

# American Society of Adlerian Psychology Records

A Finding Aid to the Collection in the  
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## Collection Summary

Title: American Society of Adlerian Psychology Records

Span Dates: 1951-1970

ID No.: MSS49361

Creator: American Society of Adlerian Psychology

Extent: 600 items; 3 containers; 1.2 linear feet

Language: Collection material in English

Repository: Manuscript Division, Library of Congress, Washington, D.C.

Abstract: Society founded in 1951 to foster and promote the work and teachings of Adlerian psychology and its founder, Alfred Adler. Renamed the North American Society of Adlerian Psychology in 1977. Correspondence, minute books, membership lists, and organizational material relating to the history and incorporation of the society.

## 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.

### Personal Names

Adler, Alfred, 1870-1937.

### Organizations

American Society of Adlerian Psychology.

### Subjects

Adlerian psychology.

Psychology--United States.

## Administrative Information

### Provenance:

The records of the American Society of Adlerian Psychology were given to the Library of Congress by Rowena R. Ansbacher in 1972.

### Processing History:

The collection was processed in 1984. The finding aid was revised in 2009.

### Copyright Status:

The status of copyright in the unpublished writings of the American Society of Adlerian Psychology is governed by the Copyright Law of the United States (Title 17, U.S.C.).

### Access and Restrictions:

The records of the American Society of Adlerian Psychology are open to research. Researchers are advised to contact the Manuscript Reading Room prior to visiting. Many collections are stored off-site and advance notice is needed to retrieve these items for research use.

### Preferred Citation:

Researchers wishing to cite this collection should include the following information: Container number, American Society of Adlerian Psychology Records, Manuscript Division, Library of Congress, Washington, D.C.

## Scope and Content Note

The records of the American Society of Adlerian Psychology span the years 1951-1970 and consist of correspondence, minute books, membership lists, and organizational material relating to the history and incorporation of an organization founded in 1951 to foster the work and teachings of Adlerian psychology and its founder, Alfred Adler.

## Arrangement of the Papers

This collection is grouped as correspondence, arranged chronologically, followed by other types of material, arranged alphabetically.

# Container List

<i>Container</i>	<i>Contents</i>
BOX 1	Correspondence, 1954-1955 (9 folders)
BOX 1	Articles of incorporation, constitution, bylaws, and amendments, 1954-1965
BOX 2	Minutes, reports, and related material, 1953-1966 (2 folders)
BOX 2	Minute books, 1951-1967 (2 folders)
BOX 3	Miscellany
BOX 3	Alfred Adler Centennial, 1970
BOX 3	Applications, 1954-1966
BOX 3	General, 1954-1970
BOX 3	"Home-School Cooperative Education . . .," by Genevieve Painter and Betty Jane Overholt, 1966
BOX 3	"International Book List on Individual Psychology," 1961
BOX 3	Membership and other lists, 1954-1966
BOX 3	Press releases, 1964-1966
BOX 3	Printed matter, 1952-1966