998
Box 6, Folder 34  Letters to the Editor (Los Angeles Times) by Fertig re: Kurdistan Workers Party (PKK) 1998 April 7
Box 6, Folder 35  Email from Mike Farrell to Fertig re: "War on the Mexican People" 1998 July 3
Box 6, Folder 37  "Legal Brief Against NATO" re: criminal tribunal for former Yugoslavia 1999 May 8
Box 6, Folder 38  "The Use of Torture and Overall Trend Toward Increased Human Rights Violations Under Kim Dae-Jung Government in South Korea" - paper 1999 April
Box 7, Folder 1  Arms Sales Monitor (newsletter) 2000 April
Box 7, Folder 2  Correspondence to members of the National Coalition to Protect Political Freedom re: Humanitarian Law Project v. Reno 2000
Box 7, Folder 3  List of principal programs - Guatemala and El Salvador circa 1993
Box 7, Folder 4  "Human Rights Abuses by America" - paper by Fertig circa 1998
Box 7, Folder 5  Zapatista: A Big Noise Film - fax to Fertig 1998
Box 7, Folder 6  "Jewish Ambivalence and the Psychodynamics of American Politics" - article from Tikkun Magazine by Michael Lerner 1989 June
Box 7, Folder 7  "Conflict Resolution and the Question of Democracy in Nicaragua" - PROTOCOL (newsletter) review 1988 July
| Box 7, Folder 8 | "Human Rights Abuses by United States" - article by Fertig in PROTOCOL (newsletter) 1990 February |
| Box 7, Folder 9 | "Humanitarian Law and the Tamil Struggle" article in PROTOCOL (newsletter) 1990 May |
| Box 7, Folder 10 | "Guatemalan Refugees and the Politics of Asylum" article in PROTOCOL (newsletter) 1989 August |
| Box 7, Folder 11 | Parliamentarians Global Action - 1990 Prospectus circa 1990 |
| Box 7, Folder 12 | "Create the State of Palestine!" article in PROTOCOL (newsletter) 1988 November |
| Box 7, Folder 13 | "The Current Conflict Between Turkish Armed Forces and the Kurds of Southeast Anatolia" - paper by Fertig and Patricia Krommer 1991 July |
| Box 7, Folder 14 | "Seeking Peace Through Law" - HLP report by Fertig circa 1996 |
| Box 7, Folder 15 | "U.S. Arms Trade with Turkey Violates U.S. and International Laws - Contributing to the Genocide of the Kurds" report by Fertig 1998 |
| Box 7, Folder 16 | HLP press release re: Kurdish Workers Party (PKK) 1998 June 19 |
| Box 7, Folder 17 | "Declaration of the Foundation Conference of the People's Congress of Kurdistan" printouts from Internet Archive 2004 March 14 |
| Box 7, Folder 19 | Correspondence to Nobel Peace Prize Committee re: nomination of Leyla Zana of Turkey 1998 May 28 |
| Box 7, Folder 20 | Correspondence from Fertig re: support for the Center for Congressional Rights (CCR) 1998 May 16 |
| Box 7, Folder 29 | Correspondence from Jill A. Rowe to Fertig re: Southwestern University School of Law 1998 April 29 |
| Box 7, Folder 30 | Correspondence from Chris Jennings to Fertig re: Federal Work Study agreement 1998 May 26 |
| Box 7, Folder 35 | Comments and Suggestions for Immigration Rights Initiative circa 1990s |
| Box 8, Folder 32 | "A People Struggling for their Homeland: The Kurds of Anatolia" - article by Fertig circa 1995 |
| Box 8, Folder 42 | Humanitarian Law Project v. Janet Reno - petition for a writ of certiorari circa 2000 |
| Box 8, Folder 43 | Humanitarian Law Project v. John Ashcroft 2004 |
| Box 8, Folder 53 | Humanitarian Law Project flyer circa 1998 |
| Box 11, Folder 13 | [Board meeting minutes, Mexico Elections Information Project, and other HLP initiatives] 1992 |

**University Synagogue 1997-2000**

**Scope and Contents**

This series consists of clippings, presentation material, correspondence, and organizational rosters spanning 1997 to 2000, during the time that Fertig chaired the Social Justice Committee of the University Synagogue in Los Angeles.

| Box 7, Folder 44 | Social Justice Committee - proposed roster 1997 |
| Box 7, Folder 46 | Forum on Freedom of the Press 1998 |
| Box 7, Folder 47 | "A Dedicated Synagogue Leader: Ralph Fertig" - article in The Torch (newsletter) 1998 March |
| Box 8, Folder 1 | Habitat for Humanity 1999 |
| Box 8, Folder 2 | Statements of revenues and expenses 1999 February |
| Box 8, Folder 3 | Correspondence re: "Jews in Ethiopia" 1999 |
| Box 8, Folder 4 | "Defining Jerusalem" - article by Jerome M. Segal in Middle East Insight January-February 1999 |
| Box 8, Folder 5 | "Separation of Church and State" - article in The Torch (newsletter) 1999 December |
| Box 8, Folder 6 | Social Justice Committee correspondence 1997-2000 |
| Box 8, Folder 7 | Violence against women - prevention and legislative background 2000 |
| Box 8, Folder 8 | Correspondence - stop gun violence 2000 |
| Box 8, Folder 9 | Correspondence - debt relief 2000 |
| Box 8, Folder 10 | Correspondence from Fertig - "separation of church and state a vital issue in presidential race" 2000 |
| Box 8, Folder 11 | "An Evening with Dr. Jay" [Jay I. Frailich] flyer 2000 |
| Box 8, Folder 13 | SOVA - High Holiday Food Drive invitation circa 2000 |
| Box 8, Folder 14 | Letter from Fertig to Gray Davis re: California hunger programs circa 2000 |
Box 8, Folder 15  "Who's Backing Whom? Jewish Supporters Line Up Behind Their Candidates" - article by Tom Tugend in The Jewish Journal 2000 February 18
Box 8, Folder 16  "Adopted Resolution Regarding the Boy Scouts of America" memorandum 2000 March 9
Box 8, Folder 17  "Pope John Paul II: Pilgrim in the Holy Land" - article by Rabbi Michael A. Singer circa 2000
Box 8, Folder 18  S.M.A.R.T Talk newsletter [Santa Monicans Allied for Responsible Tourism] 2000 March
Box 8, Folder 19  "Who Owns America" - program 2000 April 9
Box 8, Folder 20  "Cancel the Debt, Now!" brochure 2000 April 9
Box 8, Folder 21  Los Angeles Regional Food Bank newsletter - "Noteworthy" 2000 Winter
Box 8, Folder 22  Contacts 1997
Box 8, Folder 23  Board of Trustees roster 1999-2000
Box 8, Folder 24  Social Justice Committee's presentation of Teofilo Ruiz 1999
Box 8, Folder 25  Social Justice Committee - planning and flyer for "Not in My Backyard: Cultural Conflict in L.A." 1997
Box 8, Folder 26  Social Justice Committee forum on public health care for children 1998
Box 8, Folder 27  The Abraham Fund 1998
Box 8, Folder 28  USC School of Social Work 2003-2014 1947-2014
Scope and Contents
This series consists of course material, correspondence, research, photographs, audiovisual material, and other records that were held in Fertig's USC School of Social Work office when he retired in 2016. Material spans 1947 to 2014, with the bulk dating from 2003 to 2012.

Box 11, Folder 28  Diane Watson Resource Fair (homelessness) 2008-2009
Scope and Contents
"Congresswoman Diane E. Watson presents Working into Recovery Resource Fair, Saturday, April 11, 2009." Includes pamphlets and guides for resources relating to housing and social services.

Box 11, Folder 30-34, Box 12, Folder 1  Homelessness resources 2004-2008
Scope and Contents
Includes pamphlets, guides, and promotional material collected by Fertig on resources for the homeless. Publishers include the Venice Family Clinic; Shelter Partnership, Inc.; Institute for the Study of Homelessness and Poverty at the Weingart Center; National Alliance to End Homelessness; RAND Corporation; Inter-University Consortium Against Homelessness; Downtown Women’s Center (Los Angeles), Venice Community Housing Corporation, and the Lamp Community. Also included is a small amount of presentation material from students of Fertig's SOWK 535: Social Welfare Policy course. Information on Senator Gil Cedillo's two bills included in the "Skid Row Package" (SB 1318 and SB 1320) is also covered.

Box 12, Folder 2  Processing Information
Most of these materials were found in folders labeled "Homelessness resources." Smaller portions of this text were found loose and unfoldered adjacent to the folders labeled "Homelessness resources."

Box 12, Folder 3-4  Fact sheets (homelessness) 2007-2008
[Homelessness resources and literature] 2006-2008
Scope and Contents
Two folders containing mostly information on resources for the homeless. Materials include pamphlets, brochures, a newsletter, presentation material, housing-related excerpts from the U.S. government's report to CERD, and articles and essays on homelessness.
Box 12, Folder 5  "Without a Home in America" presentation material 2007
Scope and Contents
Presentation material and talking points for a presentation titled "Without a Home in America" given by Fertig in 2007.

Box 12, Folder 6-7  Bring Los Angeles Home: the Campaign to End Homelessness 2006
Box 12, Folder 9  ['The Right to Housing" conference material] 2006
Box 12, Folder 10  ["Aggregating Student Power to Alleviate Homelessness" - paper by Fertig] 2007
Box 12, Folder 11  Homelessness 2000-2008
Scope and Contents
Articles, research reports, and other publications and correspondence on homelessness, homeless people with HIV/AIDS, homeless domestic violence victims, elderly homeless populations, and statistics on homeless deaths in Los Angeles. Publishers include Beyond Shelter, Los Angeles Times, Los Angeles Coalition to End Hunger and Homelessness, Inter-University Consortium Against Homelessness, and the Institute for the Study of Homelessness and Poverty.

Box 12, Folder 12-13  Articles on homelessness 2003-2009
Scope and Contents
Also includes handwritten notes, published studies, presentation material, and essays on homelessness.

Box 12, Folder 14  LACEHH [Los Angeles Coalition To End Hunger and Homelessness] 2005-2007
Box 12, Folder 15, Box 13, Folder 1  [Homeless families and youth research and resources] 2001-2010
Box 13, Folder 2-3  [Housing resolution actions and the Subcommittee on Housing and Community Opportunity] 2009
Scope and Contents
Includes testimonies by Fertig and his students before the Subcommittee on Housing and Community Opportunity; letters to Congresswoman Maxine Waters; and correspondence between Fertig and Steven B. Sample regarding these actions.

Box 13, Folder 4  Inclusionary zoning 2004-2008
Box 13, Folder 5-6  City of Los Angeles inclusionary housing study 2002 September 25
Box 13, Folder 7-8  [Gil Cedillo California State Senate bills] 2006-2007
Scope and Contents
The majority of this material relates to the 2007 California Senate Bill 2 (SB 2), including audio recordings, correspondence, and transcriptions related to the bill. Senate bills 1318, 1320, 1321, 1322, and 1323 are also covered. All of these bills involve Gil Cedillo when he was a member of the California Senate from the 22nd district.

Box 13, Folder 12  Global 2004, 2011
Scope and Contents
Includes correspondence, articles, and records of legal proceedings. Publishers include Human Rights Watch and the Coalition to Abolish Slavery and Trafficking (CAST).

Box 14, Folder 1-4  [Humanitarian Law Project legal proceedings] 2010
Scope and Contents
Transcripts of legal proceedings from the U.S. Supreme Court case: Eric H. Holder, Jr., et al. v. Humanitarian Law Project, et al. Also includes records of legal proceedings from other cases involving the Humanitarian Law Project.
Box 14, Folder 5  [Offprints and reproductions of writings on labor, production, and consumption] 1956, 1961
Scope and Contents
Titles of these works include "Consumers of Abundance;" "The Worker and his Society;" "The Meaning of Labor;" "Value, Price and Profit;" "The Organization of Man;" "Work, Production and Consumption;" and "Labor, Leisure and Happiness." Authors include Gerard Piel, Karl Marx, and William H. Whyte, Jr.
General
Dates of reproduction are unknown. The only copyright dates specified in the material are 1956 and 1961.

Box 14, Folder 8-10  Diane Nash emails 2009-2010
Scope and Contents
Relates to Freedom Riders 50th anniversary event.

Box 14, Folder 12  Civil Rights photographs 1981
Scope and Contents
Most of these images are photocopies of originals from the 1960s. Also includes a 1981 pamphlet from the Freedom Rider Coordinating Committee for the Twentieth Anniversary Reunion of the Los Angeles Freedom Riders.

Box 15, Folder 3-7  Original writings 1969-1973, 2001-2008
creator: Fertig, Ralph D.
Scope and Contents

Box 15, Folder 9  [Jose Luis - notes on the history of Mexico] 2006 May 15
Scope and Contents
Notepad titled "Jose Luis - 5/15/06." Contains notes on historical dates in Mexican history starting in 1325.

Box 15, Folder 10  "Public Welfare" [play by Fertig] 2006
Box 15, Folder 11  "His Honor" [play by Fertig] 2005
Scope and Contents
A play in one act. Contains text of the play, information on awards, and a notebook.

Box 15, Folder 12-13  Social work songs 2003
Box 16, Folder 1  Speeches and lectures 2009
creator: Fertig, Ralph D.
Box 16, Folder 2  All School Day 2010-2012
Scope and Contents
"All School Day is an educational forum co-led by students and faculty to discuss how we can better communicate across differences [...]"
Box 16, Folder 3  
**Visiting lectures circa 2007**

**Scope and Contents**

Includes biographical sketches of Bruce Jeffrey Einhorn and copies of a 1968 U.S. Government memorandum titled: "Leak of FBI Documents Concerning Ralph D. Fertig to Senator Robert C. Byrd."

Box 16, Folder 4  
**California Social Welfare Archives (CSWA) 2008-2009**

Box 16, Folder 5  
**Awards 2003-2010**

Box 16, Folder 6  
**Thank you cards and letters 2006-2011**

**Scope and Contents**

Also includes photographs of Fertig, including a group photograph featuring Fertig with Eric Garcetti.

Box 16, Folder 7  
**USC Master Plan 2008**

Box 16, Folder 8  
**CSWE [Council on Social Work Education] 2008**

Box 16, Folder 9  
**[USC School of Social Work faculty meetings and Curriculum Revision Committee] 2013-2014**

Box 16, Folder 10-17, Box 17, Folder 1-4  

**Scope and Contents**

Includes drafts and corrections--sometimes separated by chapter; handwritten notes; correspondence between authors and contributors; research on USC’s history with social work; photocopies of images to use in the book along with forms documenting image usage rights; and a CD labeled “USC Digital Archives photos for Social Work book.”

**Related Materials**

See also Box 31 of this collection, "Audiovisual material - CDs and DVDs, 2004-2011" for digital images collected for use in this book.

Box 17, Folder 5-10, Box 18, Folder 1  
**[USC School of Social Work Reaffirmation Self-Study] 2009**

Box 18, Folder 2  
**MSW Standards: Reaccreditation Self-Study Report 2008**

Box 18, Folder 3  
**[Remarks by Fertig to the National Association of Social Workers (NASW) 2004 March 26**

Box 18, Folder 4-5  
**[Curriculum Policy Review Committee (CPRC) recommendations and meeting minutes] 2010**

Box 18, Folder 6  
**["Recollections on Martin Luther King's Birthday: An Autobiographical Sketch On One Man's Freedom Ride" - essay by Fertig] 1996 January 15**

Box 18, Folder 7  
**[Maureen Reagan, Betty Ford, Mayor Tom Bradley, and Ralph Fertig at equal rights amendment march (photocopyed image from Los Angeles Times] 1981 August 23**

Box 18, Folder 8  
**[Articles in The Docket (publication) re: Bakke case and affirmative action] 1975-11-23-1978-11-01**

Box 18, Folder 9  
**["Come to the Watergate" - song by Fertig in DC Gazette] 1973 May 23**

Box 18, Folder 10  
**[Photocopies of articles re: Student Government (SG) and Student Representative Party (SRP)] 1952-1953**

Box 18, Folder 11  
**[Angelenos On the Move: Recent Ethnic Change in the Population of Los Angeles County and 14 Community Action Agency Areas - GLACAA report] 1975 March**

Box 18, Folder 12  
**[Curriculum Policy and Review Committee (CPRC) memoranda and guidelines] 1988**

Box 18, Folder 13  
**["A Survey of Relations Between Negroes and Jews in Chicago" - thesis by Fertig and related articles] 1949-1952**

**Related Materials**

Two other copies of Fertig's thesis were kept at Fertig's home. See the Social work and writings prior to law degree series for access to these copies.

Box 18, Folder 14  
**USC School of Social Work Bulletin 1990, 2000**

Box 18, Folder 15  
**[Publications Submitted for Promotion and Tenure by Madeleine R. Stoner] 1988**
Box 18, Folder 16

Curriculum Policy Review Committee (CPRC) 2005-2006

Scope and Contents
Includes a 2003 USC School of Social Work faculty and staff roster.

Box 18, Folder 17


Box 19, Folder 1-3


Box 19, Folder 4-7

[USC School of Social Work Faculty Council meeting minutes] 2003-2008

Scope and Contents
Includes a 2003 USC School of Social Work faculty and staff roster.

Box 19, Folder 8-9

[USC Strategic Planning Retreat and faculty retreats] 2004-2011

Scope and Contents
Includes group photographs of Fertig with others, resumes, articles featuring Fertig, and a handwritten letter from Ormond L. Wimberly Jr.

Box 19, Folder 10

Meetings and correspondence re: non-tenure track (NTT) faculty 2006-2007

Box 20, Folder 1-3

Reaffirmation Strategic Planning Meeting 2007

Box 20, Folder 4

Committee work 2003

Box 20, Folder 5

NASW Annual Legislative Lobby Days 2007-2008

Box 20, Folder 6-7

USC School of Social Work China Program 2002-2004

Scope and Contents
Includes printouts of group photographs featuring Fertig in China.

Related Materials
See also Box 31 of this collection, "Audiovisual material - CDs and DVDs, 2004-2011" for more material relating to Fertig's trips to China.

Box 20, Folder 8-9


Korea 2004

Box 20, Folder 10

Report on USC's India Connections 2007 November 19

Box 20, Folder 11


Box 20, Folder 12


Box 20, Folder 13


Box 20, Folder 14


Box 20, Folder 15


Box 20, Folder 16


Box 20, Folder 17


Box 20, Folder 18


Box 21, Folder 1

USC School of Social Work Teaching Retreat: Enhancing Diversity Coverage in the Classroom 2007 April

Box 21, Folder 2

[USC annual reports for various departments] 2005-2008

Box 21, Folder 3

USC School of Social Work Faculty Orientation 2003 Spring

Box 21, Folder 4

USC School of Social Work Faculty Handbook 2004 Fall

Box 21, Folder 5

USC School of Social Work: Reaccreditation Self-Study 2001

Box 21, Folder 6-8,

Box 22, Folder 1-2

Ph.D. Committee materials 2009-2011

Box 22, Folder 3

An Evening to Honor Julius Hobson - program 1972 November 14

Box 22, Folder 4


Box 22, Folder 5

USC School of Social Work Commencement - program 2012 May 11

Box 22, Folder 6

Teaching Tolerance (publication) 1992-1993

Box 22, Folder 7

USC School of Social Work Field Instruction Manual 1984

Box 22, Folder 8

Assorted publications to review 2009-2010

Scope and Contents
Various articles that focus on Fertig's past and achievements.
| Box 22, Folder 10 | Important contacts circa 2008 |
| Box 22, Folder 11 | USC Civic and Community Relations - brochures 2001 |
| Box 22, Folder 12 | Peggy Ellis [contact information and letters of recommendation] 2007-2008 |
| Box 22, Folder 13 | [Annual reports from the Lombardi Program on Measuring University Performance] 2003, 2005 |
| Box 22, Folder 14 | "The Decline of the Labor Movement and What Can Be Done About It" - a report to the Center for the Study of Democratic Institutions 1961 |
| Box 22, Folder 15 | A Time to Listen... A Time to Act - a report of the U.S. Commission on Civil Rights 1967 |
| Box 22, Folder 16 | Employee Assistance Programs (EAP) - Making Them Work for Members - booklet circa 1994 |
| Box 22, Folder 17 | USC School of Social Work Overview of Chief Administrators 2002 |
| Box 22, Folder 18-19 | The Project on Faculty Performance and Compensation 1998-1999 |
| Box 22, Folder 21 | [USC School of Social Work faculty profiles and orientation resources] 2002-2003 |
| Box 23, Folder 1 | [USC academic integrity guidelines] 1997-1998 |
| Box 23, Folder 2 | Application for promotion to Clinical Professor - curriculum vitae and personal statement 2009 October 1 |
| Box 23, Folder 3-9 | Materials submitted in support of application for promotion to Clinical Professor - Volume 1 - educational materials 2009 November 2 |
| Box 24, Folder 1 | Materials submitted in support of application for promotion to Clinical Professor - Volume 2 - service and scholarship 2009 November 2 |
| Box 25, Folder 3-5 | Biographical / Historical |
| | Madeleine Stoner worked and taught at the USC School of Social Work from 1980 until her death in 2008. Stoner was also married to Fertig for the last five years of her life. |
| Box 25, Folder 6 | Scope and Contents |
| | Course material from Stoner's students -- primarily from SoWk 533: History and Philosophy of Social Work. Also includes some writings by Stoner, such as her 1975 paper titled "Precursors of Social Security in the United States." Lastly, two group photographs featuring Stoner with others involved in the School of Social Work are included. |
| Box 25, Folder 7-9 | School of social work - rankings and annual reports 2008 |
| Box 26, Folder 3-6 | Poverty and inequality resources 2000-2006 |
| | Scope and Contents |
| | Includes material from Fertig's SOWK 545 course, a report from Los Angeles Alliance for a New Economy (LAANE), and a publication by the United Coalition East Prevention Project. |
| Box 27, Folder 1 | [Madeleine Stoner writings and material from memorial service] 1997-2008 |
| Box 27, Folder 2 | Interfaith Call to Justice conference material 2007 |
| Box 27, Folder 3-9 | Schools of social work - rankings and annual reports 2008 |
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Contains material created by the Venice Family Clinic, including a CD titled, "Community Needs Assessment 2002."
Box 27, Folder 2-3

Box 27, Folder 7-8
Box 28, Folder 1
Box 28, Folder 2-5
Box 28, Folder 6
Forensic social work 2005
Scope and Contents
Includes a syllabus from the course, SOWK 599: Understanding Criminal Justice Within Social Work.

Box 28, Folder 7
Scope and Contents
Also includes a syllabus for the course, SOWK 648: Macro Practice for Social Services and Administration.

Box 28, Folder 8-9
Box 29, Folder 1
Box 29, Folder 2-4
Box 29, Folder 5-6
Scope and Contents
Includes information on the use of law in social welfare advocacy, mental health policy, "the state of Black Los Angeles," Americans with Disabilities Act, Los Angeles Juvenile Court, employment discrimination, resources on mediation, and information on the Law and Mediation Offices of Judith C. Nesburn.
Scope and Contents
Includes material published by the Inner City Law Center and the Center for Young Women's Development.

Box 30, Folder 2
Box 30, Folder 4-7
Audiovisual material - CDs and DVDs 2004-2011
Scope and Contents
This box contains audiovisual material and backups held on CDs and DVDs. Included are media given to Fertig by students, including a film titled "Where Goes the Neighborhood" given by Bera Sekhon and a video that students prepared from NASW Lobby Days.
Fertig's PowerPoint presentations, lectures, and material relating to assignments are also included. Other than course-related material, this box contains media labeled with Fertig's various trips to China, backups of images from archival research collected for the "100 Years of Social Work" book, documentary films, and instructional videos.

Box 31
Audiovisual material - floppy disks 1990-2000
Scope and Contents
Includes disks with data relating to "Beyond Shelter" and disks labeled with Madeleine Stoner's name.
Processing Information
Some of these disks were found in a small box labeled "Marjorie Hays" with Hays' address in Ohio.
Finding aid for the Ralph Fertig papers 0362
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Photograph was taken by Lori Shepler and features Laurie Ostrow, Ralph Fertig, Cesar Chavez, Hugh R. Manes, and Cruz Reynoso.

| Box, Folder 11 | Program for Peoples College of Law Clarence Darrow Award honoring Dan Stormer 1991 |
| 6, Folder 14 | "Voices of America: Accent, Antidiscrimination Law, and a Jurisprudence for the Last Reconstruction" - Yale Law Journal reprint 1991 March |
| 6, Folder 21 | UCLA Extension - notes and instructor's guides and contract 1993 |
| 7, Folder 21 | Arbitration between American Federation of Government Employees and Equal Employment Opportunity Commission 1993 |
| 7, Folder 22 | "Delhi to Bhopal" personal narrative by Fertig circa 1998 |
| 7, Folder 24 | India (correspondence with Vijay Panjwani, 1993, 1999 |
| 7, Folder 26 | Barbara Landgraf v. USI Film Products et al. - sexual harassment case file 1994 |
| 7, Folder 27 | "Practical Aspects of Arbitration for Non-Represented Employees" - Los Angeles County Bar Association report 1994 February 17 |
| 7, Folder 28 | "Key Civil Rights Post Left Empty as Search Falters" - Los Angeles Times article by Ronald Brownstein 1994 May 22 |
| 7, Folder 34 | "Chilling a Quarter Century of Civil Rights Progress Is No Mere Technicality" - article by Augustus F. Hawkins 1989 July 11 |
| 7, Folder 37 | [Articles and reports on U.S. politics] 1989-1990 |
| 7, Folder 39 | Fertig & Gramling Law Partnership brochure circa 1980s-1990s |

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"Senior partners Christopher R. Fertig and Frank R. Gramling have modeled their firm to reflect [...]."

| Box, Folder 40-41 | Peoples College of Law brochures and event programs 1982-1995 |
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| 7, Folder 43 | "Issuing a Decision Without a Hearing in Employment Discrimination Cases of Federal Employees" - Federal Equal Opportunity newsletter 1996 September 24 |
| 7, Folder 45 | Library catalog search results re: "Kurds and Jews" 1998 |
| 7, Folder 48 | "Suit Challenges Ban on Aid to Terrorists" - Los Angeles Times article 1998 March 20 |
| 8, Folder 12 | ["How the Student Representative Party (SRP) Brought Paul Robeson to Campus" - correspondence and story for SRP reunion] 2000 |
| 8, Folder 27 | The Constitution and Terrorism" - article in Washington Post 1998 March 27 |
| 8, Folder 28 | "Punished for Your Support" - article by Robyn E. Blumner 1998 April 5 |
| 8, Folder 29 | Disappearances -- a recurring nightmare in Turkey 1998 June 16 |
| 8, Folder 30 | Turkey/U.S. Defense meeting - news release 1998 July 14 |
| 8, Folder 31 | Congressional update on Turkish legislation 1998 July 22 |
| 8, Folder 33 | Transfer of Excess Defense Articles to Turkey circa 1997 |
| 8, Folder 34 | U.S. Senate's voting record re: Turkey circa 1997 |
Box 8, Folder 35  "Kurds in Turkey" - letter to the editor by Fertig in Los Angeles Times circa 1990s
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Box 8, Folder 39  U.S. Senate vote on D'Amato Amendment 1998 July 24
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Box 8, Folder 42  "The Good Guys" - human rights supporters in U.S. Congress circa 1990s
Box 9, Folder 1  Report on U.S. Senate defense spending circa 1997
Box 9, Folder 2  Report on U.S. senators' voting records circa 1997
Box 9, Folder 3  Love and Liberation: When the Jews Tore Down the Ghetto Walls - an historical novel by Fertig (manuscript) 2000
Folder 12-15  Universal Declaration of Human Rights 1998
Box 11, Folder 4  "Snewsletter" - Writers Guild of America, West 1983-05-31-1983-12-23
Box 11, Folder 5  Letter from Hare & Bush Pregnancy Laboratories to Marjorie Hays Fertig 1991 October 11
Box 11, Folder 6  Letter to the Editor, "California Lawyer" - re: correction to September crossword puzzle 1996 October 9
Box 11, Folder 7  "Letters to the Times" (Los Angeles Times) re: Proposition 209 1996 December 3
Box 11, Folder 8  "Hearing Set on Case Against Handbill Law" - article in Pasadena Weekly 1998 December 3
Box 11, Folder 9  "Who Owns America" - program agenda 2000 April 9
Box 11, Folder 10  Fertig biography on Discover the Network website 2000 December 2
Box 11, Folder 11  Civil Rights Chronicle - correspondence and guidelines for eyewitness sidebars circa 2003
Box 11, Folder 12  [Ralph Fertig papers inventories] 2009 January 5
Box 11, Folder 28  General
These inventories describe past file-level instances. The box and folder numbering in these inventories is no longer accurate. These inventories were only created for the papers that were donated from Fertig's home circa 2008 and do not describe any of the material held in his USC office when he retired in 2016.

Map-case 8, drawer 1
Kurdish Holocaust poster circa 1990s
Scope and Contents
Undated Kurdish Holocaust poster signed by the artist, but signature is illegible.
Processing Information
The Kurdish Holocaust poster and Freedom Riders Day proclamation poster and correspondence were found rolled together in a shipping tube addressed to Fertig. They are currently stored together in the same folder, but described under different catalog records.