

THE ASSOCIATION OF BOOK PUBLISHERS OF BRITISH COLUMBIA
1972 - 1988

An Inventory of their Records
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ADMINISTRATIVE HISTORY

The Association of Book Publishers of British Columbia (hereafter the ABPBC) is a provincial association of book publishers, and is an affiliate of the Association of Canadian Publishers. (ACP - which, for its first few years, was known as the Independent Publishers Association - the IPA.) In 1978 the present title was adopted. The membership (as of 1989) stands at forty-five. In both 1987 and 1989 the organization issued brochures which contained the following statement of objectives:

The Association believes that a vigorous B.C. owned and controlled book publishing industry is essential to the educational, social and economic life of the province. As a regional affiliate, it supports the aims and objectives of the ACP, giving priority to British Columbia in all instances. The objectives are set out in the Constitution and By-Laws of the ABPBC, incorporated and registered under that name in 1978.

The ABPBC defines its membership in terms of a publisher's volume: specifically the number of books in print and the annual production. The three grades of membership are:

1. Active: 7 titles in print, 3 new titles per year.
2. Associate : 3 titles in print, 2 new titles per year.
3. Supporting: 1 title published within the previous 3 years.

SCOPE AND CONTENTS

The ABPBC papers are contained in 12 boxes measuring 3.75 linear meters.

Two primary series have been set up on the basis of the ABPBC's own division of the files: an Administrative series and a Projects series. The former includes all the files which contain information on how the organization was run. It is divided into seven sub-series whose titles and patterns of organization mimic the ABPBC's original pattern. These sub-series are; Minutes, Finance, Memos, Correspondance, Membershop, ACP, and Government. The sub-series have been ordered so as to move from the internal to the external (the ABPBC's minutes then through to dealings with the outside organizations such as the ACP and Government). The Projects series is divided into seven subseries: Projects, Briefs, Promotion, Professional Development, Publishing Opportunities, Business Opportunities, and Marketing and Distribution. These divisions and thier multiple sub-divisions are based as closely as possible upon the ABPBC's own filing pattern.

The ABPBC's projects have been many and diverse over the years. The permanent Display is a collection of all books published in B.C. gathered by the ABPBC and housed at thier office. The ABPBC has organized numerous seminars and conferences, the most significant of which was the Canadian Conference on Electronic Publishing (CCEP). The CCEP, held in 1985, was the first major Canadian conference on the state, technique, and future of electronic publishing. The ABPBC had striven to promote B.C. published books since 1974, through the publication of magazines and flyers, notably "Books from B.C.", "Signature", and the Christmas flyer. Three other sub-series reflect the ABPBC's continued attempts to help publishers increase the efficiency and scope of their operations: Professional Development, Publishing Opportunities, and Business Opportunities all contain material which reflect the information gathering and liason activities of the ABPBC. Accordingly it responds to all requests for information relating to the literary arts in B.C. and Canada.

SERIES DESCRIPTIONS

A.1. Minutes 1973-86. Box 1,2
29 files.

A.1.a Independent Publishers Association (IPA) Minutes 1973-1976.
Box 1. 6 files, arranged chronologically.

A.1.b B.C.P.G. and ABPBC Minutes 1973-1976.
Box 1 and 2, 23 files, arranged chronologically.

A.2. Finance 1976-1988. Box 2.
25 files.

A.2.a Miscellaneous Financial Files, 1981, 1985.
Box 2, 2 files.

A.2.a.1. Treasurer 1985. Memo on final portion.
Box 2.

A.2.a.2. Tax 1981. Taxation number for 1981.
Box 2.

A.2.b Budget 1977, 1982, 1984-6.
Box 2.

A.2.b.1. Subject files 1977, 1982, 1984-6.
Box 2, 5 files.
B.C.P.B. Budget 1977
ABPBC Budget Manual 1984, 1986
ABPBC Budget Manual 1984, 1986
Interim and Final Reports 1982
Accounting Policies and Procedures 1984

A.2.b.2. Canada Works 1985
Box 2, 1 file
This file contains a budget prepared for submissions to
Canada Works.

A.2.c. Funding 1976 - 1988
Box 2, 17 files.
This series contains files concerned with the funding of the
book publishing, as well as submissions to and communications
with funding bodies (both private and public) by the ABPBC.
Arranged chronologically

- A.2. c.1. Subject Files 1976-1983 Box 2
6 Files
Corporate Sponsorship Proposal 1983
Reports to Funding Bodies 1982
ACP Budget Guidelines' Information regarding funding bodies 1981
BCPG Funding Application 1976
Reports to funding bodies 1978' Grant notification 1978
Miscellaneous Reports regarding funding 1976-1977
- A.2. c.2. Information 1978-1981 Box 2
1 File
Information on funding sources
- A.2. c.3. British Columbia Cultural Fund 1978-1983 Box 2
8 Files
This series contains applications by the ABPBC to the BCCF for the years noted. Arranged chronologically.
- A.2. c.4. Canada Council 1980 Box 2
1 File
A report to the Canada Council
- A.2. c.5. Department of Communications 1988 Box 2
1 File
A funding submission to the D.O.C.
- A.3. Memos to the executive 1981-1985 Box 2
4 Files
- A.4. Correspondence series which contains communication with all sectors over the noted years. Arranged Chronologically.
- A.5. Membership 1974-1986 Box 3,4
108 Files
- A.5. a. Members 1974-1986 Box 3,4
98 Files
This series contains all the files kept on individual members of the ABPBC. Arranged Alphabetically.
- A.5. b. Applications 1983 Box 4
2 Files
This series contains applications for membership in the ABPBC as well as acceptance or rejection information

- A.5. c. Surveys 1978-1987 Box 4
5 Files
This series contains files of surveys conducted by the ABPBC of its membership during the period 1978-1987.
- A.5. d. Correspondence 1982,1986 Box 4
3 Files
This is a series of files which contain correspondence with members, as well as a file of the "Newsletter" sent to members by the ABPBC.
- A.6. Association of Canadian Publishers 1973-1986 Box 4,5
46 Files
This series contains records pertaining to the ACP kept by the ABPBC. (copies)
- A.6. a. Minutes 1976-1980 Box 4
11 Files
Arranged chronologically.
- A.6. b. Annual General Meeting 1974-1984 Box 4,5
21 Files
Arranged chronologically.
- A.6. c. Correspondence 1974-1984 Box 5
1 File
- A.6. d. Reports 1980-1985, 1986 Box 5
2 Files
The ABPBC report to the ACP Council and the Presidents Report to the ACP.
- A.6. e. Publications 1973-1980 Box 5
6 Files
Includes files of the ACP": "Notebook".
- A.6. f. Subject Files 1977-1985 Box 5
Statistics 1977
Regional Caucus 1985
Membership Information 1978-1985
Management Committee 1979
Publishing Statistics 1983
- A.7. Government 1972-1988 Box 5,6
67 Files
- A.7. a. British Columbia Provincial Government 1974-1985
34 Files

- A.7. a.1. Correspondence 1974-1985 Box 5
12 Files
This series contains the ABPBC's correspondence with the Ministry of Education, the Cultural Services Branch, the Ministry of Economic Development and general correspondence, arranged by ministry, agency, or department.
- A.7. a.2. Programs 1977-1984 Box 5
6 Files
This series includes files of information on various government programs such as the B.C. Public Library Opportunity Program, the B.C. Council for the Performing Arts, and the Ministry of Industry and Small Business Development. Arranged according to ministry, agency, department, or program.
- A.7. a.3. Funding 1977-1988 Box 6
14 Files
This is a series of files relating to the Loan Interest Subsidy Program, the B.C. Cultural Fund Title Assistance Program, the Provincial Secretary, the B.C. Heritage Trust, and the Cultural Services Branch. Arranged according to ministry, agency, department or program.
- A.7. a.4. Subject Files 1975-1981 Box 6
2 Files
B.C. Curriculum Development
Interministerial Committee on Publishing
- A.7. b. Other Provincial Governments 1974-1988 Box 6
11 Files
- A.7. b.1. Ontario 1974-1988 Box 6
8 Files
This sub-series contains files of information gathered from the Ontario Provincial Government on its programs for publishing in that province and includes reports and analysis completed by the O.P.G. Arranged according to funding program, commissions, and the arts council programs.
- A.7. b.2. Manitoba 1985/6 Box 6
1 File
Contains material on government policies regarding publishing.
- A.7. b.3. Alberta 1983-1987 Box 6
2 Files
Includes material on the Alberta Foundation for the Arts and various publishing support programs.

A.7. c. Federal Government 1972-1985 Box 6
22 Files

A.7. c.1. Subject Files 1972-1985 Box 6
7 Files
Statistics Canada - Correspondence/Survey Forms 1972-1983
Co-Publishing Contacts - Federal Government 1975-1976
Industry, Trade, and Commerce 1978-1982
Canadian Studies Program 1984
Bovey Task Force on the funding of the Arts in Canada 1985
Conservative Publishing Proposal

A.7. c.2. Canada Council 1977-1988 Box 6
15 Files
This sub-series contains files which deal with the ABPBC's dealings with the Canada Council' the bulk of this material is ABPBC applications or inquiries regarding funding. Other material includes correspondence, Canada Council statistics and the notes from a Canada Council Committee.

B.1. Projects 1975-1988 Box 6-9
115 Files

This series comprises the entire array of ABPBC projects. The 1986 series was grouped on the basis of year with no attempt to separate and arrange the individual projects. The other series have been assembled by activity. Sub-series include the Permanent Display, the Department of Communications Book Publications Development Program, the School Library Book Purchases Plan, Awards, Seminars and other assorted research projects. (The Canadian Conference on Electronic Publishing (CCEP)).

B.1. a. Subject Files 1978-1988 Box 6
9 Files
Backlist 1984/5
Checklist 1985
Directory 1988/9
Display Attended 1982-3
Education Reps. BCALMER 1978
Book Loans 1983
Foreign Recievables and Industry
Canadian Authors Association

B.1. b. Projects 1986 Box 6-7
4 Files
Arranged according to specific projects

B.1. c. Perman. ent Display Box 7
2 Files

- B.1. d. Department of Communications Book Publishing Development Program 1980-1985
8 Files
This sub-series contains development information, planning and communication with government and other agencies, such as the ACP, regarding the program.
- B.1. e. School Library Book Purchase Plan 1978-1983
6 Files
Booklists and correspondence between governments and libraries and the ABPBC regarding the School Library Book Purchase Plan. Arranged chronologically.
- B.1. f. Awards 1975-1984 Box 7
2 Files
Contains the files of the Eaton's Book Award and the Toronto Book Award.
- B.1. g. Seminars Box 7
2 Files, 15 audio cassettes
This series contains 2 print folios and a set of fifteen cassette tapes of various seminars given and arranged by the ABPBC over the years.
- B.1. g.1. Seminar arrangements
2 Files
Contains information on the arrangement of seminars given by the ABPBC.
- B.1. g.2. Seminar Presentations
15 Cassettes
Recordings of ABPBC seminars
- a. ABPBC: Export Market Development
November 9, 1982. 2 90 Minute audio cassettes
sp 58-1, 58-2
 - b. Cost Effective Uses of Computing in Book Publishing
June 14, 1983 3 90 Min. tapes.
sp 58-3, 58-4, 58-5
 - c. Book Promotion on a Shoestring
August 27, 1983 3 90 Min. tapes.
sp 58-6, 58-7, 58-8
 - d. Publishing Contracts. Peter Grant
November 21, 1983 3 90 Min. tapes.
sp 58-9, 58-10, 58-11
 - e. Government CO-Publishing
January 1984, 2 90 Min. tapes.
sp 58-12, 58-13
 - f. Provincial Programs for Book Publishers
2 90 Min. tapes
sp 58-14, 58-15

- B.1. h. Miscellaneous Conferences 1978, 1986 Box 7
2 Files
The records of two conferences attended by the ABPBC
- B.1. h.1. Subject Files 1978-1986 Box 7
7 Files
Catalogue Reports 1980-1982
Minicomputer
Directors Reports
ABPBC General Industry Survey Forms 1981
Research and Information 1982-1983
Australian Market Survey 1978
Foreign Ownership 1986
- B.1. h.2. School and Curriculum Research 1977-1981 Box 7
10 Files
Contains material compiled on the various education systems in provinces accross Canada. Arranged according to province and region.
- B.1. j. Canadian Conference on Electronic Publishing 1985
Box 7,8,9
63 Files, 13 Audio cassettes
This series contains the files of CCEP material. The ABPBC organized the conference and it was held in 1985. The first covers the administrative aspects of the conference (organizational, speaker arrangements, etc.) The second deals with the actual conference, and contains a print version of proceedings and a series of thirteen audio cassettes of the entire conference.
- B.1. j.1. Administration 1985 Box 7,8
46 Files
Admistrative aspects of the conference
- B.1.j.1.a. Pre-Conference 1985 Box 8
44 Files
Arranged by type of work
- B.1.j.1.b. Post-Conference 1985 Box 8
2 Files
- B.1.j.1.c. Subject Files 1985 Box 9
9 Files
Pending 1985
1985 Newspaper Articles
various publications
General correspondance
Digital Information

(B.1.j.1.c. Continued)

Miscellaneous Related Materials
Form Letters
Bids, Precis, Photos 1985
Miscellaneous Related Materials

B.1.j.1.d. Conference 1985 Box 8,9
8 Files, 13 Audio Cassettes 90 Minutes each
Contains a print version of selected proceedings and
an audio version

B.2. Briefs 1974-1984 Box 9
30 Files
This series is comprised of the collected reports, studies
and briefs compiled by ABPBC or obtained from other organizations.
The series has been broken into two sub-series, based on the
ABPBC's own criteria. The first series is comprised of ABPBC
produced reports, the second of non-ABPBC produced reports.

B.2.a. ABPBC produced briefs 1974-1984 Box 9
11 Files
Arranged chronologically

B.2.b. Non-ABPBC produced briefs 1974-1984 Box 9, 10
19 Files
Arranged chronologically

B.3. Promotion 1974-1987 Box 10
57 Files
This is a series of externally oriented projects, designed
to increase awareness amongst various communities
(business, government, etc.) about B.C. publishers and
their products. Such projects are the ABPBC flyers,
catalogues, press relations, displays, and so forth.

B.3.a. Subject Files 1977-1987 Box 10
16 Files
B.C. Book Prizes 1985
B.C. Book Prizes 1987
B.C. Book Retail Price Analysis 1982
Trade Policy 1984

B.3.b. Publications Box 10

B.3.b.1. Flyers
20 Files

B.3.b.1.a. Subject Files 1977-1985
6 Files

B.3.b.1.b. Christmas Flyers 1985-1986 Box 10
8 Files
This series contains flyer samples, reviews, and surveys
of the flyer's effectiveness

B.3.b.1.c. Books from B.C. 1984-1985 Box 10
3 Files
This series contains samples of the pamphlet and production
materials for the design of the flyer.

B.3.b.1.d. Signature 1979-1986 Box 10
3 Files
This series contains copies of Signature Magazine and Signature
Calender.

B.3.b.2. Catalogue and Association Brochure 1982-1987 Box 10
4 Files
This series includes catalogue survey projects and samples of
the catalogue, as well as the ABPBC brochure.

B.3.b.3. Press Releases 1974-1986 Box 10
2 Files

B.3.c. Displays 1985-1986 Box 10
2 Files
This series includes material on displays which the ABPBC
attended and/or organized, including the Bookstore Display.

B.3.d. Subject Files 1974, 1982- 86 Box 10
12 Files
School and College Libraries 1974
Book Promotion Task Force 1986
Nanaimo Book Promotion/Roundtable 1986
Library Promotion 1984
Chinese Publishing Delegation 1983
Waterfront Theatre Promotion 1983
Centennial Book Promotion 1985
CIBC Regional Committee Promotion 1986
Vancouver School Board Presentation 1984
Speakers Bureau

B.3.e. Special Events 1983-1986 Box 10
13 Files

B.3.e.1. Expo 1986 Box 10
5 Files

B.3.e.2. Centennial 1983-1985 Box 10
3 Files

B.3.e.3. National Book Festival 1984 Box 10
5 Files

B.4. Professional Development 1974-1986 Box 10, 11
29 Files

This series contains the information and organizational materials on the ABPBC's numerous projects and services which dealt with the development of publishing "houses". The ABPBC attempted to provide information to publishers on how to work with government, how to improve marketing skills and so on.

B.4.a. Administrative 1974-1986 Box 10, 11
27 Files

B.4.b. Programs and Information 1981 Box 11
2 Files

B.5. Publishing Opportunities 1976-1983 Box 11
9 Files

This series is comprised of three sub-series which contain files of information on expansion opportunities for publishers. This series contains a number of reviews of the state of publishing in Canada and guides to various government sponsored programs.

B.5.a. Administrative 1983 Box 11
1 File

B.5.b. Information 1976-1983 Box 11

B.5.c. Programs 1981-1983 Box 11
2 Files

B.6. Business Opportunities 1984-1987 Box 11
2 Files

This series contains material on relations with the business community.

B.7. Marketing and Distribution 1976-1984 Box 11, 12
10 Files

This series comprises the ABPBC's project on the method and means by which publishers could develop and expand their trade with new strategies in the areas of production, marketing and distribution.

B.7.a. Information 1976-1981 Box 11
5 Files

B.7.b. Organizations, Services and Programs 1976-1984 Box 12
5 Files

B.8. Newspaper Clippings 1983-1988 Box 12

3 Files

Clippings collected by the ABPEC over a number of years, and including book reviews and assorted articles on publishing education and literacy.

B.9. Photographs 1976-1986 BC 1941-1 thru 1941-65

Miscellaneous photographs from the 1970's' and early 1980's. Includes photos of the B.C. Book Award (1977) and numerous writers and poets.

B.9.a. Display Program BC 1941-1

1 Photo

B.9.b. Authors/Publishers BC 1941-2 thru 4, 8 thru 10, 35 thru 41, 65.

B.9.c. UBC Press BC 1941-5 thru 7

B.9.d. Book Signing BC 1941-11 thru 12

B.9.e. Book Fair BC 1941-13 thru 34

B.9.f. B.C. Book Award 1977 BC 1941-42 thru 64.

Association of Book Publishers of British Columbia fonds

Accrual received August 2006

1 m, 98.5 cm of textual records and 211 computer discs.

Scope and content

This accrual consists of materials relating to the activities of the Association of Book Publishers of British Columbia between the years of 1975 and 2004, predominantly in the 1980's and 1990's. These activities include funding, promotion of their members, administration, meetings, correspondence, special projects, advocating on behalf of their members, and research into areas pertinent to the book publishing industry of British Columbia. This accrual also contains 211 computer discs on floppy discs which appear to be predominantly back-up files from the ABPBC office.

Series Level Descriptions

Funding. - 1993-2004 - 19 cm of textual records – Box 19, Box 20.

Series consists of project proposals, contribution agreements, final reports, and correspondence with various funding agencies regarding the projects. The series is arranged into the following sub-series: Book Publishing Industry Development Program/Department of Culture and Heritage; Canada Council; Cultural Services; Publications Distribution Assistance Program; Western Cultural fund. The sub-series are arranged alphabetically by funding agency.

Sub-series

Book Publishing Industry Development Program/Department of Culture and Heritage - 1993-2003 – 11 cm of textual records – Box 19.

Sub-series contains records related to funding supplied by the Book Publishing Industry Development Program/Department of Culture and Heritage (BPIDP/DCH), including project proposals, correspondence with the agency, contribution agreements, and final reports. The BPIDP/DCH funded such projects during this time as a book publishing study, a First Nations study, an environmentally sound paper project, a book camp, specialty catalogues, BC Book Week, an online shopping project, Bookworld, BC Ferries, the Library Book Purchase Plan, professional development, promotion and marketing, and Read BC.

Title based on the content of the sub-series.

Sub-series consists of 15 files arranged chronologically by project year, then alphabetically by project name.

Canada Council – 1999-2003 - 2 cm of textual records – Box 19, Box 20.

Sub-series contains proposals and correspondence relating to grant funding from the Canada Council for the Arts. Proposals may include project descriptions and budgets. Projects funded by the Canada Council during this time include Poetry in Transit, the Library Book Purchase Plan, the BC Bestseller List, BC Book Week, and online database projects.

Title based on the content of the sub-series.

Sub-series consists of 4 files arranged chronologically.

Cultural Service Branch – 1989, 2000-2004- 4 cm of textual records – Box 20.

Sub-series consists of correspondence, applications and statements from the executive director relating to funding for operation assistance from the Cultural Services Branch of the Province of British Columbia. Applications may include budget spreadsheets.

Title based on the content of the sub-series.

Sub-series consists of 4 files arranged chronologically.

Publication Distribution Assistance Program – 1993-1995 - 1 cm of textual records – Box 20.

Sub-series consists of applications, contribution agreements, and correspondence relating to funding provided by the Publication Distribution Assistance Program of the federal Department of Communications. Contributions were made from this program to the educational sales and marketing program.

Title based on the content of the sub-series.

Sub-series consists of 1 file.

Western Cultural Fund – 2000-2002 - 1 cm of textual records – Box 20.

Sub-series consists of project submissions, contribution agreements and correspondence relating to funding from the Western Cultural Fund of the Department of Canadian Heritage and Western Economic Diversification Canada. Applications include budgets.

Title based on the content of the sub-series.

Sub-series consists of 1 file.

Meetings – 1996-1998- 13 cm of textual records – Box 20, Box 21.

Series consists of agendas, minutes, and such materials presented at meetings as reports from various executive and financial reports, from the Annual General Meetings of 1996 and 1997, and the Executive Meetings from January 1995 to November 17, 1998.

Title based on the content of the series.

Series consists of 18 files arranged by Annual General Meetings and Executive Meetings, then chronologically.

Poetry in Transit – 1996-2002- 8.5 cm of textual records – Box 21.

Poetry in Transit was a project of the ABPBC that promoted BC poets by selecting poems for display on Vancouver and Victoria public transit. Records in this series were kept by the ABPBC in a binder organized by function.

The series consists of correspondence to and from publishers and poets, including acceptance and rejection letters, calls for submissions, project description and timeline, shortlists and selected poems, media coverage relating to this project and related projects, permission forms for the use of the poems, and other related documents.

Title based on the content of the series.

Series consists of 16 files arranged by function.

CanCopy – 1988-1996 – 11.5 cm of textual records – Box 22.

CanCopy, or the Canadian Reprography Collective, was created to provide easier access to copyright material by negotiating “blanket licenses” with user groups such as school boards, universities and colleges, libraries and government departments. The ABPBC applied for membership in the year 1989.

The series consists of affiliation agreements, agendas of meetings, bylaws, blank forms for declaration of authorization and book publisher data, newsletters, reports, and financial statements from CanCopy, and correspondence relating to CanCopy.

Title based on the content of the series.

Series consists of 8 files arranged chronologically.

Correspondence – 1989-1995- 22 cm of textual records – Box 22, Box 23, Box 26.

Series consists of general incoming and outgoing correspondence from the ABPBC’s Executive Director Margaret Reynolds.

Title based on the content of the series.

Series consists of 11 files arranged chronologically.

Professional Development – 1986-1992- 5 cm of textual records – Box 23.

The ABPBC held a number of professional development seminars for their members to participate in, including the topics: Book Industry Study Group; Working with the Media; Cracking the Library Market; Business Management; Marketing for Publishers.

Series consists of agendas from the seminars, materials from the seminar, descriptions of the seminars, correspondence relating to the seminars.

Title based on the content of the series.

Series consists of 7 files arranged chronologically.

Projects- 1978-1994- 29.5 cm of textual records – Box 23, Box 24, Box 26.

Documents in this series relate to various projects completed or participated in by the ABPBC during the years 1978 – 1986. Such projects included: BC Ferries; the Learning Materials Society; the School Library Book Purchase Plan; BC Bestsellers List; Books for Everyone; Educational Sales; Newsletter; Bumbershoot; Federal Business Development Bank projects; Western Economic Partnership Agreement projects; Canadian Books for BC Schools; Canadian Book Information Centre; Literacy Brochure.

Series consists of correspondence to and from the association relating to the projects, materials gathered as a result of the projects, copies of the BC Bestsellers lists from 1990-1993, manuscripts of the newsletters, and proposals for projects from publishers in the case of the Western Economic Partnership Agreement.

Title based on the content of the series.

Series consists of 24 files arranged chronologically.

Membership – 1996-1997 – 0.5 cm of textual records – Box 24.

Series consists of the directory of members for the year 1996-1997.

Title based on the content of the series.

Series consists of 1 file.

The Banff Publishing Workshop- 1990- 3.5 cm of textual records – Box 24.

Wendy Atkinson of the ABPBC attended the Banff Publishing Workshop in 1990.

The series consists of materials brought back from the workshop such as participant biographies, faculty contact information, and materials from the workshop.

Title based on the content of the series.

Series consists of 3 files arranged by subject.

Legal Considerations Seminar – 1990- 2 cm of textual records- Box 24.

The ABPBC co-sponsored a seminar on Legal Considerations in the Editorial Process with the Canadian Centre for Studies in Publishing on November 8, 1990.

The series consists of materials distributed during the seminar and related documents that followed the seminar.

Title based on the content of the series.

Series consists of 2 files arranged by function.

Legal - 1992-1998 - 2 cm of textual records- Box 25.

Series consists of sample agreements such as those between a publisher and an author, newspaper clippings and articles about publishing-related legal issues and court cases, and correspondence with the law firm Fraser & Beatty regarding publishing-related court cases and issues.

Title based on the content of the series.

Series consists of 3 files arranged by function.

Ministry of Tourism – 1991-1993- 2 cm of textual records- Box 25.

Series consists of correspondence to, from and relating to the British Columbia Ministry of Tourism from 1991-1993.

Title based on the content of the series.

Series consists of 1 file.

Subject files – 1977-1997- 21.5 cm of textual records- Box 25, Box 26.

Series consists of documents relating to various groups and subjects of interest to publishers, gathered from approximately 1977 to approximately 1997. Subjects include: assistance programs; barcodes; the BCLS Library Information Project; Book

merchandising and marketing research; the Book Promotion Council; the Canada-China Publisher's Forum; the Canadian Advisory Committee on Text and Office Systems; the Canadian Author's Association; the Canadian Centre for Studies in Publishing; the Canadian Children's Book Centre; the Canadian Conference of the Arts; the Canadian Telebook Agency; Cataloguing in Publication; Circular 14; the Council of Canadians; display racks; Export Development; financial ratios; Freedom to Read Week; ISBNs; the National Book Festival; the National Library of Canada; public lending rights; the Small Press Action Network; the Writers, Readers and Publishers Coalition. Some files contain correspondence to and from the group named.

Title based on the content of the series.

Series consists of 29 files arranged alphabetically.

Computer disks- 1989- 19??- 1 box containing 211 computer disks (floppy).

Box 27 contains 211 computer disks, appearing to be the back-up files of the ABPBC from 1989 until the mid 1990's.

Arranged chronologically where possible.

Canada Post Book Rate- 1989- 2 cm of textual records- Box 28.

Series consists of questionnaires returned by members and correspondence regarding the Canada Post Book Rate.

Title is based on the content of the series.

Series consists of 2 files arranged by function.

Warehouse bulk purchase- 1988-1989- 3 cm of textual records- Box 28.

Series consists of information gathered from BC Shipper Supplies, survey responses from members regarding bulk purchasing of shipping materials, and purchase summaries.

Title is based on the content of the series.

Series consists of 3 files arranged by function.

Publicists- 1989-1990- 5 cm of textual records- Box 28.

Series consists of information gathered about publicists and freelance publicists as well as correspondence with publicists' groups, articles and information regarding publicity.

Title is based on the content of the series.

Series consists of 4 files arranged by function.

Association of Canadian Publishers Professional Development- 1989-1990- 0.5 cm of textual records- Box 28.

Series consists of correspondence, budgets and seminar summaries regarding professional development arranged through the Association of Canadian Publishers.

Title is based on the content of the series.

Series consists of 2 files arranged by function.

Taxation issues- 1982-1990- 2.5 cm of textual records- Box 28.

Series consists of information gathered and correspondence regarding the application of the Social Services tax and the Goods and Services tax on books.

Title is based on the content of the series.

Series consists of 2 files arranged chronologically.

Book Fair Displays- 1989-1990- 2 cm. of textual records- Box 28.

Series consists of information gathered and correspondence regarding publisher displays at various book fairs in the years 1989 and 1990.

Title is based on the content of the series.

Series consists of 2 files arranged chronologically.

Media- 1988-1990- 5.5 cm of textual records- Box 29.

In the years 1988 to 1990, the ABPBC began a media committee to perform a study of media coverage of British Columbia books, and develop a prize for the media personality who best promotes British Columbia published books. The series consists of correspondence, research materials from the study, and information regarding the awarding of the media prize in 1989 and 1990/

Title is based on the content of the series.

Series consists of 6 files arranged chronologically.

Membership files- 1975-1990- 5.5 cm of textual records- Box 29.

Series consists of membership applications from and correspondence with the ABPBC members: Cappis Press; Counsellor Training Institute; Crompton Books; Dougals and

McIntyre Educational; Cloudburst Press/Hartley and Marks; Lillooet Tribal Council; Pattison Ventures; Pond Dancer Publications; Melville Publications; Nerve Press; Quantum Communication; and R.J. Watts and Associates. The series also contains one file of the activities of the Membership Committee in 1989 and 1990.

Title is based on the content of the series.

Series consists of 13 files arranged alphabetically by name of publisher.

Publications- 1977-1987- 7 cm of textual records- Box 29.

Series consists of copies of "Books from BC," from the years 1977 to 1985. Copies contain annotations from their use in the ABPBC office. Series also contains the manuscript and a final copy of the Review of the Book Publishing Industry, published by the ABPBC in 1987.

Title is based on the content of the series.

Series consists of 9 files arranged chronologically.

Computerization- 1986-1989- 6 cm of textual records- Box 30.

Series consists of correspondence, research, and reports regarding computerization projects from the years 1986 to 1989.

Title is based on the content of the series.

Series consists of 5 files arranged chronologically.

Constitutions- 1976-1983- 3 cm of textual records- Box 30.

Series consists of constitutions and amendments for the Association of Canadian Publishers as well as the ABPBC. This includes the original copy of the ABPBC constitution and other supporting documents.

Title is based on the content of the series.

Series consists of 5 files arranged by their function.

Canada Council- 1988-1990- 2 cm of textual records- Box 30.

Series consists of correspondence with and regarding the Canada Council, a funding submission to the Canada Council for the year 1989, and a file documenting the activity of a task force struck by the ABPBC regarding the Canada Council block funding program.

Title is based on the content of the series.

Series consists of 3 files arranged chronologically.

Policy Development- 1978-1989- 7 cm of textual records- Box 30.

Series consists of committee activity within the ABPBC and policy reports on government support programs, loan interest subsidy programs, and the title assistance program.

Title is based on the content of the series.

Series consists of 5 files arranged by function.

Co-op Advertising- 1989- 1 cm of textual records- Box 30.

The ABPBC in 1989 gathered information for their members to participate in a co-op advertising page in the Vancouver Sun and the Province. Series consists of project documents and rate information.

Title is based on the content of the series.

Series consists of 2 files arranged by function.

Foreign Investment Review Agency- 1978-1986- 1 cm of textual records- Box 31.

Series consists of press releases and press clippings regarding the activity of the Foreign Investment Review Agency, with a particular focus on issues surrounding Prentice-Hall publishers in Canada.

Title is based on the content of the series.

Series consists of 2 files arranged by their function.

Canadian Centre for Studies in Publishing- 1984-1986- 2 cm of textual records- Box 31.

Series consists of correspondence, proposals and materials regarding the formation of the Canadian Centre for Studies in Publishing at Simon Fraser University's downtown Vancouver campus.

Title is based on the content of the series.

Series consists of 1 file.

Co-publishing- 1981-1984- 2.5 cm of textual records- Box 31.

Series consists of research, background, and ABPBC policies regarding co-publishing.

Title is based on the content of the series.

Series consists of 2 files arranged by function.

File List

Box-Folder No.	File Title	Dates
<i>Funding series</i>		
19-1	Book Publishing Study	1993,1998
19-2	First Nations Study	1999-2000
19-3	Book Camp	2000-2002
19-4	Environmentally Sound Paper/Book Camp	2000-2001
19-5	General BPIDP correspondence	2001-2002
19-6	Professional Development	2001-2002
19-7	Specialty Catalogues	2001-2002
19-8	BC Book Week	2002
19-9	Book world/BC Ferries	2002
19-10	Online Shopping/BC Book Week/Specialty Catalogues	2002
19-11	Library Book Purchase Plan	2002-2003
19-12	Professional Development	2002-2003
19-13	Promotion and Marketing	2002-2003
19-14	Read BC	2002-2003
19-15	Read BC	2003
19-16	Canada Council	1999-2000
19-17	Canada Council	2001
20-1	Canada Council	2002
20-2	Canada Council	2003
20-3	Cultural Services	1989
20-4	Cultural Services	2000
20-5	Cultural Services	2001
20-6	Cultural Services	2002-2004
20-7	Publications Distribution Assistance Program	1993-1995
20-8	Western Cultural Fund	2000-2002
<i>Meetings series</i>		
20-9	Annual General Meeting	1996
20-10	Annual General Meeting	1997
20-11	Executive Meeting Jan. 26/95	1995
20-12	Executive Meeting Nov. 1/95	1995
20-13	Executive Meeting April 3/96	1996
20-14	Executive Meeting May 9/96	1996
20-15	Executive Meeting July 10/96	1996
20-16	Executive Meeting Sept. 11/96	1996
20-17	Executive Meeting Nov. 6/96	1996
21-1	Executive Meeting Jan. 24/97	1997
21-2	Executive Meeting April 24/97	1997
21-3	Executive Meeting July 3/97	1997
21-4	Executive Meeting Sept. 17/97	1997

21-5	Executive Meeting Nov. 18/97	1997
21-6	Executive Meeting Feb. 7/98	1998
21-7	Executive Meeting March 2/98	1998
21-8	Executive Meeting Sept. 2/98	1998
21-9	Executive Meeting Nov. 17/98	1998
<i>Poetry in Transit series</i>		
21-10	Correspondence	1996-2002 (overall dates for entire series)
21-11	Co-ordinating Work	
21-12	Project Description	
21-13	Project timeline	
21-14	Meetings	
21-15	Calls for submissions	
21-16	Shortlists	
21-17	Selected Poems	
21-18	Acceptance letters	
21-19	Rejection letters	
21-20	Letters sent with cards	
21-21	Publisher contact	
21-22	Media coverage	
21-23	Fundraising	
21-24	Permission forms	
21-25	Related projects	
<i>Cancopy series</i>		
22-1	Cancopy	1988-1989
22-2	Cancopy	1990
22-3	Cancopy	1991
22-4	Cancopy	1992
22-5	Cancopy	1993
22-6	Cancopy	1994
22-7	Cancopy	1995
22-8	Cancopy	1996
<i>Correspondence series</i>		
26-13	Out-going fax	1989
26-14	Correspondence	1989 (Jan.-April)
26-15	Correspondence	1989 (May-Aug.)
26-16	Correspondence	1989 (Sept.-Dec.)
22-9	Correspondence	1992
22-10	Correspondence	1993 (Jan.-June)
23-1	Correspondence	1993 (July-Dec.)
23-2	Correspondence	1994 (Jan.-May)
23-3	Correspondence	1994 (June-

		Aug.)
23-4	Correspondence	1994 (Sept.-Dec.)
23-5	Correspondence	1995
<i>Professional Development series</i>		
23-6	Association of Canadian Publishers PD	1986-1990
23-7	General	1988-1989
23-8	Book industry study group	May 2, 1991
23-9	Working with the media	Sept. 27, 1991
23-10	Cracking the library market	Dec. 11, 1991
23-11	Business Management	March 10, 1992
23-12	Marketing for publishers	Sept. 17, 1992
<i>Projects series</i>		
23-13	BC Ferries	1978-1986
23-14	Canadian Books for BC Schools	1980
23-15	Learning Materials Society	1985-1988
23-16	School Library Book Purchase Plan	1980, 1986
23-17	School Library Book Purchase Plan	1988
23-18	Canadian Book Information Centre	1989
23-19	Literacy Brochure	1989
28-1	BC Bestsellers Lists	1988-1989
28-2	BC Bestsellers proposal and start-up	1989-1990
28-3	BC Bestsellers	1988
28-4	BC Bestsellers	1989
28-5	BC Bestsellers	1990
23-20	BC Bestsellers	1990-1993
23-21	Books for Everyone	1991
24-1	Educational Sales- Committee	1991-1994
24-2	Educational Sales- Marketing Study	1991-1994
24-3	Educational Sales- Sales Project	1991-1994
24-4	Educational Sales- Language Arts Catalogue	1991-1994
24-5	Newsletter	1989
24-6	Newsletter	1990
24-7	Newsletter	1991-1993
24-8	Bumbershoot	1992
24-9	Federal Business Development Bank	1992
24-10	Western Economic Partnership Agreement	1992-1994
<i>Membership series</i>		
24-11	Directory of members	1996-1997
<i>The Banff Publishing Workshop series</i>		
24-12	Participants and faculty	1990
24-13	Books workshops	1990
24-14	Magazines workshops	1990
<i>Legal Considerations Seminar series</i>		
24-15	Seminar Materials	1990

24-16	Follow-up	1990
<i>Legal series</i>		
25-1	Sample agreements	199?-1998 (overall dates for entire series)
25-2	Articles and cases	
25-3	Fraser & Beatty correspondence	
<i>Ministry of Tourism series</i>		
25-4	Correspondence	1991-1993
<i>Subject Files series</i>		
25-5	Assistance programs	[n.d.]
25-6	Barcodes	1987-1989
25-7	BCLA Library Information Project Report	1977
25-8	Book merchandising marketing research	1997
25-9	Book promotion council	1987-1990
25-10	Canada-China publisher's forum	1995
25-11	Canadian Advisory Committee on Text and Office Systems	1986
25-12	Canadian Author's Association	1986-1991
25-13	Canadian Centre for Studies in Publishing	1995
25-14	Canadian Children's Book Centre	1990-1994
25-15	Canadian Conference of the Arts	1995
25-16	Canadian Telebook Agency	1983-1985
25-17	Cataloguing in Publication	1976-1984
25-18	Circular 14	1983-1987
25-19	The Council of Canadians	1987
25-20	Cultural Programs	1985-1986
25-21	Display racks	1994
26-1	Export Development Corporation	1982
26-2	Financial Ratios	1979
26-3	Freedom to Read Week	1984-1995
26-4	Industry publications	1985-1986
26-5	ISBN	1976-1977
26-6	National Books Festival	1988-1992
26-7	National Library of Canada	1974-1980
26-8	Press clippings	1988-1989
26-9	Public Lending Right	1986-199?
26-10	Small Press Action Network	1989-1992
26-11	World Conference of the Arts	1986-1987
26-12	Writers, Readers and Publishers Coalition	1992-1993
<i>Canada Post Book Rate series</i>		
28-6	Correspondence	1989
28-7	Questionnaires	[1989]
<i>Warehouse Bulk Purchase series</i>		
28-8	Correspondence-Book and Periodical Development	1988

	Council	
28-9	Correspondence- BC Shipper Supplies	1988
28-10	Surveys	1988-1989
28-11	Bulk Purchases	1988-1989
<i>Publicists series</i>		
28-12	Publicists	1989
28-13	Free-lance publicists	1989
28-14	Publicists' Group	1988-1990
28-15	Publicity articles and information	1990
<i>Association of Canadian Publishers Professional Development series</i>		
28-16	Correspondence	1989-1990
28-17	Seminar Summaries	1989-1990
<i>Taxation series</i>		
28-18	Social Services Tax	1982-1987
28-19	GST	1990
<i>Book Fair Display series</i>		
28-20	Book Fair Displays	1989
28-21	Book Fair Displays	1990
<i>Media series</i>		
29-1	Media study correspondence	1988-1990
29-2	Media study research materials	[n.d.]
29-3	Media committee	1989
29-4	Media prize	1989
29-5	Media committee	1990
29-6	Media prize	1990
<i>Membership files series</i>		
29-7	Membership committee	1989-1990
29-8	Cappis Press	1984-1989
29-9	Counsellor Training Institute	1989-1990
29-10	Crompton Books	1989
29-11	Douglas and McIntyre Educational	1984-1987
29-12	Hartley and Marks (Cloudburst Press)	1975-1989
29-13	Lillooet Tribal Council	1989-1990
29-14	Pattison Ventures	1979-1981
29-15	Pond Dancer Publications	1988-1990
29-16	Melville Publications	1989-1990
29-17	Nerve Press	1983-1984
29-18	Quantum Communication	1987-1990
29-19	R.J. Watts and Associates	1976-1983
<i>Publications series</i>		
29-20	Books from BC	1977
29-21	Books from BC	1978
29-22	Books from BC	1979
29-23	Books from BC	1980
29-24	Books from BC	1981/82

29-25	Books from BC	1982/83
29-26	Books from BC	1983/84
29-27	Books from BC	1984/85
29-28	Review of the Book Publishing Industry of BC	1987
<i>Computerization series</i>		
30-1	Correspondence- BPIDP	1986-1987
30-2	Project report	1987
30-3	Correspondence- Dept. of Communication	1988
30-4	Computerization	1988-1989
30-5	Computerization	1989
<i>Constitution series</i>		
30-6	Association of Canadian Publishers Constitution and amendments	1976-1983
30-7	ABPBC Constitution and amendments	1978-1983
30-8	ABPBC original constitution and supporting documents	1977-1979
30-9	ABPBC constitution copies	1977-1979
<i>Canada Council series</i>		
30-10	Correspondence	1988
30-11	Task force	1989-1990
30-12	Funding submission	1989
<i>Policy development series</i>		
30-13	Committee activity	1986
30-14	Government support programs and policies	1978-1987
30-15	Loan interest subsidy program	1981
30-16	Title assistance program	1978
30-17	Committee activity	1988-1989
<i>Co-op advertising series</i>		
30-18	Project	1989
30-19	Rate information	1989
<i>Foreign Investment Review Agency series</i>		
31-1	Press	1978-1982
31-2	Prentice-Hall issue	1985-1986
<i>Canadian Centre for Studies in Publishing</i>		
31-3	Materials	1984-1986
<i>Co-publishing series</i>		
31-4	Policy background	1981-1983
31-5	Policy	1981, 1983-84

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Fonds description

Association of Book Publishers of British Columbia fonds.

1978-2006.

4.35 m of textual material.

Administrative history: Please see the finding aid of the first accession for a more detailed history of Association of Book Publishers of British Columbia (ABPBC).

The ABPBC is the largest regional affiliate of the Association of Canadian Publishers (ACP). It represents more than 50 book publishing companies and works to encourage a healthy BC publishing industry through cooperative efforts with government and industry-related organizations.

Sources:

Association of Book Publishers of British Columbia, "Who We Are," (Vancouver BC: ABPBC, n.d.), <http://books.bc.ca/who-we-are/> (accessed November 25, 2010).

Scope and content: The fonds is organized into thirteen series according to the filing system used by the ABPBC staff and to a lesser extent by medium. The series are: Meeting minutes; Membership files; Professional development: seminars, roundtables, and related reports; Displays and promotions; Provincial and Federal funding; The Publishing Connection – improving the productivity and communication of ABPBC members; General industry survey; Awards; Environmentally sound paper initiative; ABPBC resource materials; Subject files, Photographs, and Posters.

Source of title proper: Title based on the provenance of the fonds.

Physical description note: Fonds contains 272 photographs ; 1 audio cassette ; 1 CD-ROM (photographs); 7 colour display posters; 3 computer disks ; 9 x 9 cm

Immediate source of acquisition note: Accession was acquired directly from the ABPBC.

Accruals note: This finding aid represents the third and fourth accruals to this fonds. Further accruals are expected.

Related groups of records note: Please see Poetry in Transit broadsides PS8295.5.B7 P63 and Pitpoems no.2 SPAM 27745 for related ABPBC Poetry in Transit materials in the UBC Rare Books & Special Collections (RBSC) holdings.

Alan Twigg was involved in the ABPBC and was the founder and organizer of several BC Book Prizes, including the BC Book Prize and the Vancity Book Prize. He is also the editor and publisher of *BC BookWorld*. Consequentially, the Alan Twigg fonds, at RBSC, may also be relevant for some researchers.

General note: File list available. Two boxes of 5" floppy disks labelled as 'back-ups of computer files' were weeded from the collection. See appraisal document for further details, available for consultation upon request.

Series descriptions

Series in the Association of Book Publishers of British Columbia fonds

Meeting minutes.

1977 – 2001.

36 cm of textual records.

Scope and content: Series consists of minutes of executive meetings, ABPBC annual general meetings and ABPBC committee meetings. The minutes highlight the administrative workings and tasks of the ABPBC including topics such as budgets, audits, and projects. Committees represented in this sub-series include: the Membership Fee Committee, the Trade Committee, and the Trade Book Alliance Committee.

Source of title proper: Title based on the content of the series.

Membership files.

1974 – 2007.

39 cm of textual records.

1 photograph.

1 cassette tape.

Scope and content: The series consists of a file for each member of ABPBC. Membership files typically contain the membership form (which contains information on incorporation, books published, and other details about the publisher) accompanying correspondence, administrative notes or annotations, and some files contain samples of published materials. In addition to the membership files this series contains correspondence with friends of the ABPBC and membership surveys spanning several years. The surveys are issued to ABPBC Members and are short; consisting of only a few specific questions regarding number of titles in print and whether or not they are a member of the Association of Canadian Publishers (ACP).

Source of title proper: Title based on the content of the series.

Arrangement note: Membership files were stored alphabetically by company name in two distinct chronological groupings: 1974-2001 and 1986-2006. This organization has been maintained. File titles transcribed from original files.

Professional development: seminars, roundtables, and related reports.

1998 – 2005.

29 cm of textual records.

Scope and content: Series consists of materials directly related to professional development programs organized and presented by the ABPBC. Materials were filed together and include records of past professional seminars and retreats. These events focus on such issues as digital rights management, legal contracts, internet book publicity, and government relations. The roundtable events offered an opportunity for publishers and booksellers to meet. Reports included in this series are directly related to publishing and professional growth. They are titled: *Trends in US Book Markets 2004*, *Alternate Markets Project*, and *Professional Development: Reading Habits*.

Source of title proper: Title based on the content of the series.

Displays and promotions.

1974 – 2007.

51.5 cm of textual records and other material.

Scope and content: Series consists of records relating to promotions and programs supported by the ABPBC. The majority of the files regard the Poetry in Transit program. However, the series also contains files on the Book Bus Tour, the BC Book Prize Program, the BC Ferries Book Section, other cultural programs generally and specific displays set up by and ABPBC at various locations and events. Files contain correspondence, copies of relevant publications, reports, plans, media releases, copies of posters of other printed promotional materials, and photographs.

Source of title proper: Title based on the content of the series.

Physical description note: Series contains 51.5 cm of textual records; 52 photographs; 1 audio cassette; 1 CD-ROM (photographs).

Provincial and federal funding

1986 – 2007.

40.5 cm of textual records.

Scope and content: Series consists of reports, applications, agreements for funding and correspondence regarding the administration of the federal and provincial funding programs. Specific funding programs included in this series are: the Book Publishing Industry Development Program (BPIDP), BC Book Publishing Tax Credit (BPTC), BC Arts Council, Read BC, School Library Book Purchase Plan (SLBPP), and the Canada – BC Agreement.

Source of title proper: Title based on the content of the series.

General note: The Book Publishing Industry Development Program (BPIDP) was renamed Canadian Book Fund (CBF) in September 2009.

The publishing connection.

1995-1996.

41.5 cm of textual records.

3 computer disks ; 9 x 9 cm

Scope and content: This series consists of records regarding funding from both the federal and provincial government to improve communication and the productivity of ABPBC member publishers through internet connectivity, the purchase of hardware and software as well as funding for staff training. The umbrella name for the project was *The Publishing Connection*. Series includes contracts with computer hardware, software, and services, proposals for funding, and invoices from member publishers seeking reimbursement. The series includes correspondence discussing purchases of hardware and software with a computer consultant and the individual publishing houses. The process of setting members up with internet connections is also discussed in detail. The development of a website for the ABPBC was also covered by this funding and included in this project. Files dealing with the website include bids, correspondence, and floppy disks.

Source of title proper: Title based on the content of the series.

General industry survey.

1971– 1992, 2002-2003, 2009.

21.5 cm of textual records.

Scope and content: This series consists of records related to a large and multi-year project aimed at securing support and funding. Surveys were sent to BC publishers and the results were analysed and assembled in yearly reports. Publisher folders contain statistics about past earnings and expenditures as well as some correspondence with the ABPBC.

Source of title proper: Title based on the content of the series.

Awards.

1989 – 2006.

11 cm of textual records.

4 photographs.

Scope and content: Series consists of records of award administration as well as newspaper clippings, copies of some of the certificates, photographs from events, and

correspondence. Specific awards include: Gray Campbell, Publisher of the Year, Vancity Award and the BC Book Prizes.

Source of title proper: Title based on the content of the series.

Environmentally sound paper initiative.

2000 – 2003.

5.5 cm of textual records.

Scope and content: Series consists of files relating to a single project spearheaded by the ABPBC to encourage its members to adopt environmentally sound paper purchasing policies. Series includes supporting promotional and planning materials created by the ABPBC.

Source of title proper: Title based on the content of the series.

ABPBC resource materials

1978 – 2002.

30 cm of textual records.

Scope and content: Series consists of items weeded from the resource library of the ABPBC. It includes opinions papers, and Association of Canadian Publishers strategy reports, cultural task force reports and materials that were used by the ABPBC that are now outdated. ABPBC office labelling of these library items differentiated between resources specific to publishing in British Columbia with 'ABPBC' and in Canada as a whole, with 'CDN Industry,' or 'ACP' for Association of Canadian Publishers or a shortened version of the relevant government body that created the document.

Source of title proper: Title based on the content of the series and the original ABPBC title as recorded on the boxes transferred to the archives.

Subject files.

1978 – 2006.

1.2 m of textual records.

Scope and content: Series consists of files that were kept in alphabetical order by the ABPBC office. They relate to many of the day-to-day functions of the ABPBC including: correspondence, information about one-off projects and events, briefs, media relations, clippings, and the monthly ABPBC publication Faxtotums, the ABPBC's regular communications with its members.

The series is kept in three groupings which were distinctly organized alphabetically, by file title, representing the way in which the archives received them. The alphabetical

groups of files mimic the order in which the files were placed by ABPBC staff for transfer to the archives. The groupings have been removed from the active Subject Files series at the ABPBC in a roughly chronological order; one assumes files were sent to the archives when they would no longer be of use to the ABPBC office. The dates of the three groups of records are: 2001-2004; 1978-2006; and 1990-1996.

Source of title proper: Title based on the content of the series. Boxes were labelled as such when they arrived in the archives.

Posters.

[ca. 1995 - 2001].

7 posters ; 71 x 55.5 cm and smaller.

Scope and content: Series consists of a sample of posters advertising BC Books on BC Ferries; an initiative of the ABPBC. Posters were seasonal and feature pictures of the covers of books by BC writers. Series also contains a single Poetry in Transit V poster featuring a tribute to Al Purdy.

Source of title proper: Title based on the medium of the series.

General note: Posters are located in the map cabinets.

Photographs.

[197-?] – 2005.

201 photographs ; 25 x 19.5 cm and smaller.

Scope and content: Series consists of photographs belonging to the ABPBC which were not specifically kept in a paper file or series with other records. Photographs document ABPBC annual retreats, award ceremonies, book displays and the participation of the ABPBC in various events such as Word on the Street and BC Book Prizes. Individuals featured in these photographs include writers as well as the staff of the ABPBC. Some of the names which might be of note are: Alan Twigg, Margaret Reynolds, Thora Howell, Carol Langford, Tony Gregson, Bob Tyrrell, Kate Walker, Mary Schondinger, and Gerry Tubin.

Source of title proper: Title based on the medium of the series.

File list

Series: Meeting minutes

Location (Box-file)	File title	Date
32-01a	Executive Meeting Minutes June 1984 – January 1985	June 1984 – Jan. 1985
32-01b	ABPBC Minutes from January 1978 to December 1987 [1 of 2]	Jan. 1987 – June 1987
32-02	ABPBC Minutes from January 1978 to December 1987 [2 of 2]	Aug. 1987-Jan. 1988
32-03	ABPBC Minutes March 1988	Jan. 1988-Jan. 1989
32-04	ABPBC Executive Meeting Minutes 1989	Apr. 1989 – Oct. 1989
32-05	Executive Meeting January 21/92	Jan. 21, 1992
32-06	Executive Meeting April 2, 1992	Apr. 2, 1992
32-07	Executive Meeting May 13/92	May 13, 1992
32-08	Executive Meeting June 24/92	June 24, 1992
32-09	Executive Meeting September 18/92	Sept. 18, 1992
32-10	Executive Meeting November 19/92	Nov. 19, 1992
32-11	Executive Meeting December 18/92	Dec. 18, 1992
32-12	Executive Meeting February 10/93	Feb. 10, 1993
32-13	Executive Meeting April 15/93	Apr. 15, 1993
32-14	Executive Meeting May 20/93	May 20, 1993
32-15	Executive Meeting June 15/93	June 15, 1993
33-01	Executive Meeting September 16/93	Sept. 16, 1993
33-02	Executive Meeting Oct 28/93	Oct. 28, 1993
33-03	Exec. Mtng. May 12/94	May 12, 1994
33-04	Exec. Mtng. July 22/94	July 22, 1994
33-05	Exec. Mtng. Sept. 94	Sept. 16, 1994
33-06	Exec. Mtng. Nov. 4	Nov. 4, 1994
33-07	Exec. Mtng. Jan 20	Jan. 20, 1995
33-08	Exec. Mtng. March 15/95	Mar. 15, 1995
33-09	April 11 th Exec. Mtng.	Apr. 11, 1995
33-10	Exec. Mtng. July 11 th	July 11, 1995
33-11	Exec. Mtng. May 9 th	May 9, 1995
33-12	Exec. Mtng. Sept. 14/95	Sept. 14, 1995

33-13	Executive Meetings 1988	Mar. 1988 – Sept. 1988
33-14	ABPBC Executive Meetings 1989	Apr. 1989- Aug. 1989
33-15	ABPBC Executive Meetings 1990	Jan. 1990- Nov. 1990
33-16	Executive Meeting 1991	Dec. 1990 – Nov. 1991
34-01	Jan. 21/94	Jan. 21, 1994
41-07	Executive Meeting/Retreat February 6, 1999	Jan. 1999 – Feb. 6, 1999
41-08	March 4, 1999 Executive Meeting	Mar. 4, 1999
41-09	Executive Meeting May 17, 1999	May 17, 1999
41-10	Executive July 7	July 7, 1999
41-11	Executive Meeting September 15, 1999	Sept. 15, 1999
41-12	Executive Meeting Nov. 3, 1999	Nov. 3, 1999
41-13	Executive Meeting Jan. 29, 2000	Jan. 29, 2000
41-14	Executive Meeting May 24, 2000	May 23, 2000
41-15	Executive Meeting June 28, 2000	June 28, 2000
41-16	Executive Meeting September 7, 2000	Sept. 7, 2000
41-17	Executive Meeting November 14, 2000	Nov. 14, 2000
42-01	February 2, 2001 Executive Meeting	Feb. 2, 2001
42-02	Executive Meeting June 5, 2001	June 5, 2001
42-03	Executive Meeting April 30, 2001	Apr. 30, 2001
34-02	ABPBC AGM – 1977	Feb. 5, 1977
34-03	ABPBC AGM – 1978	[Feb.] 1978
34-04	ABPBC AGM – 1979	Feb. 12, 1979
34-05	ABPBC AGM – 1980	Feb. 10, 1980
34-06	AGM 1981 Reports [and AGM meeting minutes]	[early] 1981
34-07	AGM 1982 Reports [and AGM meeting minutes]	Jan. 30, 1982
34-08	AGM 1983 [Reports and meeting minutes]	[early] 1983
34-09	ABPBC AGM – 1984	[early] 1984
34-10	AGM 1985 [includes Annual report from 1984, only]	[early] 1985
34-11	ABPBC AGM – 1986	[early] 1986
34-12	ABPBC AGM – 1987	Mar. 6, 1987
34-13	ABPBC AGM – 1988	Mar. 3, 1988
34-14	ABPBC Annual General Meeting 1989	Mar. 2, 1989

34-15	Annual General Meeting 1990	Mar. 16, 1990
34-16	ABPBC Annual General Meeting 1991	Mar. 7, 1991
34-17	ABPBC Annual General Meeting 1992	Mar. 9, 1992
35-01	ABPBC Annual General Meeting 1993	Mar. 12, 1993
35-02	AGM 1994	Mar. 24, 1994
35-03	1995 Annual General Meeting	Mar. 14, 1995
35-04	ABPBC Annual General Meeting 1996	Mar. 12, 1996
35-05	Annual General Meeting 1998	Apr. 23, 1998
35-06	ABPBC AGM 1999	Mar.25, 1999
35-07	Trade Committee Minutes 2001	2001
35-08	Membership Fee Committee	2004
35-09	TBA [Trade Book Alliance Committee]	1995-1996
35-10	ABPBC BC Ferries sub-committee	1996
35-11	ABPBC BC PIN [Publishers' Information Network]	1991

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35-12	Abbey Graphics	1997
35-13	Amrita Publications Inc.	1998
35-14	Artery Enterprises Limited	1997
35-15	Bear Grass Press	1986-1992
35-16	Bilkin Enterprises	1997
35-17	Brighthouse Press	1988-1989
35-18	Briarwood Publishing	1990
35-19	Bright Publishing Inc.	1994
35-20	BC Diary Foundation	1994-1995
35-21	Cacanadadada [now Ronsdale Press]	1991-1993
35-22	[The Self-Publishers' Press] CBD Inc.	1990-1994
35-23	Cinnabar Press	1980-1991
35-24	Computer Consultants Int.	1990-1995
35-25	Cordillera Publishing Company	1991-1997
35-26	Credit Management	1979-1981
35-27	Crook Publishing	1982-1988
35-28	Delina Publishing	1997
35-29	Denic Services & Sales	1995
35-30	Expanducators	1985-1986
35-31	Foundation House Publications	1987-1993
36-01	Fraser Institute	1976-1985
36-02	Fuent Productions	2000
36-03	Gallerie Publications	1991-1994
36-04	Good Times Publishing	1990
36-05	Homo [House Publishing]	1995
36-06	Hurricane Press	1998
36-07	Iota productions	1996-1997
36-08	Intermedia Press	1975-1979
36-09	Kaiser Youth Foundation	1994
36-10	Kalamalka Press	1992
36-11	Kebzeh Publications	1997-1998
36-12	Launch Pad Distributers	1984-1985
36-13	Lazara Publications	1987-1993

36-14	Lost Moose Publishing	1994-1997
36-15	MAIA Publishing Ltd.	1991
36-16	Multicultural Books	1995-1997
36-17	New Dawn	1991
36-18	Northern [BC] Book Publishing	1990-1992
36-19	Nor'West Publishing	1991
36-20	On-Route Communications	1990
36-21	Pacific-Rim Publishers	1993-1996
36-22	[Gordon Peachey]	1984-1986
36-23	Personal Powers Press International	1991-1992
36-24	Porthole Press	1997-1998
36-25	Press Gang Publishers	1976-2000
36-26	Ptarmigan [Press]	1981-1995
36-27	Protected Shores	1998
36-28	Rand and Sarah Publishing	1988-1989
36-29	Red Cedar Press	1987-1992
36-30	Reflections	1992-1996
36-31	Ripple Effect Press	2000-2001
36-32	Studio 123	1991-1993
37-01	Summer Wild Productions	1992
37-02	Summit Prod	1994
37-03	Steller Press	1998-2001
37-04	Superior Reproductions	1997
37-05	Tantalus Research	1974-1986
37-06	Three S Fitness	1979-1988
37-07	Two Hearts Publishing	1989-1990
37-08	Ulkatcho Publishing	1995-1997
37-09	Vancouver Community College Press	1990-1994
37-10	Water Margin Press	1989-1992
37-11	Western Canada Wilderness Committee	1990-1996
37-12	Yinka Dene [Language Institute]	1991
37-13	Friends of the Association [of Book Publishers of British Columbia]	1989-1995
37-14	1995 Membership Survey	1995
37-15	1996 Membership Survey	1996
37-16	Membership Survey Forms 1997	1997
37-17	1998 Membership Survey	1998

37-18	1998 Directory Updates	1998
37-19	Ballyhoo Promotions	2003
37-20	Bauhinea Press	1991
37-21	Beach Holme Publishing [Porcepic Books]	1980-2005
37-22	Bendall Books	1993-1997
37-23	Ben Simon Publications	1986-1997
37-24	Blue Lake Books	2003-2004
37-25	Big Bean Publishing	1995
37-26	Bunbury Books	1999
37-27	Fun with Composers	2006
37-28	Gordon Soules Book Publishers	1989-1999
37-29	Horsdal and Schubart	1985-2000
38-01	Houghton Boston	1998
38-02	Instar Publishing Inc.	2007
38-03	Lochenlode Books	2004
38-04	Productive Fitness Products	2004
38-05	Louise Framst Books	1996-1997
38-06	New West Writers	2000-2001
38-07	Pacific Edge Publishing	1990-1998
38-08	Polestar Press	1981-2000
38-09	Snosrap Publishing	2003-2004
38-10	Sonotek Publishing Ltd.	2001-2002
38-11	Subway Books Ltd.	2001-2006
38-12	Watts Connections	2005
38-13	XYZ Publishing	1999
38-14	Zoetic Inc	2000-2006

Series: Professional development: seminars, roundtables, and related reports.

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38-15	Professional Development: Reading Habits: Seminars	2004-2005
38-16	Trends in US Book Market 2004	2004
38-17	Alternate Markets Project (West Coast Research)	1997-1998
38-18	Roundtable Publisher/Bookseller [Report]	Oct. 2001
38-19	Pub[lisher]/Bookseller Roundtable #II Feb 2002	Feb. 2002
38-20	Pub[lisher]/Bookseller Roundtable #II [Report]	Feb. 2002
38-21	Co-Publishing Seminar	1988-1989
38-22	Digital Rights Seminar March 14, 2001	1999-2001
38-23	E-Commerce & Information Sessions: national Library, Chapters, pan productions, BP. DP.	2002-2003
38-24	Export – Professional Development	1989, 1997-1998
38-25	Government Relations Seminar (March 1997)	1997
38-26	Internet PD	2000
38-27	Legal Considerations [in the Editorial Process]	1990, 1999
39-01	Legal Contracts – 1998 Retreat	1998
39-02	Library Marketing Seminar 1996	1996
39-03	Library Seminar September 1999	Sept. 1999
39-04	Nuts & Bolts [of Book Publishing] Seminar 1999	Feb. 6, 1999
39-05	Post Secondary markets Seminar March 14, 2001	2000-2001
39-06	Professional Development: Production Seminar	2002
39-07	Professional Development 2002	2002
39-08	Professional Development Publishing Measures (Invoices)	2002-2004
42-04	Film Rights Seminar 1999	June 1999
42-05	Children's Publishing PD September 19, 2001	Sept. 19, 2001
42-06	PD – Special Mkts & Buying Habits 2003 March	Mar. 31, 2003
42-07	Professional Development 2003 Marketing	June – Sept. 2003
42-08	Booknet Session March 2004	Mar. 9, 2004
42-09	Professional Development 2003/04 Supply Chain, EDI, Bibliographic Data, etc.	2002-2003
43-10	Nuts & Bolts PD [Professional Development] March 1989	1989-1991

43-11	1991 Nuts & Bolts [Professional Development]	1991
43-12	Alternative markets seminar	2003

Series: Displays and promotions.

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39-09	Displays – Book Bus Tour	1974
39-10	Display Archives	1976-1978
39-11	ABPBC Newsletter (pre-Signature)	1978
39-12	<i>Who's(e) Who: the English Canadian literary scene</i>	1979
39-13	DoC Evaluation: Booksellers Response: BC Book Prizes	1980-1987
39-14	Cultural Action Plan for Vancouver – Discussion Paper	1985
39-15	School Library Book Purchase [Plan]	1977
39-16a	Media Study 1986-1988 [1 of 2]	1985-1988
39-16b	Media Study 1986-1988 [photocopies of relevant sections of Canadian newspapers] [2 of 2]	1986-1988
39-17	30 th Anniversary Speeches [audio cassette tape]	2004
39-18	[note re: photographs of Vickie Jensen for Poetry in Transit][see BC-1941-293]	[2005]
40-01	The Literary Tour April 28, 2005 [photographs and negatives]	Apr. 28, 2005
40-02	PIT [Poetry in Transit] 2006-2007 Admin[istration]	2006-2007
40-03	PIT [Poetry in Transit] 2006-2007 10 th Anniversary	2006-2007
40-04	PIT [Poetry in Transit] 2006-2007 Permissions	2006-2007
40-05	PIT [Poetry in Transit] 2006-2007 Submissions [1 of 2]	2006-2007
40-06	PIT [Poetry in Transit] 2006-2007 Submissions [2 of 2]	2006-2007
40-07	BC Book & Magazine Week 2007 [1 of 2]	2007
40-08	BC Book & Magazine Week 2007 [2 of 2]	2007
40-09	BC Ferries Correspondence 1998-2000	1998-2000
40-10	ABPBC 30 th Anniversary	2004
40-11	BC Book Week 2001 [OS posters]	2000-2001
40-12	BC Ferries – TWUC [The Writers' Union of Canada] Correspondence	2000-2001
40-13	The Book Bus [BC-1941-309]	1974
41-01	BC Ferries 2002	2002
41-02	BC Ferries 2003	2003
41-03	Culture Matters [Campaign]	2002

41-04	Poetry in Transit 2001	2001
41-05	Poetry in Transit 2002 [photographs]	2002
41-06	Poetry in Transit 2003 [Word on the Street]	2003
42-10	LBPP [Library Book Purchase Plan] Evaluations	2003
42-11	BC Books for BC Schools 2005	June- October 2005
42-12	Ministry of Education 2003-2005 [Children's Books to Support Literacy Initiatives]	2003
42-13	LBPP Sponsorship: Lobby	2002-2004
42-15	[Word on the Street: negatives and note] [BC-1941- 327 – BC-1941-337]	[199-]
42-16	ABPBC Promotional Materials Portfolio	[2005]
49-01	Independent Publishers Book Fair BCBMW [BC Book and Magazine Week] 2004 [survey results, report]	2004
49-02	20 Minute writing clinics BCBMW [BC Book and Magazine Week] 2004	2004
49-03	BC Book and Magazine Week 2002	2002
49-04	BC Book and Magazine Week 2003 [1 of 2]	2003
49-05	BC Book and Magazine Week 2003 [2 of 2]	2003
49-06	BC Book and Magazine Week 2004 Media and Publicity	2004
49-07	BC Book and Magazine Week 2004	2004
49-08	BC Book and Magazine Week 2005	2005
49-09	BC Book and Magazine Week 2005	2005
49-10	BC Book and Magazine Week 2005 Literary tour	2005
49-11	BCBMW [BC Book and Magazine Week] event listings	2005
49-12	BCBMW [BC Book and Magazine Week] evaluations	2005
49-13	ABPBC 30 th Anniversary Sept. 2004	Aug. 2004
50-01	Poetry in Transit 2004 [includes a CD of photographs BC-1941-320 – BC-1941-326]	2004
50-02	Shelf-Talkers 2002 [promotion cancelled]	2002

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42-14	Bonus-ing non-BPTC [BC Book Publishing Tax Credit] Publishers	2003-2004
43-01	BPTC [BC Book Publishing Tax Credit] Evaluation 2004- [1 of 2]	2004-2006
43-02	BPTC [BC Book Publishing Tax Credit] Evaluation 2004- [2 of 2]	2004-2006
43-03	BPIDP 2003/04	2003-2004
43-04	DCH 2003 [BPIDP]	2003
43-05	BPIDP BC Books for BC Schools 2006	2006-2007
43-06	BPIDP Multi-Year Funding Collective Marketing	2006
43-07	BPIDP Internship 2005/06 Alison [Cairns]	2005-2006
43-08	BPIDP Tyee 2006	2006-2007
43-09	BC Gov't Publishing Support Programs and Policies, Analysis and Recommendations	1986
50-03	BCAC [BC Arts Council] Application 2003/2004	2003-2004
50-04	BCAC [BC Arts Council] Application 2003/2004	2004-2005
50-05	BPIDP 2003/2004 Collective Marketing and Promotion Projects	2003-2004
50-06	BPIDP Internship Program	2004-2005
50-07	BPIDP Internship Extension 2005/2006	2005
50-08	BPIDP Multi Year Funding Professional Development	2004-2005
50-09	BPIDP 2003/2004 Library Book Purchase Plan	2003-2004
50-10	BPIDP Multi Year Funding Library Book Purchase Plan	2003-2006
50-11	BPIDP Research 2004-2006	2004-2006
50-12	Canada – BC Agreement 1995	1994-1995
50-13	Canada Council Application 2004	2004
50-14	Canada Council 2005	2005
50-15	BPIDP Specialty Catalogues 2002/2003	2002-2003
51-01	SLBPP [School Library Book Purchase Plan] Annotations Catalogue 2002-2003	2002-2003
51-02	Read BC: 2004 Project outline and budgets	2004
51-03	Read BC: 2003 Project outline and budgets	2002-2003
51-04	Read BC 2003 distribution	2002-2003

51-05	Books for Everybody 2002	2002
51-06	Books for Everybody 2003	2003
51-07	Marketing projects	2003-2004
51-08	Chapter's Day	2002
51-09	Be BC Bookwise 2003	2003
51-10	CSB application 1990	1990
51-11	CSB 1995	1995
51-12	CSB 1994	1994
51-13	CSB application 1993	1993
51-14	CSB application 1992	1992
51-15	CSB application 1991	1991
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52-01	CSB application 1993	1993
52-02	CSB application 1992	1992
52-03	CSB application 1991	1991
52-04	CSB literacy project application	1991
52-05	CSB PIN project application	1991
52-06	CSB ACP Policy Conference	1989-1991

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44-01	[Establishing a BC Book publishers computer information network]	1995
44-02	The Publishing Connection – Server [1 of 2]	1995
44-03	The Publishing Connection – Server [2 of 2]	1995
44-04	The Publishing Connection – Administration	1995
44-05	Aragorn [Enterprises ltd. – contract for computer supplies]	1995
44-06	Second Round Aragorn [Enterprises ltd.]	1995
44-07	Consultant [Eric Ansley]	1995
44-08	C-BC [Canada-British Columbia Agreement] invoices to Province [re: The Publishing Connection] [1 of 2]	1995-1996
44-09	C-BC [Canada-British Columbia Agreement] invoices to Province [re: The Publishing Connection] [2 of 2]	1995-1996
44-10	Publishing Connection – Phase II Cash Flow	1995
44-11	Stage Two	1995
44-12	Suppliers	1995
44-13	Training	1995
44-14	Anvil	Sept. 1995, Mar. 1996
44-15	Arsenal Pulp Press Canada-BC Agreement	1995
44-16	Ben-Simon Publications Canada-BC Agreement	1995, Feb. 1996
45-01	Bendall Books Canada-BC Agreement	1995, Feb. 1996
45-02	The Caitlin Press Canada-BC Agreement	1995, Feb.1996
45-03	Douglas & McIntyre	Oct. 1995, Mar. 1996
45-04	Gordon Soules Book publishers Canada-BC Agreement	1995
45-05	Hancock House Canada-BC Agreement	1995
45-06	Harbour Publishing Canada-BC Agreement	1995, Mar. 1996
45-07	Hartley & Marks Canada-BC Agreement	1995-1996
45-08	Heritage House Canada-BC Agreement	1995
45-09	New Society Publishers Canada-BC Agreement	1995, Feb. 1996

45-10	New Star Books Canada-BC Agreement	1995
45-11	Nightwood Editions Canada-BC Agreement	1995, Feb. 1996
45-12	Orca Book Publishers Canada-BC Agreement	1995, Feb. 1996
45-13	Oolichan Books Canada-BC Agreement	1995, Feb. 1996
45-14	Pacific Educational Press Canada-BC Agreement	1995
45-15	Polestar Press Canada-BC Agreement	1995
45-16	Press Gang Publishers Canada-BC Agreement	1995, Feb., Mar. 1996
45-17	Raincoast Books Canada-BC Agreement	1995, Mar. 1996
45-18	Royal British Columbia Museum Canada-BC Agreement	1995
46-01	Sandhill Book Marketing Canada-BC Agreement	1995
46-02	Self Counsel Press	1995
46-03	Talon Books Canada-BC Agreement	1995
46-04	Theytus Books Canada-BC Agreement	1995
46-05	Whitecap Books Canada-BC Agreement	1995-1996
46-06	UBC Press Canada-BC Agreement	1995-1996
46-07a	Web Site Proposal Applications	1996
46-07b	ABPBC Website 1996 (setup and status reports)	1996
46-07c	Canada-BC Agreement Account [Financial statements and invoices for all participating publishers]	1995-1996
58-09	Publishing Connection 1996 [1 of 2]	1996
58-10	Publishing Connection 1996 [2 of 2]	1996

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46-08	General Industry Survey 1971-1981	May 3, 1984
46-09	1981 General Industry Survey: tabulations, charts	1981
46-10	General Industry Survey 1982 Cloudburst Press	1971-1982
46-11	General Industry Survey 1982 Douglas & McIntyre Ltd.	1979-1982
46-12	General Industry Survey 1982 Fraser Institute	1971-1982
46-13	General Industry Survey 1982 Gray's Publishing	1971-1982
46-14	General Industry Survey 1982 Hancock House Ltd.	1976-1982
46-15	General Industry Survey 1982 International Self Counsel Press	1974-1981
46-16	General Industry Survey 1982 Press Porcepic	1980-1981
46-17	General Industry Survey 1982 Talonbooks Ltd.	1971-1981
46-18	General Industry Survey 1982 University of British Columbia Press	1981-1982
46-19	General Industry Survey 1982 Whitecap Books	1979-1981
46-20	General Industry Survey 1982 [returned surveys]	1982-1983
47-01	General Industry Survey 1982-1983 [drafts, correspondence, etc.]	1984
47-02	General Industry Survey: Book Publishing in British Columbia	1984, 1987
47-03	General Industry Survey Questionnaires	1984
47-04	General Industry Survey: Publisher Interviews 1983-84	1984
47-05	General Industry Survey [hand drawn graphs]	1984
47-06	Response by Question	1984
47-07	Response by Company	1984
47-08	Core Group	[1986]
47-09	[Core Group, related data]	[1986]
47-10	1984 General Industry Survey: Core Group Study	1984
47-11	General Industry Survey 1984 [responses and correspondence]	1984-1986
47-12	General Industry Survey 1985	1985-1986
47-13	General Industry Survey 1985 [survey responses]	1986
47-14	General Industry Survey 1986 [survey responses]	1987
47-15	General Industry Survey 1990	1988-1990
47-16	General Industry Survey 1991	1989-1992

47-17	ABPBC Industry Research 2002 [short paper, survey, Rowland Lorimer]	2002-2003
47-18	Rolf re: General Industry Embargo	2009
47-19	General Industry Survey 1986	1986

Series: Awards

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48-01	Vancity Award	2006
48-02	BC Book Prize Society [1 of 2]	1993-1996
48-03	BC Book Prize Society [2 of 2]	1989-1993
48-04	Gray Campbell Award [BC-1941-273, Alan Twigg] [See also related photographs BC-1941-254 – BC-1941-272]	1999-2000
48-05	Gray Campbell Award 2001 [Jim Douglas]	2001
48-06	Gray Campbell [Award and the Jim Douglas Publisher of the Year Award 2002] [BC-1941-274, [Thora Howell]	2002
48-07	Gray Campbell/Jim Douglas Award 2003 [BC-1941-275a and BC-1941-275b]	2003
48-08	Jim Douglas Publisher of the Year Award	2002

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48-09	Eco Kit [New Leaf Papers]	2001
48-10	Environmentally Sound Paper 2000-01	2000-2001
48-11	Environmentally Sound Paper 2001	2001
48-12	Environmentally Sound Paper 2002	2002
48-13	Environmentally Sound Paper 2003	2003

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59-01	<i>Association of Canadian Publishers: A History 1970-1978</i>	[1978]
59-02	Draft for Discussion: Association of Canadian Publishers Foreign Investment Paper	1996
59-03	[Ginngate Affair]	1994
59-04	<i>Association of Canadian Publishers: New Directions: Rethinking Public Policy for Canadian Books</i>	Nov. 1995
59-05	<i>Association of Canadian Publishers: Publishing Policy Statement, draft [1 of 2]</i>	Mar. 1984
59-06	<i>Association of Canadian Publishers: Publishing Policy Statement, draft [2 of 2]</i>	Mar. 1984
59-07	<i>BC Government Publishing Support Programs & Policies: Analysis and Recommendations</i>	1986
59-08	<i>Arts & Culture in Greater Vancouver: Contributing to the Liveable Region: The Interim report of the Regional Cultural Plan Steering Committee</i>	Jul. 1997
59-09	<i>Book Publishing and Canadian Culture: A National Strategy for the 1990s</i> , A Paper Prepared by the Association of Canadian Publishers	Oct. 1991
59-10	<i>A Brief on the Need for a Cultural Industries Sub-agreement to the BC Economic Regional Development Agreement (ERDA)</i> , prepared by the Cultural Industry Task Force of British Columbia	Apr. 1987
59-11	<i>Canadian Books for British Columbia Schools: A proposal from the Association of Book Publishers of BC</i>	Mar. 31, 1980
59-12	<i>Canadian Literature in High Schools: A Research Study of English Language Literature</i>	2002
59-13	<i>Canadian Publishing: An industrial Strategy for its Preservation and Development in the Eighties</i> , A policy paper prepared by Patricia Aldana for ACP and endorsed by the Annual Meeting of the ACP February, 1980	1980
59-14	<i>The Changing Policy Environment for Book Publishing</i> , by Roy MacSkimming	Apr. 1991
59-15	<i>Culturally Valuable Canadian Trade Publishing, Profitability and Grants</i> , by Karl H. Siegler	1989

59-16	<i>Discussion paper on the Evaluation of the Cultural Industries Development Fund</i> , Department of Canadian Heritage	Jun. 1995
59-17	<i>Evaluation of the Book Publishing Industry Development program: Economic Study</i> , Vol. 1, Government of Canada Department of Communications	1992
59-18	<i>Evaluation of the Book Publishing Industry Development Program: Financial and Market Impact Study</i> , Vol. 1, Government of Canada Department of Communications	1992
59-19	<i>Evaluation of the Book Publishing Industry Development Program: Financial and Market Impact Study</i> , Vol. 2, Government of Canada Department of Communications	1991
59-20	<i>Evaluation of the Book Publishing Industry Development Program: Study on the Rationale, Objective Achievements and Alternatives: Publishers' Opinions, English-language Market</i> , Government of Canada Department of Communications	1992
59-21	<i>Evaluation of the Book Publishing Industry Development Program (BPIDP): Study on the Shipping of Books</i> , Government of Canada Department of Communications	1992
59-22	<i>An Evaluation of the Book Publishing Industry Development Program</i> , Corporate Review Branch, Prepared by Universalia	Aug. 1998
59-23	Film Incentive BC [guidelines]	1998
59-24	<i>A Framework for the Development of Cultural Industries Policies for British Columbia</i> , prepared by Paul Audley & Associates Ltd. For The Ministry of Tourism and Ministry Responsible for Culture	Feb. 1993
60-01	RITC [Refundable Investment Tax Credit] History	1998-2001
60-02	<i>Pacific Rim Book Publishing: Opportunities for Expansion</i> , prepared by The Canadian Pacific Book Fair Society	Dec. 1989
60-03	<i>Profile of the Book publishing Industry in Canada</i> , draft, prepared by CPER Management Consulting Inc.	Jan. 31, 1983
60-04	<i>Publishing on the Edge: A Cultural and Economic Study of Book Publishing in British Columbia</i> , by Roy MacSkimming and Ian Chunn	Nov. 1993

60-05	<i>Government Intervention in the Book Publishing Industry</i> , by Meg Fellowes	Apr. 1991
60-06	<i>The honeymoon is over: A briefing document on the Ginnage affair</i>	Jun. 1994
60-07	<i>A Report on the British Columbia Book Prizes</i> , prepared by Tony Gregson for Ruth Clark Consulting	Apr. 1987
60-08	<i>Strategic Directions for Culture and Heritage Tourism in British Columbia</i> , prepared for Ministry of Small Business, Tourism and Culture and Tourism British Columbia by Jim Lee and Dr. Peter Williams	Nov. 1999
60-09	<i>Review of the Cultural Development Funds, Final Report</i> , Government of Canada	Oct. 1994
60-10	<i>Review of the Book Publishing Industry in British Columbia with Recommendations for Public Policy Development</i> , prepared by the ABPBC	Apr. 1987
60-11	<i>Partners in Success: A Directions and Opportunities Study of The Book and Periodical Industry in Western Canada</i> , by George R. Melnyk M.A. Principle New Lanark Consultants	May 1990
60-12	<i>Strengthening Industry and Corporate Structures: Toward a New Strategy for the Canadian Book Publishing Industry</i> , by Paul Audley [1 of 3]	Jan. 1984
60-13	<i>Towards Canadian Cultural Industries: Problems and Prospects</i> , by Rowland Lorimer [2 of 3]	[198-]
60-14	<i>The SSHRCC Controversy and Canadian Studies</i> , by James page [3 of 3]	Mar. 13, 1982
60-15	<i>A Study in the Current State and Future Options of Book Production in Canada</i> , by Evelyn Ross	Nov. 1981
60-16	<i>A Study of the Canada Council's "Writing & Publications" Section Spending Patterns: With Respect to its Anglophone Client Book Publishers Currently in the Block Grant Program 1981-1987</i> , by Karl H. Siegler, President, Talon Books Ltd.	Apr. 6, 1987
60-17	Various ACP Publishing Policy Papers [1 of 6] <i>The Case of the Reluctant Patron</i> , by Jeffrey Holmes	Jan. 1984
60-18	Various ACP Publishing Policy Papers [2 of 6] <i>Book Publishing Consultation Report</i> , by Rick Antonson	Feb. 1986
60-19	Various ACP Publishing Policy Papers [3 of 6] <i>The Question of New Subsidiary Book Publishing Companies</i> , The Independent Publishers	[198-]

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60-20	Various ACP Publishing Policy Papers [4 of 6] <i>Affecting the Book Policy Process</i> , by Dinah Hoyle	Jan. 25, 1984
60-21	Various ACP Publishing Policy Papers [5 of 6] <i>Book Publishing and Public Policy: A Report on the April 1981 Conference: And a Proposal for a Follow-up Book Commission</i> , draft	[1981]
60-22	Various ACP Publishing Policy Papers [6 of 6] <i>ACP Publishing Policy File</i> , vol.2 no. 2	Apr.-May 1981

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52-07	Amazon 2002	Jul. 2002
52-08	BC Archives 2003	Oct. 2002 – Oct. 2003
52-09	BC Bestsellers [1 of 2]	Jan. 2001 – Jun.2001
52-10	BC Bestsellers [2 of 2]	Jul.2001 - Feb. 2002
52-11	BC Bestsellers [1 of 2]	Mar. 2002 – Jul. 2002
52-12	BC Bestsellers [2 of 2]	Aug. 2002 – Dec.2002
52-13	Book Publishing Tax Credit 2003	2003
52-14	Bookseller Meetings	2001
52-15	Canada Council Policy 2003/04	2004
52-16	Canadian Heritage 2003	2003
52-17	Canadian Heritage: Financial Sector Options	2002
53-01	Chapters/Indigo	1999-2002
53-02	Chapters/Indigo Media	Jan.-Jul. 2001
53-03	Correspondence: Misc 2003/04 [Ethics in Action]	Aug.-Nov. 2003
53-04	Current disruptions in retail distribution – Lorimer for Bridge Financing	[2002]
53-05	DCH Ontario Study	[2003]
53-06	Faxtotums 2001	Jan.-Dec.2001
53-07	Faxtotums 2002	Jan.-Nov. 2002
53-08	Faxtotums 2003	Jan.-Dec.2003
53-09	The Manitoba Writing and Publishing Awards: Brave New Words	2003
53-10	Media 2001	2001
53-11	Misc. Archival stuff [ABPBC pamphlets]	[2002]
53-12	Policy 2001	1991-2001
53-13	Policy 2001-2002	2001-2002
53-14	Policy Committee 2003	2002-2003

53-15	Provincial Archives 2001 Policy [re: use of archival photographs]	2001
53-16	Provincial Archives 2002 Policy [re: use of archival photographs]	2002
53-17	RITC [Refundable Investment Tax Credit] proposal	Oct. 1999
53-18	<i>Shared Vision</i> [now <i>Today's Vancouver Woman</i>] bestseller list 2003-2004	2003-2004
54-01	Tax credit presentation to caucus committee on the economy	2002
54-02	Tax measure 2002/2003	2002

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54-03	1987 Computerization study	1978-1988
54-04	1993 CITF [Cultural industries task force]	1993
54-05	Archives	1990-2002
54-06	Arts Now: Tyee Books Site	2005-2007
54-07	BC Bookworld	1988-1995
54-08	Borders and Barnes and Noble	1995-1996
54-09	A brief on the need for a Cultural Industries Sub-agreement to the BC Economic Regional Development Agreement (ERDA)	April 1987
54-10	Chinese delegation	2005
54-11	ABPBC Correspondence 1991	Jan. 1991 – Oct. 1991 and Mar. 1992
54-12	Co-publishing policy	1993-1994
54-13	Faxtotums 2004	Jan.-Dec.2004
54-14	Faxtotums 2005	Jan.-Dec.2005
54-15	E/Faxtotums 2006	Jan.-Dec.2006
54-16	FDBD [Federal Business Development Bank]	[1991]
55-01	GDS [General Distribution Services] debacle	2002
55-02	George Woodcock Literary Crt [Arts Center proposal]	1995
55-03	GST/Don't Tax Reading	1989-1996
55-04	Ministry of Regional Dev't [Proposed Employee	1989

	Investment program]	
55-05	Ministry of Environment and Forests	1993-1994
55-06	New Airport Bkst [Bookstore]	1995
55-07	PACIFICA	Apr. 1989
55-08	Pacifica [1 of 2]	1991
55-09	Pacifica [2 of 2]	1992-1993
55-10	The Pacifica Rim Book Fair, Unedited draft	Jun. 1987
55-11	Policy [re: block funding] 1995-2001	1995-2001
55-12	Program development questionnaire 1987	1986-1987
55-13	Provincial Programs – other provinces	1989-1990
55-14	Specialty catalogue evaluations	2002-2003
55-15	Spirit of BC Tyee Book Site	2006-2007
55-16	Tax matters pre '88	1986-1988
55-17	Tyee Ad Bookings	2006
55-18	Using media: print and electronic media in BC	[198-]

Series: Subject files

Subject files 1990-1996

Location (Box-file)	File title	Date
56-01	1990 BC PIN [Publisher Information Network]	1990-1991
56-02	1992 BC PIN [Publisher Information Network]	1992-1994
56-03	Endpaper backissues	Spring 1984- Mar. 1993
56-04	Pinformation	1990-1991
56-05	BC Books for BC Schools [catalogues]	1995
56-06	BC Ferries 1992	1992
56-07	BC Ferries 1993	1993
56-08	BC Ferries/Author Readings	[1995-1996]
56-09	BC Bookworld: the TV series	1995
56-10	BC Publishers and the BC School Market	Jan. – Sept. 1992
56-11	ABPBC Market Strategy for Schools	Mar.-Apr. 1993
56-12	Bill 33 [Human Rights Amendment Act]	1993
56-13	Budget Analysis 1983-1988	1983-1988

56-14	Canada-BC Agreement, year 2	1995
56-15	Canada-BC Proposals, other	1995
56-16	Technology Project Canada-BC Agreement [The Publishing Connection]	1994-1995
56-17	Correspondence misc.	1995-1996
56-18	Designs – lit. brochure	1994-1995
56-19	Designers & 211 list	1994
57-01	Education committee 1994	1994
57-02	Education committee 1995	1995
57-03	Faxtotems	1993-1995
57-04	Faxtotems	1995
57-05	Faxtotems	1996
57-06	Federal government – info, correspondence, policy	1993
57-07	Fletcher GST 1990	1990
57-08	General articles/newspaper clippings [1 of 3]	1994-1996
57-09	General articles/newspaper clippings [2 of 3]	1994
57-10	General articles/newspaper clippings [3 of 3]	1992-1994
57-11	Gosewich GST seminar	1990
57-12	Literacy brochure admin.	1994
57-13	Media study	1993
57-14	President's meetings with publishers 2006	2006
57-15	Production/new technologies seminar	1990
57-16	Reports to ACP on seminars	1992/93
57-17	Retreat '95	1995
58-01	Study 1993 [of book publishing industry in BC]	1993
58-02	1995 Swiftsure	1995
58-03	Swiftsure	1995-1996
58-04	Tradebooks for the education market	1990
58-05	Van. Sun advertisements section	1993
58-06	WEPA 1994 [Western Economic Partnership Agreement]	1994
58-07	WEPA phase 2 priorities	1995

Photograph list

Identifier	File (Box- file)	Title	Date
BC-1941-66 - BC-1941-92	40-01	The Literary Tour April 28, 2005	Apr. 28, 2005
BC-1941-93 - BC-1941-117	41-05	Poetry in Transit 2002	2002
BC-1941-273	48-04	Alan Twigg	[200-]
BC-1941-274	48-06	[Thora Howell]	2002
BC-1941-275a BC-1941-275b	48-07	[Gray Campbell/Jim Douglas Award Dinner]	[2003]
BC-1941-309	40-13	Book Bus Tour	1974
BC-1941-320 – BC-1941-326	50-01	Poetry in Transit photos! September 2004 WOTS [Word on the Street]	Sept. 2004
BC-1941-327 – BC-1941-337	42-15	[Word on the Street: negatives and note]	[199-]

Photograph list

Series: Photographs.

Identifier	File (Box- file)	Title	Date
BC-1941-118 – BC-1941-126	61	[Retreat]	[1993]
BC-1941-127	61	[Recreation and culture]	1988
BC-1941-128 – BC-1941-129	61	Linda Turnbull	[197-]
BC-1941-130 – BC-1941-133	61	[Party] [B & W]	[196-]
BC-1941-134	61	Margaret Reynolds Exec. Dir. – Seattle	1992
BC-1941-135 – BC-1941-141	61	[ABPBC Reception – Seattle - Bumbershout]	1992
BC-1941-142	61	[Pick a Duck Win a Book!]	[2000]
BC-1941-143 – BC-1941-145	61	[Retreat]	[199-]
BC-1941-146	61	Paul Davidson ACP, Margaret Reynolds ABPBC	1998

BC-1941-147 – BC-1941-153	61	[Retreat]	[2000]
BC-1941-154 – BC-1941-162	61	Retreat	1998
BC-1941-163 – BC-1941-164	61	[For Margaret]	[2003]
BC-1941-165 – BC-1941-171	61	Poetry in Transit	[199-]
BC-1941-172	61	Kate Walker, Stanton & MacDougall; Michelle Benjamin, Polestar – Seattle	1992
BC-1941-173	61	[ABPBC]	Jan. 1993
BC-1941-174 – BC-1941-186	61	[Retreat]	[1993]
BC-1941-187 – BC-1941-211	61	[Word on the Street] [See 42-15 – for negatives and note]	[199-]
BC-1941-212 – BC-1941-220	61	[Retreat]	1997
BC-1941-221	61	[British Columbia Publishing Group – display]	[1975]
BC-1941-222	61	[International Self-Counsel Press – display] [B & W]	[196-]
BC-1941-223	61	[display – Bob Tyrrell]	[199-]
BC-1941-224	61	[BC Book Prizes]	[199-]
BC-1941-225	61	Chris Plant – foreground; Diana Douglas, Self Counsel; Linda Cameron, OLA	2004
BC-1941-226	61	Book prizes, Penticton, Bob Tyrrell, Kate Walker, Mary Schondinger	[199-]
BC-1941-227	61	Bookseller/publisher roundtable	2002
BC-1941-228 – BC-1941-231	61	Shaken & Slightly Stirred Fundraiser	2002
BC-1941-232	61	[floatplane]	2003
BC-1941-233 – BC-1941-241	61	[Gray Campbell Award night]	2003
BC-1941-242 – BC-1941-253	61	[Retreat]	2004
BC-1941-254 – BC-1941-272	61	ABPBC Gray Campbell Distinguished Service Award [See file 48-04 for related records]	2000, 2002
BC-1941-276 – BC-1941-292	61	Poetry in Transit 2004	2004

BC-1941-293	61	Vickie Jensen [Poetry in Transit]	[2005]
BC-1941-294 – BC-1941-295	61	Marusya Bociurkiw author of <i>Halfway to the East</i>	[2005]
BC-1941-296 – BC-1941-308	61	[Retreat]	[2004]
BC-1941-310	58-08	[Retreat]	[1989]
BC-1941-311	58-08	Margaret Reynolds	2005
BC-1941-312	58-08	[Christmas photograph/card, twiggy&hottie]	[200-]
BC-1941-313 – BC-1941-317	61	Misc. Photos [sent to Alan Twigg] [depicting: Scott McIntyre; Carol Langford, president of Douglas & McIntyre; Gerry Tubin ABPBC & Linda Van Soest CBIC; Tony Gregson ABPBC, Ruth Clarke NFB, Alice Niwinski, City of Vancouver, Rick Antonson D&M, Dawn Wallace CSB, Thora Howell, Bookstore on Bastion; BC Book Prizes] [B & W]	[197-?]
BC-1941-318 – BC-1941-319	58-08	Misc. Photos [sent to Alan Twigg] [depicting: Scott McIntyre; Carol Langford, president of Douglas & McIntyre; Gerry Tubin ABPBC & Linda Van Soest CBIC; Tony Gregson ABPBC, Ruth Clarke NFB, Alice Niwinski, City of Vancouver, Rick Antonson D&M, Dawn Wallace CSB, Thora Howell, Bookstore on Bastion; BC Book Prizes] [B & W]	[197-?]

Association of Book Publishers of British Columbia fonds

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Gillian Dunks, November 2016

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University of British Columbia Library

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Section 1: Fonds description

Title: Association of Book Publishers of British Columbia fonds

Dates of creation: 1982-2015, predominant 2002-2013

Physical description: 1.1 m of textual records
1 photograph : col.

Administrative history: Please see sections of the finding aid related to the first, third, and fourth accessions for a more detailed history of the Association of Book Publishers of British Columbia (ABPBC).

The ABPBC remains a regional affiliate of the Association of Canadian Publishers (ACP) and continues to represent many BC-based publishing companies. Its mandate is to support the Canadian-owned book publishing industry in the province.

From 1989-2015, the ABPBC was helmed by Executive Director Margaret Reynolds. In September 2016, this position was taken over by Heidi Waechtler. ABPBC projects were carried out by committees and were overseen by Reynolds and an elected executive.

Sources: Association of Book Publishers of British Columbia. "What We Do." Accessed November 19, 2016. <http://books.bc.ca/what-we-do/>.

Scope and content: During this period, the organization interpreted its activities as falling into three spheres: advocacy; marketing, promotion, and awareness; and business development. Through advocacy projects, the ABPBC lobbied provincial and federal governments to ensure the health of the province's publishing industry. Some of the key projects associated with the ABPBC's advocacy, marketing, and promotion activities were the BC Ferries initiative; projects focused on school libraries, such as BC Books for BC Schools; Best of BC Books Online; BC Bestseller List; and Poetry in Transit. ABPBC projects centered on increasing awareness included awards granted to individuals and publishing companies that made significant contributions to the province's publishing industry. Finally, activities related to business development included the professional development events and communications that the ABPBC generated for its members. The ABPBC also applied for funding from numerous organizations, administered membership, and held meetings for its members and committees.

The accession is arranged into eight series that were determined based on the functions and original physical order of the ABPBC's files. Series include the following: Funding; Subject Files; Projects; Awards; Membership files; Meetings; Publications and newsletters; and Professional development. Records types in the series include: correspondence; contribution agreements; final ABPBC reports on projects; newspaper clippings and ephemera; invoices; budgets; press releases; ABPBC submissions to government; meeting minutes and agendas; contract agreements; award dinner invitations, speeches, and nomination forms; membership applications; lists of meeting motions; copies of the ABPBC's constitution; strategic plan drafts;

bookmarks; catalogues; newsletters; and annual retreat agendas, evaluation forms, and booking agreements.

Source of title proper: Title based on the provenance of the fonds.

Immediate source of acquisition: Accession was acquired from the ABPBC.

Rights: Some materials in the fonds are still protected by copyright.

Finding aids: Finding aid is available.

Accruals: This finding aid represents the fifth accrual to the fonds. Further accruals are expected.

Related groups of records: Rare Books and Special Collections holds the Poetry in Transit broadsides (PS8295.5.B7) and other Poetry in Transit materials in Pitpoems no.2 SPAM 27745. Also see the Alan Twigg fonds (RBSC-ARC-1567).

General note: The following materials were weeded from this accession: duplicate copies of catalogues, pamphlets, and posters; CDs; government publications; news articles and web pages not directly related to the ABPBC's activities; documents containing personal information, including survey responses; and conference information packets.

Section 2: Series descriptions

Funding

Dates of creation: 2002-2010

Physical description: 12 cm of textual records

Scope and content: The series contains records relating to the ABPBC's Canadian provincial and federal funding. The ABPBC made applications to and received funding from the following programs: the British Columbia Arts Council, the federal government's Book Publishing Industry Development Program (BPIDP), the BC Ministry of Tourism, Sport and the Arts' Operating Assistance for Cultural Industry Associations, and Canada Council for the Arts. The ABPBC used these funds to support its day-to-day operations, professional development events, and promotion and marketing. In addition, funds were used to support projects like the Aboriginal books catalogue for schools, BC Books for BC Schools, and Poetry in Transit.

Files in the series are arranged alphabetically by title and chronologically, in keeping with their original physical order. Record types include correspondence and contribution agreements between the ABPBC and funders, as well as application forms and final reports from the ABPBC. Additionally, the ABPBC has included newspaper clippings, project-related promotional ephemera, invoices, and budgets which demonstrate how provincial and federal funds were allotted.

Source of title proper: Title based on the content of the series.

Subject files

Dates of creation: 1995, 2002-2013

Physical description: 12 cm of textual records

Scope and content: The series contains records relating to various subjects and groups of interest to the ABPBC, the day-to-day operations of the organization, and one-time events and projects. Some of the subjects of interest to the ABPBC in this time period include Bill C-1, the creation of Amazon.ca, and British Columbia's cuts to arts funding. Organizations of interest to the Association include Access Copyright, the Association of Canadian Publishers, Alliance for Arts and Culture, BC Archives, BC Library Association, and the Federation of BC Writers.

Files in the series are arranged alphabetically by title, in keeping with their original physical order. Record types include correspondence (primarily printed emails), newspaper clippings, online article print-outs, promotional ephemera for programs and events, and reports, press releases, and submissions to government from other organizations.

Source of title proper: Title based on the content of the series.

Projects

Dates of creation: 1998-2011

Physical description: 20 cm of textual records

1 photograph : col.

Scope and content: The series contains records relating to the projects undertaken by the ABPBC. Projects were undertaken in BC and supported Canadian-owned publishing companies based in the province and Association members, marketed and promoted BC books, and engaged with book-related BC communities. Specific projects represented in the series include BC Ferries promotions, the Environmentally Sound Paper Initiative, a UNESCO World City of Literature designation application for Vancouver, the Library Book Purchase Plan (renamed BC Books for BC Schools), Canadian Aboriginal Books for Schools, Poetry in Transit, the BC Bestseller List, the Best of BC Books Online initiative, a Canadian school libraries development project, and various displays.

Files in the series are arranged alphabetically by title and chronologically, in keeping with their original physical order. Record types include correspondence, ABPBC reports on projects to funders, BC Books for Schools sample order forms, publication lists for BC Books for Schools and BC Ferries, book sales reports, meeting minutes and agendas, ABPBC applications for exhibition spaces, conference agendas, copies of Poetry in Transit submission forms and poems, printed copies of online articles reviewing ABPBC projects, and contract agreements between the ABPBC and organizations affiliated with projects.

Source of title proper: Title based on the contents of the series.

Awards

Dates of creation: 2004-2012

Physical description: 3.5 cm of textual records

Scope and content: The series contains records related to the administration of the ABPBC's annual awards. The ABPBC's Jim Douglas Publisher of the Year Award, established in 2001, recognizes the contributions of an active BC book publishing company to the publishing industry in the province. The ABPBC's Gray Campbell Distinguished Service Award honours an individual who has made a significant contribution to the BC publishing industry. Awards presented during 2004-2012 were typically presented at a dinner hosted by the ABPBC.

Files in the series are arranged chronologically, in keeping with their original physical order. Record types include information pamphlets about award winners, copies of speeches introducing award winners, CVs for award winners, dinner invitations, correspondence, copies of obituaries and newspaper clippings about award winners, award nomination forms, and copies of award winners' acceptance speeches.

Source of title proper: Title based on the contents of the series.

Membership files

Dates of creation: 1982-2013

Physical description: 11 cm of textual records

Scope and content: The series contains records related to the ABPBC's members and friends. The ABPBC features two tiers of membership: Active and Association. Active members are based in BC, have at least seven titles in print, and an annual production rate of two titles. Associate members are also based in BC and have two titles in print, published over the last three years. Friends of the ABPBC are organizations that are not yet eligible for membership or who have head offices located outside of BC. Members and friends pay annual membership fees in exchange for a range of benefits, including ABPBC correspondence, professional development seminars, and promotions.

The series comprises several annual files consolidating all membership renewal forms, files dedicated to individual members or friends of the ABPBC, and annual membership directions. Files were maintained alphabetically, in keeping with their original order. An individual member's file typically contains the organization's application for membership, which features information about the organization's incorporation date, number of books published, and sales figures for the last fiscal year; accompanying correspondence; and administrative notes.

Source of title proper: Title based on the contents of the series.

General note: Surveys of ABPBC members and friends containing personal information have been removed from the fonds to protect personal privacy.

Meetings

Dates of creation: 1999-2011

Physical description: 33 cm of textual records

Scope and content: The series consists of records related to the ABPBC's annual general meetings and executive meetings. At annual general meetings, the ABPBC and its members listened to annual reports from the organization's president, executive director, and various committees, voted to approve the meetings of the preceding year's minutes, reviewed annual financial statements, elected officers for the coming year, and discussed the projects and proposed budget for the coming year. Executive meetings, held four or five times each year, were attended by members of the ABPBC executive. During these meetings, the executive approved previous meeting minutes, listened to reports from the president, executive director, treasurer, and various committees, and discussed other business. An additional file in the series contains records related to the ABPBC's strategic plan for 2000-2005, which was partly developed with DeGros Marsh Consulting.

The series was originally arranged in two discrete physical sections: a set of chronologically arranged annual general meeting records and a set of chronologically arranged executive meeting records. This order has been maintained physically and intellectually. Record types include reports, financial statements and spreadsheets, meeting agendas and minutes, lists of attendees, retail sales reports, resolutions, membership fee schedules, lists of motions, copies of the ABPBC's constitution, funding application forms, correspondence with committees, and ABPBC income statements. Finally, the series contains drafts of the ABPBC's strategic plan for 2000-2005, as well as related correspondence.

Source of title proper: Title based on the contents of the series.

Dates of creation: 1995-2015

Physical description: 18 cm of textual records

Scope and content: The series consists of publications and newsletters created by the ABPBC to support several of its projects and its members. Publications in the series range in date from 1995-2015 and are related to the following projects: BC Ferries promotions, the Environmentally Sound Paper Initiative, BC Books for BC Schools, Canadian Aboriginal Books for Schools, BC Book and Magazine Week, the Best of BC Books Online initiative, and a literary arts center for Vancouver. Newsletters, entitled "E/Fax-Totums," were created from 2007-2014 on a weekly basis by the ABPBC and sent to the organization's members electronically. Newsletters typically contain ABPBC announcements about projects, administrative matters, upcoming events in the city that might be of interest to publishers, and other business- and community-related news. Newsletters also feature lists of each week's bestselling BC adult and children's books.

The series was originally arranged in two discrete physical sections: a set of chronologically arranged publications and a set of chronologically arranged files containing newsletters. This order has been maintained physically and intellectually. Record types include posters, flyers, information pamphlets about various projects, booklets, bookmarks, catalogues, and printed copies of newsletters.

Source of title proper: Title based on the contents of the series.

Professional development

Dates of creation: 2009-2012

Physical description: 1 cm of textual records

Scope and content: The series consists of records related to the ABPBC's professional development activities, which are organized by the ABPBC on behalf of its members. Professional development activities represented in the series took place at the ABPBC's annual retreat, which was for active members only. Professional development activities at retreats often took the form of panel discussions or lectures and focused on the electronic bookselling marketplace, Canadian copyright legislation, relationships between BC publishers and public libraries, the BC Arts Council, and the Canadian publishing industry.

Files in the series are arranged chronologically, in keeping with their original physical order. Record types include information sheets about retreat guest speakers which include speakers' biographical information and lecture summaries, printed copies of speakers' slides, registration forms, information packets for members about retreat accommodations, activity agendas, blank travel claim and evaluation forms, and original booking agreements between the ABPBC and accommodation providers.

Source of title proper: Title based on the contents of the series.

Section 3: File lists

Series: Funding

Location (Box-File)	File title	Dates
62-01	BCAC funding 2005/2006	2005-2008
62-02	BPIDP BC Books for BC Schools 2007	2007-2008
62-03	BPIDP Collective Marketing and Promotion, 2006/07	2005-2007
62-04	BPIDP—Collective Marketing 2007/08	2005-2008
62-05	BPIDP Pro D 2006/07	2006-2007
62-06	BPIDP: Professional Development 2007/08	2007-2008
62-07	BPIDP 2007-2008 Aboriginal catalogue	2007-2008
62-08	Cultural Services Branch Application 2007	2006
62-09	Canada Council 2006	2006
62-10	Canada Council Poetry in Transit 2006	2006
62-11	Canada Council Multi-Year 2007-2009—BC Books for BC Schools	2006-2008
62-12	Canada Council Year 2007—Poetry in Transit	2006-2007
62-13	Canada Council Multi-Year 2007—Professional Development	2006-2007
62-14	Canada Council Multi-Year 2007-2009—Promotion and Marketing	2006-2008
62-15	Canada Council 2008 Poetry in Transit, Professional Development, Canadian Aboriginal Books for Schools	2007-2009
62-16	Canada Council 2010—Multi-Yr 2011-2012	2010
62-17	LBPP Fundraising	2002-2003
62-18	2010 Arts Funding—2003-2005 [Information about Olympic Arts Fund]	2003-2004

Series: Subject files

Location (Box-File)	File title	Dates
63-01	Access Copyright	2003-2005
63-02	Access Copyright 2007	2007-2008
63-03	ACP Matters	2005-2010
63-04	Alliance for Arts + Culture	2010-2012
63-05	Amazon.ca [Copy of Roy MacSkimming lecture on Amazon]	n.d.
63-06	Arts & Culture 2008	2007-2008
63-07	BC Archives 2004	2004
63-08	BC Archives Permission Forms	2003
63-09	BC Book Publishing Lorimer 2003[Copies of paper from Rowland Lorimer]	2003
63-10	BC Coalition for School Libraries	2003-2005
63-11	BC Coalition for School Libraries	2007-2008
63-12	Bill C-10—208	2008
63-13	Canada Council Review of Block Funding 2011	2011
63-14	CataList 2012	2012
63-15	City of Vancouver Creative City Task Force, Etc. 2005	2005
63-16	City of Vancouver 2008	2007
63-17	Policy Committee 2006-7	2006-2007
63-18	Policy Committee 2008	2007-2008
63-19	Policy 2009 + Arts Cuts	2009
63-20	Policy: Correspondence 2010	2009-2010
63-21	Policy: Lobbying 2011	2011
63-22	Pricing Crisis 2007	2007
63-23	Press Releases [ACP and ABPBC]	1995, 2008
63-24	Provincial Arts Cuts 09/10	2009-2010
63-25	Stats 2008 [Related to book publishing industry]	2008
63-26	PST 2012 [British Columbia	2012
63-27	[ABPBC] Submission to Expert Panel on Business Taxation 2012	2012

Series: Projects

Location (Box-File)	File Title	Dates
63-28	ARTSNOW UNESCO Project 2007	2007
63-29	BC Books for BC Schools 2004	2004
63-30	BC Books for BC Schools 2006	2006

Location (Box-File)	File Title	Dates
63-31	BC Books for BC Schools 2007	2007
64-01	BC Digital Reference Library 2008	2008
64-02	BC Ferries 1998-2006 [fldr 1 of 3]	2000-2006
64-03	BC Ferries 1998-2006 [fldr 2 of 3]	1998-2005
64-04	BC Ferries 1998-2006 [fldr 3 of 3]	1998-2004
64-05	BC Ferries 2004	2004
64-06	BC Ferries 2007	2006-2007
64-07	BC Ferries 2008/09	2009-2010
64-08	BC Ferries 2012	2011
64-09	Children's Book Committee—ACP	2003-2004
64-10	Customer Relations Committee 2007 [Chapters/Indigo and ABPBC roundtable]	2007
64-11	Displays 2008	2007-2008
64-12	Bestseller List 2012	2012
64-13	Displays 2009	2008-2009
64-14	Environmentally Sound Paper 2004	2004-2006
65-01	[Environmentally Sound Paper Initiative, 2004-2007 : fldr 1 of 2]	2004-2007
65-02	[Environmentally Sound Paper Initiative, 2004-2007 : fldr 2 of 2]	2004-2007
65-03	Poetry in Transit 2004	2004
65-04	Poetry in Transit 2005	2005-2006
65-05	Poetry in Transit 2006	2005-2006
65-06	Poetry in Transit 2007	2007
65-07	Poetry in Transit 2008	2008
65-08	Poetry in Transit 2009	2009
65-09	Poetry in Transit 2010	2010
65-10	Poetry in Transit 2011	2011

Series: Awards

Location (Box-File)	File Title	Dates
65-11	Gray Campbell Award 2004/2005	2004-2005

Location (Box-File)	File Title	Dates
65-12	Gray Campbell Award 2006	2006
65-13	Gray Campbell/Jim Douglas Awards 2007	2006-2007
65-14	Awards Dinner 2008	2008
65-15	Gray Campbell/Jim Douglas 2009	2009
65-16	2011 Gray Campbell Award	2011
65-17	Jim Douglas Award 2012	2012

Series: Membership files

Location (Box-File)	File Title	Dates
65-18	[Membership and services directories]	2011-2013, 2015
65-19	Arts & Writing Co-op, University of Victoria	2001
65-20	Bluefield Books	2001-2002
65-21	Book Tailor	2011
65-22	Brighter Books Publishing House	2011
65-23	CanLit for Kids Books Ltd.	2008
65-24	Engage Books	2008
65-25	Ekstasis Editions	1991, 2007
65-26	Hancock House Publishers	2010
65-27	Hartley & Marks	1995-1996
65-28	Hedgerow Press	2006, 2011
65-29	House of Parlance Media Inc.	2008
65-30	KLMK Enterprises Publishing	2007-2009
65-31	Intermedia Press	1991, 2002
65-32	Libros Libertad Publishing Ltd.	2009
65-33	Longhouse Publishing	2010
65-34	Madrona Books & Publishing	2008
65-35	The Non-Profit Organization to Destroy the World Arts & Publishing Society	2010-2011
65-36	Northstone Publishing Inc.	1996, 1999
65-37	Passfield Press	2011
65-38	Prime One Media Inc.	2011
66-01	Raincoast Books	1993-2008
66-02	SAD Productions	2003
66-03	SFU—Writing and Publishing	1997
66-04	Westcan Printing Group	2001

Location (Box-File)	File Title	Dates
66-05	Twisted Edge Publishing Inc.	2002
66-06	Westcoast Words	2003
66-07	Wood Lake Books Inc.	1982-1993
66-08	2010 Membership Renewals	2009-2010
66-09	2011 Membership Renewals	2010-2011
66-10	2012 Membership Renewals	2011-2012

Series: Meetings

Location (Box-File)	File Title	Dates
66-11	1999 AGM [Annual General Meeting]	1999
66-12	2000 AGM [Annual General Meeting]	2000
66-13	2001 AGM [Annual General Meeting]	2001
66-14	2002 AGM [Annual General Meeting]	2002
66-15	2003 AGM [Annual General Meeting]	2003
66-16	2004 AGM [Annual General Meeting]	2004
66-17	2005 AGM [Annual General Meeting]	2005
66-18	2006 Annual General Meeting	2006
67-01	Strategic Planning [2000-2002]	2000-2002
67-02	Executive Meetings, 2001 [fldr 1 of 2]	2001
67-03	Executive Meetings, 2001 [fldr 2 of 2]	2001
67-04	Executive Meeting—January 24 th , 2002	2002
67-05	Executive Meeting—Friday March 1, 2002	2002
67-06	Executive Meeting—May 31 st , 2002	2002
67-07	Executive Meeting—September 4, 2002	2002
67-08	Executive Meeting—November 6 th , 2002	2002
67-09	Executive Meeting—January 31 st , 2003	2003

Location (Box-File)	File Title	Dates
67-10	Executive Meeting—April 8, 2003	2003
67-11	Executive Meeting—September 4, 2003	2003
67-12	Executive Meeting—October 29, 2003	2003
67-13	Executive Meeting—January 10, 2004	2004
67-14	Executive Meeting—March 4, 2004	2004
67-15	Executive Meeting—June 2, 2004	2004
67-16	Executive Meeting—August 25, 2004	2004
67-17	Executive Meeting—November 3, 2004	2004
68-01	Executive Meeting—February 22, 2005	2005
68-02	Executive Meeting—May 17, 2005	2005
68-03	Executive Meeting—September 15, 2005	2005
68-04	Executive Meeting, November 16, 2005	2005
68-05	Emergency Meeting of the Executive & Policy Committee—October 1, 2009	2009
68-06	Executive Meetings 2009 [fldr 1 of 2]	2009
68-07	Executive Meetings 2009 [fldr 2 of 2]	2009
68-08	Executive Meeting—January 21, 2010	2010
68-09	Executive Meeting—May 11, 2010	2010
68-10	Executive Meeting: August 24, 2010	2010
68-11	Executive Meeting—October 20, 2010	2010
68-12	Executive Meeting—February 4, 2011	2011
68-13	Executive Meeting—June 1, 2011	2011
68-14	Executive Meeting—July 13, 2011	2011

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68-15	Executive Meeting— September 26, 2011	2011

Series: Publications and newsletters

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68-16	[BC Book and Magazine Week Media Information Kit, 2005]	2005
68-17	[Book Passage with BC Books on BC Ferries pamphlets]	[ca. 2003-2014]
68-18	[Project pamphlets : Best of BC Books Online, Vancouver Literary Arts Centre, Environmentally Sound Paper Initiative]	[ca. 2002-2008]
68-19	[BC Books for BC Schools catalogues : fldr 1 of 2]	[ca. 2002-2012]
68-20	[BC Books for BC Schools catalogues : fldr 2 of 2]	2012-2016
68-21	[Canadian Aboriginal Books for Schools catalogues]	1995, 2007-2016
69-1	Faxtotums 2007	2007
69-2	Faxtotums 2008	2008
69-3	Faxtotums 2009	2009
69-4	Faxtotums 2010	2010
69-5	Faxtotums 2011	2011
69-6	Faxtotums 2012	2012
69-7	Faxtotums 2013 [fldr 1 of 2]	2013
70-1	Faxtotums 2013 [fldr 2 of 2]	2013
70-2	Faxt [Faxtotums] 2014	2014
RBSC-ARC-1019-OS-01	[Vancouver 125 legacy books poster]	[ca. 2011]

Series: Professional development

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70-3	Retreat 2009	2008-2009
70-4	Retreat 2011	2011
70-5	Retreat 2012	2012

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