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Guide to the

Raphael Patai papers

1903-2011 [bulk 1937-1995]

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Summary

Creator: Patai, Raphael, 1910-1996

Title: Raphael Patai papers

Date: 1903-2011 [bulk 1937-1995]

Size: 50.02 linear feet (114 boxes, 6 volumes, 4 oversized folders); 1.02 mb (34 computer files)

Source: Donated by Raphael Patai, 1987, 1991 and by his estate, 1998-1999, 2001, 2014, and 2015.

Abstract: Raphael Patai (1910-1996) was a cultural anthropologist specializing in Jewish and Arab cultures. His papers, 1903-2011, document his career through extensive correspondence with colleagues, drafts and manuscripts of his many publications, lectures, research notes, photographs, scrapbooks, and sound and video recordings. The collection includes files created by his daughter, Daphne Patai, after his death, and correspondence and writings of his father, Jozsef Patai.

Conditions Governing Access:

Correspondence between Raphael Patai and his daughters, Daphne Patai and Jennifer Patai Schneider, is restricted during their lifetimes. Diaries (Series VII) and interviews that Daphne Patai conducted with her father between 1988 and 1996 (located in Series VI) are closed until 2030, except by written permission from Daphne Patai. Original sound and video recordings are unavailable until digitized.

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Creator History

Raphael Patai was born in Budapest, Hungary on November 22, 1910, the son of Hungarian Jews, Edith (Ehrenfeld) Patai and Jozsef (or Joseph) Patai (1882-1953). Until 1935, Patai used his birth name Ervin George Patai. His father was a prominent scholar, editor and Zionist who published a biography of Theodor Herzl and who was the editor from 1910 to 1940 of a monthly journal of Jewish affairs entitled *Mult es Jovo* (Past and Future). Patai's father was also a founder of the Zionist Organization in Hungary and was instrumental in procuring the support for the settlement of Jews in Palestine where he also settled in 1939.

Raphael was educated in rabbinical seminaries and at the universities of Budapest and Breslau. In 1933, after receiving a doctorate in Semitic languages and Oriental history from the University of Budapest, he settled in Palestine where he continued his studies at the Hebrew University from which he received (in 1936) a doctorate in Palestinology. Afterwards, he returned briefly to Budapest where he was ordained at the Rabbinical Seminary.

In Palestine, Dr. Patai held several teaching posts at Hebrew University and at Haifa Technion. In 1944, he founded the Palestine Institute of Folklore and Ethnology, serving until 1948 as its director of research and editor of its quarterly journal *Edoth*, which he also founded.

In 1947, with the aid of a fellowship from the Viking Fund for Anthropological Research, Patai studied the Jews of Mexico. Upon the completion of his research, Patai settled in the United States where he became a naturalized American citizen in 1952.

During his academic career, Dr. Patai held numerous visiting professorships at American universities including Columbia University, the University of Pennsylvania, Princeton University, New York University and Ohio State University. He held professorships of Anthropology at Dropsie College (1948-1957) and at Fairleigh Dickinson from 1966 until his retirement. He also directed (1955-1956) a research project on Syria, Lebanon, and Jordan for the Human Relations Area Files, Inc. (New Haven, Connecticut) and prepared a special report on social conditions in the Middle East for the United Nations in 1952 .

Patai also served as Director of Research for the Herzl Institute and editor of the Herzl Press, and as an advisory editor of Encyclopedia Americana. He was President of the American Folklore Society and a fellow of the American Anthropological Association.

Dr. Patai's principal contributions to scholarship were in the fields of cultural anthropology of the ancient Hebrews and Jews and of the modern Middle East. He published hundreds of scholarly articles and authored or edited some thirty-five books including *The Arab Mind* (1973), *Gates to the Old City* (1980), *The Hebrew Goddess* (1967), *The Jewish Mind* (1976), *The Messiah Texts* (1979), and *The Vanished Worlds of Jewry* (1980). With Robert Graves he co-authored *Hebrew Myths* (1964).

By his first marriage to Naomi Tolkowsky, Dr. Patai had two daughters, Jennifer (Dr. Jennifer Patai-Schneider, born 1940), and Daphne (Dr. Daphne Patai, born 1942). Patai was married three more times, to Irene Patai, Ann Uhl Drevet, and Frances Sheldon.

Raphael Patai died in 1996 in Tucson, Arizona.

Scope and Content Note

The Raphael Patai papers date from 1903 to 2011. The collection documents Patai's career as a scholar, editor, professor and author on the subjects of Jewish culture and history and the modern Middle East. Patai's publications and speaking engagements are extensively documented through

manuscript drafts, research notes, and transcripts and recordings of lectures and interviews. Patai's personal and professional activities are further documented through photographs, correspondence, scrapbooks, and diaries. The collection contains some papers of Patai's family members, including his parents Edith and Jozsef Patai and sister Eva Patai. Files of Raphael Patai's daughter, Daphne Patai, document her stewardship of her father's estate and posthumous publications of his work. The collection also contains artwork created and collected by Patai, comprising sketches, paintings, and prints. Materials are in English, German, Hebrew and Hungarian.

Key Terms

Titles

'Edot

Occupations

Anthropologists

Authors

College teachers

Subjects

Ethnology -- Israel

Ethnology -- Middle East

Jews -- Social life and customs

Jews, American

Jews, Hungarian

Judaism

Geographic Names

Middle East

Genre/Physical Characteristic

Photographs

Scrapbooks

Sound recordings

Names

Goldmann, Nahum, 1895-1982

Patai, Jo_zsef, 1882-1953

Patai, Raphael, 1910-1996

Dropsie College for Hebrew and Cognate Learning

Fairleigh Dickinson University

Palestine Institute of Folklore and Ethnology

Container List

Series I. Correspondence 1930s-2008

I.A. General Correspondence 1937-1999

General correspondence consists of letters to Patai and copies of his replies arranged chronologically. The bulk of the correspondence is with university professors, anthropologists, ethnologists, sociologists, editors of scholarly journals, publishers, academic and scientific associations, and Jewish and Zionist organizations. English is the dominant language with some correspondence in Hebrew, Hungarian, French, and German.

There is some correspondence of Daphne Patai as the executrix of her father's estate. The files also contain some near-print and printed material.

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b. 1 f. 7-10	1948-1949
b. 2 f. 1-4	1949
b. 2 f. 5-9	1950
b. 3 f. 1	1950
b. 3 f. 2-5	1951
b. 3 f. 6-8	1952
b. 4 f. 1	1952
b. 4 f. 2-6	1953
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b. 4 f. 9	1955 Jan-May
b. 5 f. 1	1955 Jul-Dec
b. 5 f. 2-3	1956
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b. 6 f. 2-4	1960
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b. 8 f. 1	1966
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b. 13 f. 1-4	1987
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b. 14 f. 6-7	Jan-Sep
b. 15 f. 1-2	Oct-Dec
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b. 16 f. 1-5	1994
b. 16 f. 6-8	1995
b. 17 f. 1	1996
b. 17 f. 1	Draft letters to editors
b. 17 f. 2	Undated
b. 94 f. 1	Miscellaneous letters 1968-1996 Includes a letter from Paolo Ronai, 1988.

Series I. Correspondence (cont.)

I.B. Subject Correspondence 1930s-2008

Subject correspondence files contain correspondence and related documents arranged alphabetically by topic or correspondent. Files also contain articles, book proposals, near-print and printed material, notes, and photographs. Some correspondence of Daphne Patai, dating after her father's death, is included.

The file labeled "Graves-Patai" contains letters between Beryl Graves, William Graves and Raphael Patai concerning the publication of *Hebrew Myths* and the Graves-Patai letters. There are also several letters from David Street, written from Baghdad, Iraq in 1946 and 1947, about the lives of the Jewish population there. These letters appear to have provided source material for Patai's book *The Jewish Race*. The letters are accompanied by approximately fifty black and white snapshot photographs of resident Jews and the environment in and around Baghdad.

Files on several of Patai's publications can be found here, including *Apprentice in Budapest*, *Hebrew Myths*, *Jadid Al Islam: The Jewish "New Muslims" of Meshhed*, *The Jewish Mind*, *Journeyman in Jerusalem*, and *The Middle Gate*. Patai's Princeton University files contains correspondence on *The Jewish Alchemists* and *Jewish Seafaring in Ancient Times*.

- b. 17 f. 3 Acculturation 1954
- b. 17 f. 4 American Anthropological Association 1953-1956, 1970-1973
- b. 17 f. 5-6 American Association for the Advancement Jewish Social Research 1950-1951, 1983
- b. 17 f. 7 American Association for Jewish Education 1954
- b. 17 f. 8 American Association of University Professors 1951-1956
- b. 17 f. 9 American Cultural Influence on Israel 1962
- b. 17 f. 9 American Friends of the Alliance Israelite Universelle, Inc 1954-1955
- b. 17 f. 9 American Friends of Tel Aviv University 1988
- b. 17 f. 9 American Jewish Congress 1954
- b. 17 f. 10 Americanization 1972
- b. 17 f. 11 Apprentice in Budapest 1988
- Arab Folktales
- b. 17 f. 12 1960, 1988-1996
- b. 17 f. 13 1977-1998
- Autobiography
- b. 17 f. 14 1986-1987
- b. 94 f. 2-3 1986, 1989
- b. 18 f. 1-2 Avon Books 1977-1986
- b. 18 f. 3 Awad, Farid 1955
- b. 18 f. 4 Baltimore Hebrew College 1956-1957
- b. 18 f. 5 Ben-Shemesh, Aaron 1955
- Biblical Encyclopedia
- b. 18 f. 6 1959-1960
- b. 18 f. 7 1961-1971
- b. 18 f. 8 Black Jews of Harlem proposal 1962
- b. 18 f. 9 Boutrous, Alexis 1955-1956
- b. 18 f. 10 B'nai B'rith 1954-1956
- b. 18 f. 11 Board of Education 1953-1954
- b. 18 f. 11 Brandeis University 1954-1955
- b. 18 f. 11 Bravmann, Heir 1955-1956, 1974

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- b. 18 f. 12 Brauer Ms 1945-1947
- b. 18 f. 13 Brooklyn College 1971-1972
- b. 18 f. 14 Bureau des Documentations 1955
- b. 18 f. 14 Calgary Hebrew School 1955-1956
- b. 18 f. 15 Charles, Henri 1955-1957
- Charles Scribner's Sons
- b. 18 f. 16 1969-1975
- b. 19 f. 1 1976-1986
- b. 19 f. 2 Chicago Jewish Forum 1954-1955
- b. 19 f. 3 Columbia University 1954-1955
- b. 19 f. 4 Conference on Jewish Relations, Inc 1954-1955
- b. 19 f. 5 Conference. General Info 1985-1989
- Council for the International World Religions
- b. 19 f. 6 1986-1987
- b. 19 f. 7 1988
- b. 19 f. 8 1989
- b. 19 f. 9 1989-1990
- b. 19 f. 10 Davis, Kingsley 1955-1956
- b. 19 f. 10 Diaspora 1950-1970
- b. 19 f. 10 Doubleday Co 1958
- Dropsie College
- b. 20 f. 1 1948-1950
- b. 20 f. 2 1950-1951
- b. 20 f. 3 1952-1953
- b. 20 f. 4 1953
- b. 20 f. 5 1954-1955
- b. 20 f. 6 1956
- b. 20 f. 7 1957
- b. 20 f. 8-9 Lists, notes 1947-1948
- b. 20 f. 10 Ehrlich, Robert W 1955-1956
- b. 20 f. 11 Einstein, Albert 1950-1951
- Encyclopedia Americana
- b. 21 f. 1 1958-1959
- b. 21 f. 2 1960-1962
- b. 21 f. 3 1963
- b. 21 f. 4 1964-1966
- b. 21 f. 5 1967-1968
- b. 21 f. 6 1969-1970
- b. 21 f. 7 1971-1977
- b. 21 f. 8 1978-1983
- b. 21 f. 9 Jewish History. Religion & Society

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- b. 22 f. 1 Encyclopaedia Judaica 1961-1968
- b. 22 f. 2 Encyclopedai of Religion 1982-1984
- b. 22 f. 3 Ettinghausen, Richard 1954-1955
Fairleigh Dickenson University
- b. 22 f. 4 1968-1971
- b. 22 f. 5-8 1960s-1970s
- b. 23 f. 1-3 Festschrift 1970s-1980s
- b. 23 f. 4 Field, Henry 1955-1957
- b. 23 f. 4 Ford, Clellan S 1954-1956
- b. 23 f. 5 Ford Foundation 1955-1959
- b. 23 f. 6-7 Format for a Psychological Warfare Country Plan 1954-1956
- b. 23 f. 8 Frankenstein, Carl 1953
- b. 23 f. 8 Franklin Publications 1955-1956
- b. 23 f. 8 Frayha 1955
- b. 23 f. 9 Gates to the New City 1978
- b. 23 f. 10 Gay, Karl 1961
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- b. 23 f. 11 1958-1959
- b. 23 f. 12 1960-1970
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- b. 24 f. 1 1965, 1979-1980
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- b. 24 f. 3 Graham, Milton D 1955-1957
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- b. 24 f. 4 1961-1962
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- b. 24 f. 8 Graves-Patai 1982-1988
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- b. 24 f. 9 Greenwood Publishing Co 1969-1970
- b. 24 f. 10 Gulick, John 1955-1956
- b. 25 f. 1 Gutwirth, Jacques 1988-1989
- b. 25 f. 2 Gyorgy, Gado 1993-1994
- b. 25 f. 3 Haboucha and Peretz 1995-1996
- b. 25 f. 4 Hadassah 1954-1955
- b. 25 f. 4 Hamlyn Group 1969-1970
- b. 25 f. 4 Hazard, Harry W 1956
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- b. 25 f. 5 1964-1966
- b. 25 f. 6 1967
- b. 25 f. 7 Hebrew Myths 1963-1966
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- b. 25 f. 8 1960-1961
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- b. 25 f. 10 1963
- b. 25 f. 11 1964-1967
- b. 26 f. 1 Hebrew Mythology requests 1940s-1980s
- b. 26 f. 2 Hebrew University 1934-1946
- b. 26 f. 3 Herz Press 1957, 1964
- b. 26 f. 4 Highfill, Judy 1983
- b. 26 f. 5 Histadruth Ivrit of America 1953-1956
- b. 26 f. 6 Hitt, Philip K 1952-1965
- b. 26 f. 7 Hockett, Dennis G 1981-1982
- Human Relations Area File, Inc
- b. 26 f. 8 1954-1955
- b. 26 f. 9-10 1956-1957
- b. 26 f. 11 Hurewitz, J.C 1954-1956
- b. 26 f. 13 Impact of Israel on American Jewry 1956-1958
- b. 26 f. 14 Institute of Jerusalem 1939
- International Conference of Unity of the Sciences (ICUS)
- b. 26 f. 1 1971, 1985
- b. 27 f. 1 1986
- b. 27 f. 2-3 1987
- b. 27 f. 4-5 Notes and related material 1988-1989
- b. 27 f. 6-7 International Middle East Alliance 1987
- b. 27 f. 8 Israel Research Project 1950-1951
- b. 27 f. 9 Issawi 1955-1957
- b. 27 f. 10 Jadid Al-Islam: The Jewish "New Muslims" of Meshhed 1985-1997
- b. 28 f. 1 Jewish Agency. American Section, Inc 1968-1969
- Jewish Alchemists
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- b. 28 f. 2 1979-1993
- b. 28 f. 3 1991
- b. 28 f. 4 1992
- b. 28 f. 5 1993-1994
- b. 28 f. 6 Jewish Humor 1984-1986
- b. 28 f. 7 Jewish Mind 1995-1996
- Jewish Publication Society of America
- b. 28 f. 8 1947-1952
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- b. 94 f. 4 Jewish Race Project 1976-1998
- Jews of Hungary
- b. 28 f. 10 1994-1995

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- b. 28 f. 11 1996-1997
- b. 28 f. 12 Journeyman in Jerusalem 1990
- b. 28 f. 13 Judaism 1990
- b. 29 f. 1 Katz, Michael Jay 1989
Klausner, Bertha (International Literary Agency, Inc.)
- b. 29 f. 2 1964-1973
- b. 29 f. 3 1973-1977
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- b. 29 f. 4-5 1990-1993
- b. 29 f. 6 1994-1995
- b. 94 f. 5-6 1995-1996, 2000, 2008
- b. 29 f. 7 Kohen, Elli 1990
- b. 29 f. 8 Landau, Jacob 1955-1960, 1971
- b. 29 f. 9 Lecture at Central Baptist Theological Seminary
- b. 29 f. 10 Lectures in Michigan 1954-1957
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- b. 29 f. 11 1940s, 1950-1954
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- b. 30 f. 1 1955-1959
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- b. 30 f. 6 1966-1968
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- b. 30 f. 10-11 Lectures on the Middle East 1954-1958
- b. 30 f. 12 Letters to the Editors of the NY Times 1950s-1970s
- b. 31 f. 1 Library of Congress 1955-1957
- b. 31 f. 1 Link, Paul 1953-1955
- b. 31 f. 1 Lucius N. Littauer Foundation 1953-1955, 1973
- b. 31 f. 2 Macarie, Peter 1953-1955
- b. 31 f. 2 McGraw-Hill Book Co., Inc 1955
- b. 31 f. 2 Malamet, Colin 1954-1960
- b. 31 f. 3 Makdisi, Anis Khur 1956
- b. 31 f. 4 Man and Temple in Ancient Jewish Myth and Ritual 1943, 1966-1967
- b. 31 f. 5 Massachusetts Institute of Technology 1956
- b. 31 f. 6-7 Meshhed 1994
- b. 31 f. 8 Messing, Simon D 1955-1956
- b. 31 f. 9-10 Mexico (Venta Prieta) 1954-1966

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- b. 31 f. 11 Middle East Institute
- b. 31 f. 12 Middle East Research Associates 1957
- b. 31 f. 13 Middle Eastern Affairs (magazine) 1953-1958
- b. 31 f. 14 Middle Gate 1993
- b. 31 f. 15 Morgan State College 1954-1957
- b. 31 f. 16 Nachum, Mathias 1956
- b. 31 f. 16 National Academy of Sciences 1973-1976
- b. 32 f. 1 National Conference of Christians & Jews, Inc 1954
- b. 32 f. 1 Navy, Dept. of 1952
- b. 32 f. 2 Neuman (Zausmer) 1955-1957
- b. 32 f. 1 Neubart, Leo 1955-1956
- b. 32 f. 1 News World Communications 1985-1986
- b. 32 f. 3 Ohio State University 1954-1957
- b. 32 f. 4 Paragon House Publishers 1986-1989
- b. 32 f. 5 Perlmann, Moshe 1955-1956
- b. 32 f. 6-7 Permissions
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- b. 32 f. 9 Prentice Hall 1968-1972
- Princeton University
- b. 32 f. 10 1952-1955
- b. 32 f. 11 1956
- b. 32 f. 12 1957
- b. 33 f. 1 1958-1961
- b. 33 f. 2 Jewish Alchemists 1995
- b. 33 f. 3-4 Jewish Seafaring in Ancient Times 1995-1997
- Publishers (general)
- b. 33 f. 5 1960s-1975, 1979-1989
- b. 33 f. 6 1976-1977
- b. 33 f. 7 1978-1980
- b. 33 f. 8 1980-1984
- b. 33 f. 9 1985
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- b. 34 f. 1 1987
- b. 34 f. 2 1988-1989
- b. 34 f. 3 1989-1992
- b. 34 f. 4 Qubain, Fahim I 1955-1956
- b. 34 f. 5 Religion 1972
- b. 34 f. 5 Retting, Salomon 1958
- b. 34 f. 5 Royal Anthropological Institute 1953-1954
- b. 34 f. 6 Samuel, Viscount Edwin 1967-1971
- b. 34 f. 6 Scheiber, Alexander 1960, 1976

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- b. 34 f. 6 Scheibner, Ralph 1955
- b. 34 f. 6 Schorger, William 1956
- b. 34 f. 6 Schulman, Ailon 1954-1957
- Schwarz, Howard
- b. 34 f. 7 1975-1977
- b. 34 f. 8 1977
- b. 34 f. 9 1977-1979
- b. 34 f. 10 1978
- b. 35 f. 1 Semaan, Khalil 1955
- b. 35 f. 2 Sephardim 1992
- b. 35 f. 3 Sex and Family in the Bible 1958-1960
- b. 35 f. 4 Shiloah, Amnon 1987-1990
- b. 35 f. 4 Shimoni, Yakov 1955
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- b. 35 f. 5 1950-1958
- b. 35 f. 6 1966-1967
- b. 35 f. 7 Spiro, Melford 1955-1956
- Street, David
- b. 35 f. 8-9 1946
- b. 35 f. 10-11 Photographs
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- b. 35 f. 13 Studies in Biblical & Jewish Folklore 1954-1958
- b. 35 f. 14 Succar, Toufic 1955-1956
- b. 35 f. 15 Summer Trip 1965
- b. 35 f. 16 Teubal 1976
- b. 35 f. 16 Trachtenberg, Joshua 1954
- b. 35 f. 16 Tuesday Publications 1972
- b. 35 f. 16 United Jewish Appeal 1955
- b. 35 f. 16 UNESCO 1955
- b. 35 f. 16 University of Chicago
- University of Utah Press 1953-1958
- b. 35 f. 17 1987-1990
- b. 35 f. 18 1991
- b. 36 f. 1 1992-1993
- b. 36 f. 2 Vanished World of Soviet Jewry 1979-1980
- Wayne State University
- b. 36 f. 3 1986-1988
- b. 36 f. 4 1989
- b. 36 f. 5 1990
- b. 36 f. 6 1991
- b. 36 f. 7-8 1992

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- b. 37 f. 1-3 1993
- b. 37 f. 4 1994-1995
- b. 37 f. 5 Jewish Folklore & Anthropology Series (JFAS). Abramowitz-Hare 1995
- b. 37 f. 6 JFLAS. Kohen-Szabo 1995
- b. 37 f. 7 Weinryb, Bernard D 1955
- b. 37 f. 7 Wendell, Charles 1955
- Wenner-Gren Foundation
- b. 37 f. 8 1950-1953
- b. 37 f. 9 1954-1956
- b. 38 f. 1 Wessel, Bessie B 1954-1957
- b. 38 f. 2-3 Westernization 1962-1963
- b. 38 f. 4 Wilber, Donald 1956-1958
- b. 38 f. 5-7 Women Books (general) 1961-1964
- b. 38 f. 8-12 Women in Modern Afro-Asia 1960
- Women in the Modern Western World
- b. 39 f. 1-5 1962
- b. 39 f. 6 1965
- b. 39 f. 7 1966
- b. 39 f. 8 1967-1968
- b. 39 f. 9 Yavneh Publications 1971
- b. 39 f. 9 Yeshiva University 1954
- b. 39 f. 10 Zafrani, Haim 1987-1996

Series II. Writings 1920-2008

II.A. Articles, Essays, and Books 1930s-2008

This subseries contains drafts and manuscripts of Patai's monographs, articles, and essays. The files in this subseries also contain correspondence, notes, photographs, and printed matter related to the works. The subseries is arranged alphabetically by title or subject.

Articles concern Arab culture, Jewish culture, Diaspora, and Arab-Jewish conflict, among other topics. Articles include "Communal Charity Among the Oriental Jews," "Jewish Heritage in America: The European Sephardi Legacy," and "Problem of Islam. Jews in the House of Islam."

Monographs are represented by drafts in various stages of development. Among the books included here are *Arab Folktales from Palestine and Israel*; *Between Hungary and Palestine*. *The Patai Family Letters, 1933-1938*; *Children of Noah: Jewish Seafaring in Ancient Times*; *Hebrew Myths: The Book of Genesis* (co-authored with Robert Graves); *The Jewish Alchemists*; *The Jews of Hungary*; and *Nahum Goldman. His Mission to the Gentiles*. This subseries contains one published volume: *Mivhar ha-sipur ha-Ereisyisre_eli* (1938), an anthology edited by Raphael Patai.

The subseries also holds manuscripts of a translation of the Quran, which Patai never published. The collaboration between Patai and Dr. Ben-Shemesh on the translation ended in dispute. Ben-Shemesh continued the work alone and later published the translation as *The Noble Quran*. The dispute centered on disagreements over translation and Patai's ownership claim to literary rights for his contributions. The files contain correspondence between Patai and Ben-Shemesh.

- b. 40 f. 1 America and the Middle East undated
- b. 40 f. 1 American Jew and the New Israel 1951
- b. 40 f. 1 Americanization 1972
- b. 40 f. 2-10 Apprentice in Budapest: Memories of a World that is No More circa 1988

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- b. 41 f. 1 Corrected or "Dady's copy"
- b. 41 f. 2 Old introductions and conclusions 1997
- b. 41 f. 3 Part II 1946-1947
- b. 41 f. 4 Partial/rejected mss
- b. 41 f. 5-6 Arab Mind undated
- b. 41 f. 7 Arab Personality: From Childhood Roots to Adult Traits undated
- b. 41 f. 8 Ba' Ale Shem [the] Occult Healers of East Europe undated
- b. 41 f. 9 Bedouins of Arabia 1961
sample draft
- Between Hungary and Palestine. The Patai Family Letters 1933-1938
- b. 41 f. 10 Holograph manuscript
- b. 42 f. 1-3 Holograph manuscript (con't)
- b. 42 f. 4 Bible in the Middle East Setting 1957
- b. 42 f. 5 Biblical Heroes as Alchemists undated
- b. 42 f. 6-7 Birth Customs, Marriage, Death
1st Hebrew draft
- b. 42 f. 8 Birth in Jewish Folk Custom 1990
- A Builder of Zion. The Life--Kesselman 1946
Patai, Raphael and Kesselman, Bath-Sheba
- b. 42 f. 9 pp. 1-147
- b. 43 f. 1-2 pp. 148- end
- b. 43 f. 3 Can Israel Bridge East-West Gulf? 1953
- b. 43 f. 4 Charm Book
- b. 43 f. 5 Changing Face of Israel undated
- b. 43 f. 6 Children of Abraham undated
- Children of Noah: Jewish Seafaring in Ancient Times 1996 ed
- b. 43 f. 7-8 Manuscript
- b. 43 f. 9 Notes
- b. 44 f. 1 Illustrations
- b. 44 f. 2 Chapter 14. Page proofs
- b. 44 f. 3 Additional material; drafts
- b. 44 f. 4 Chuetas of Majorca 1963
- b. 44 f. 4 Comments undated
- b. 44 f. 5 Communal Charity Among the Oriental Jews circa 1960
- b. 44 f. 6 Como y porque sobrevivio el Judaismo en Meshhed 1965
- b. 44 f. 7 Comparision of Cultures undated
- b. 44 f. 8 Comte de Saint-Germain circa 1990
- b. 44 f. 8 Concept of Jewish Culture in the Light of Anthropology undated
- b. 44 f. 9 Cousin rights in Middle Eastern Marriages undated
- b. 44 f. 10-11 Creation Myths undated
- b. 44 f. 12 Creation of the World undated

Series II. Writings (cont.)

II.A. Articles, Essays, and Books (cont.)

- b. 45 f. 1 Cultural Anthropology
- b. 45 f. 1 Cultural Challenge of Israel undated
- b. 45 f. 1 Cultural Losses of Hungarian Jewry circa 1977
- b. 45 f. 1 Cultural Monument for Hungarian Jewry 1961
- b. 45 f. 1 Cultural Production and Cultural Consumption undated
- b. 45 f. 2 Culture Areas of the Middle East undated
- b. 45 f. 3 Culture Change in the Muslim Town 1952
Summary
- b. 45 f. 3 Culture of New Palestine 1948
- b. 45 f. 4 Desert and the Sown undated
- b. 45 f. 5 Diaspora articles
- b. 45 f. 6 Dropsie College undated
- b. 45 f. 7 Dybbuk in Safed
Partial manuscript
- b. 45 f. 8 Earth in Jewish Folklore undated
- b. 45 f. 9 East and West in Israeli Art and Literature undated
- b. 45 f. 9 East and West: Two Cultures undated
- b. 45 f. 10 Education and Transculturation undated
- b. 45 f. 11 Encyclopedia Americana. Creation undated
- b. 45 f. 12 Encyclopedia Britannica. Jews. Pt. 1 & 2; other articles circa 1957
Encyclopedia of Jewish Folklore
- b. 95 f. 1-2 1995-1996
 - b. 110 Index, A-L
 - b. 111 Index, M-Z
- b. 45 f. 13 Encyclopedia of People and Tribes 1961
- b. 45 f. 14 Education and Transculturation undated
- b. 45 f. 15 Esh Mitzaref 1994
- b. 45 f. 15 Ethnocentrism in Education in the Muslim World 1988
Abstract
- b. 45 f. 16 Ethnohistory and Inner History. The Jewish Case 1976
- b. 46 f. 1 Falasha Communal Village System in Ethiopia undated
- b. 46 f. 2 The Fountainhead: The Ancient Near East and Western Civilization circa 1983 (2 annotated copies)
- b. 46 f. 3-4 Gates to the New City. Modern Hebrew Jewish Legends undated
- b. 46 f. 4 God All To Human 1995
- b. 46 f. 5-6 God is Dead undated
- b. 46 f. 7 Hebrew Education in the Marrano 1986
- b. 46 f. 8-11 Hebrew Goddess
- b. 47 f. 1-3 Hebrew Goddess
Material for 3rd ed.
- b. 47 f. 4 Hebrew Mythology
Synopsis

Series II. Writings (cont.)

II.A. Articles, Essays, and Books (cont.)

Hebrew Myths: The Book of Genesis 1964

By Robert Graves and Raphael Patai

- b. 47 f. 5-7 Holograph manuscript
- b. 47 f. 8 Uncorrected carbon
- b. 48 f. 1-3 Uncorrected carbon (cont'd)
- b. 48 f. 4 Holograph manuscript
- b. 48 f. 5 A Hebrew Version of the Book of Alum Salts undated
- b. 48 f. 6 Hungarian Holocaust. In Memoriam undated
- b. 48 f. 7 I Remember Sanyi 1995
- b. 48 f. 7 Impotence of God: From Adam to Auschwitz undated
- b. 48 f. 7 Indulco and Mumia
- b. 48 f. 7 Is Israel Becoming a Cultural Dependency of the United States? undated
- b. 48 f. 8-10 Isaac Goldziher and His Oriental Diary
- b. 49 f. 1-5 Isaac Goldziher and His Oriental Diary
- b. 49 f. 6 Islam, Arabs, Iranians 1979
- b. 49 f. 6 Israel 1949
- b. 49 f. 6 Israel 1950
- b. 49 f. 7-8 Israel between East and West 1953
- b. 50 f. 1-3 Israel between East and West 1953
- b. 50 f. 4-7 Jad id al-Islam: the Jewish "New Muslims" of Meshhed 1997
- Jewish Alchemists (Rough draft)
- b. 50 f. 8 Abufalah & Sha'ar Hashamay
- b. 50 f. 9 Alchemists. includes photocopies from Jerusalem
- b. 51 f. 1 Alchemists Vocabularies
- b. 51 f. 2-3 Alchemy
- b. 51 f. 4 Artephius
- b. 51 f. 5 Biblical figures as Alchemists
- b. 51 f. 6 Bibliography
- b. 51 f. 7 Book of Alum and Salts
- b. 51 f. 8 Calid ibn Yazid
- b. 51 f. 8 Caracosa
- b. 51 f. 9 Conjuration of Demons (Munich Saatsbiblcod, Heb. 214)
- b. 51 f. 10 Esh Mtzarel
- b. 51 f. 10 Falck
- b. 51 f. 11 Flamel 1983
- b. 51 f. 12 Gaster Ms British Library
- b. 51 f. 12 Gershin
- b. 51 f. 12 Hollandus
- b. 51 f. 12 Ibn Sina's Jewish Master
- b. 51 f. 12 Introduction
- b. 51 f. 13 Immigration in Israel 1952

Series II. Writings (cont.)
II.A. Articles, Essays, and Books (cont.)
Jewish Alchemists (cont.)

- b. 52 f. 1 Journeyman
- b. 52 f. 1 Judeo-Arabic
- b. 52 f. 2 Kabbalists/Vital
- b. 52 f. 3 Lecture Notes: Jewish Alchemists
- b. 52 f. 4 Luther on Jews and Alchemists
- b. 52 f. 4 Magic
- b. 52 f. 5 Sabbatai Zevi
- b. 52 f. 6 Manuscript from Marseilles
- b. 52 f. 7 Material for research (Copies)
- b. 52 f. 8 Me Zahav-Mussafia
- b. 52 f. 9-10 Miscellaneous notes
- b. 52 f. 11 Moses
- b. 52 f. 12 Notes on sources
- b. 52 f. 13 Notes. Unidentified
- b. 52 f. 14 Pseudo Maimonides
- b. 53 f. 1 Saint Germaine
- b. 53 f. 2 Table of Contents
- b. 53 f. 3-6 Tarrega
- b. 53 f. 7 Midrash Talmud
- b. 53 f. 7 Theatrum Chemicum
- b. 53 f. 7 Themo Judia
- b. 53 f. 8 Yemenite Judeo Arabic Ms
- b. 53 f. 9 Waite, A. E. notes
- b. 53 f. 10 Jewish Folklore and Jewish Tradition
- b. 53 f. 11 Jewish Folk Stories. Hebrew Demon Stories; A Christian View of Jewish Rituals
- b. 54 f. 1 Jewish Heritage in America: The European Sephardi Legacy 1992
- b. 54 f. 2 Jewish Humor. A Survey and a Program circa 1983
- b. 54 f. 2 Jewish Identity undated
- b. 54 f. 3 Jewish Mysticism undated
- b. 54 f. 4 Jewish Race undated
- b. 54 f. 5 Jewish "Refugee" in the Middle East circa 1953
- b. 54 f. 6 Jewish Seafaring in Ancient Times 1948
Earlier version
- b. 54 f. 7-9 Jews in A Gentile World undated
- b. 54 f. 10-11 Jews in the House of Islam
Several articles
Jews of Hungary
- b. 54 f. 12 pp. 1-100
- b. 55 f. 1-7 pp. 101-(end)
- b. 56 f. 1 Copies of photographs, illustrations
- b. 56 f. 2 Index

Series II. Writings (cont.)

II.A. Articles, Essays, and Books (cont.)

Jews of Hungary: History, Culture, Psychology

Earlier version?

- b. 56 f. 3-7 Pages not in sequence
- b. 57 f. 1-4 Pages not in sequence
- b. 57 f. 5 Bibliography
- er. 1 Jews of Kurdistan 1980
 (1,047 Kilobytes (34 computer files))
 Manuscript of chapters 1 through 27.
- b. 57 f. 6-10 Jews of Meshhed
- b. 57 f. 11 Jordan 1988
- b. 58 f. 1-5 Journeyman in Jerusalem: Memories and Letters, 1933-1947 circa 1992
- b. 58 f. 6 Additional material to be inserted
- b. 58 f. 7 Assorted material
- b. 58 f. 8-9 Deleted and added pages
- b. 58 f. 10 First draft of chapters
- b. 94 f. 7-10 Typescript draft
 Includes pages not in published version.
- Legend of Lilith
- b. 59 f. 1 Notebook undated
- b. 59 f. 2-3 1st and 2nd versions
- b. 59 f. 4 Love-Factor in a Hebrew-Arabic Conjuration undated
- b. 59 f. 5 Magyar Jews. Memories and Reflections 1992
- b. 59 f. 6 Male and Female in the Jewish God Concept 1985
- b. 59 f. 7 Man and Stone. A Comparative Study in Jewish Folklore 1989
- b. 59 f. 8-10 Maria, the Jewess--Founding Mother of Alchemy circa 1982
- b. 59 f. 11 Marriage Ceremonies of Sephardic Jews in Jerusalem undated
- b. 59 f. 12 Memory in Religion 1983
- b. 59 f. 13 Messiah book outline
- b. 60 f. 1-2 Mexico. Jewish Indians of Mexico. Illustrative material
- Mexican Indian Jews
- b. 60 f. 3-4 In Hebrew
- b. 60 f. 5-6 Draft
- b. 60 f. 7-9 Assorted material
- b. 61 f. 1-2 Assorted material
- b. 61 f. 3-4 Notebooks
- b. 61 f. 5 Middle East: Culture and Values circa 1979
- b. 61 f. 6 Middle East and Israel undated
- b. 61 f. 6 Millet System undated
- b. 61 f. 6 Minorities in the Middle Eastern Culture Areas undated
- v. 3 Mivhar ha-sipur ha-Eretyisre_eli 1938
 Published volume
- b. 61 f. 6 Music of the Middle East 1949
 Introduction by Patai

Series II. Writings (cont.)

II.A. Articles, Essays, and Books (cont.)

- b. 95 f. 3 My Seventeen Languages
- b. 61 f. 7-8 Myths of the Universe 1985
- Nahum Goldman: His Mission to the Gentiles circa 1983
- b. 61 f. 9 Holograph manuscript
- b. 62 f. 1-2 Holograph manuscript (cont'd)
- b. 62 f. 3 Partial typescript, annotated
- b. 62 f. 4-9 Chapters, research notes
- b. 63 f. 1-2 Chapters, research notes
- b. 63 f. 3 Tapes transcribed
- b. 63 f. 4 Unused material
- b. 63 f. 5 Nationalism in Arab Politics
- b. 63 f. 6 Near Eastern Culture Area 1947
- b. 63 f. 6 No Man is an Island undated
 No title; 2 versions
- b. 63 f. 7 No Time for Tears or Facts undated
 Two edited versions
- b. 63 f. 8 Noble and Vassal Tribes undated
- b. 63 f. 9-10 On Love and Death. Bedouin Stories circa 1960
 Ed. by Patai
- b. 63 f. 11 Opposition to Westernization in the near East 1951
- b. 64 f. 1 Oriental Jewish Children
- b. 64 f. 2 Otto on Myth
- b. 64 f. 3 Palestinians. Roots and Motives 1982
- b. 64 f. 3 PATA 1959
- b. 64 f. 4 A People Divided Against Itself 1994
- b. 64 f. 4 Problem of Cultural Adjustment in Israel undated
- b. 64 f. 4 Problem of Islam. Jews in the House of Islam 1986
- b. 64 f. 5 Problem of the Jewish "Race"
- b. 64 f. 6 Quest for Peace 1986
- Quran
- Holograph mss
- b. 64 f. 7-11 Surah, 1-16
- b. 65 f. 1-9 Surah, 17-114
- Typescript with edits
- b. 65 f. 10 Surah, 1-6
- b. 66 f. 1-5 Surah, 7-101
- b. 66 f. 6-8 Surah, 1-4
- b. 67 f. 1-4 Notes and assorted chapters
- b. 67 f. 5-7 Ben Shemesh, A 1973-1974
- b. 67 f. 7 Patai, Daphne 1999
 re Quran
- b. 67 f. 8 Quran translations 1975

Series II. Writings (cont.)

II.A. Articles, Essays, and Books (cont.)

- b. 67 f. 9 Raymund de Tarrega. Marrano, Heretic and Alchemist undated
- b. 67 f. 10 Reality Culture and Value Culture in Westernization circa 1952
- b. 67 f. 10 Relationship Patterns Among Arabs undated
- b. 67 f. 11 Religion in the Middle East undated (1st page missing)
- b. 67 f. 12 Resistance to Westernization in the Middle East undated
- b. 67 f. 13 Riotous Moroccans post 1959 (3 versions)
- b. 67 f. 14 Ritual Approach to Hebrew-African Culture Contact 1961
- b. 95 f. 4 Robert Graves and the Hebrew Myths 1991
Page proofs
- b. 67 f. 15 Role of the Family 1990
- b. 68 f. 1 Sacred Rock of Jerusalem. The Navel of the Earth undated
- b. 68 f. 1 Science of Man 1950
- b. 68 f. 1 Second Look at the Kibbutz 1957
- b. 68 f. 1 Sephardi Alchemists undated
- b. 68 f. 1 Sephardi World View and the HasHalakha 1974
- b. 68 f. 1 Sephardim. Link Between East and West undated
- b. 68 f. 2 Seminary. Budapest (Rough draft)
Shetiyya Stone: Navel of the Universe
- b. 68 f. 3 Typed mss
- b. 68 f. 3-6 Holograph ms
- b. 68 f. 7-10 Notes
- b. 68 f. 11-13 A Short History of Jordan
- b. 69 f. 1 Social Conditions in the Middle East circa 1948
- b. 69 f. 2 Social and Cultural Determinants of Middle Eastern Nationalism undated
(Abstract)
- b. 69 f. 2 Social Research Tasks in the Middle East undated
- b. 69 f. 2 Solomon Trismosin and his Jewish Master circa 1989
- b. 69 f. 3 Some Problems of Applied Anthropology in Contemporary Palestine
undated
- b. 69 f. 4 Some problems of Middle Eastern Culture Area undated
- b. 69 f. 5-7 Stratigraphy undated
- b. 69 f. 8 Survey of Near Eastern Anthropology undated
- b. 69 f. 9 Towards a New Oikoumene undated
- b. 69 f. 10 Toynbee's Dependence on Spengler undated
- b. 69 f. 11 Traits in the Contemporary Arab Personality circa 1986
- b. 69 f. 12 Transculturation in Israel and in the Arab Countries undated
- b. 69 f. 13 Views of Voodoo undated
- b. 69 f. 14 What the Bible Can Teach Us about Aging
- b. 69 f. 14 What is Jewish in the Culture of Jews? undated
- b. 69 f. 14 Who is a Jew 1985
- b. 69 f. 14 Why Should Johnny Read? undated
- b. 69 f. 14 World Zionist Organization

Series II. Writings (cont.)

II.A. Articles, Essays, and Books (cont.)

- b. 69 f. 15 Mss in Hebrew
- b. 70 f. 1-3 Mss in Hebrew
 - Chapter: Portrait of a Jewish Community
- b. 70 f. 4-5 Typewritten
 - b. 70 f. 6 Holograph Mss
 - b. 70 f. 7 Chapter: The Science of Man
 - b. 70 f. 8 Chapter: Shabbati Zevi
- b. 70 f. 9-10 Chapters: Moses
 - b. 70 f. 11 Shabbatai Zev. Sample chapter
 - b. 70 f. 12 Partial chapter; unidentified mss
- b. 95 f. 5 Assorted writings 1990s
- b. 70 f. 13 Unpublished pieces
- b. 95 f. 6-10 Unpublished pieces 1930s-1940s

II.B. Addresses, Lectures, and Other Material circa 1950s-2000

This subseries contains transcripts of addresses and lectures; correspondence; notes; and printed matter. Other material includes transcripts of an oral history interview with Patai in 1980. Audio and video recordings of lectures, addresses, and interviews are located in Series VI. Recordings.

Addresses

- b. 71 f. 1 Field of Jewish Folklore: Early Days and Present Tasks 1989
- b. 71 f. 2 Sciences and Religion undated
- b. 71 f. 3 Committee Proposal: In Search for Unity Among the Monotheistic Religions 1986
- b. 96 f. 4 Conversation with Albert Einstein circa 1950
Narrative account of Patai meeting Einstein. Missing the first 2 pages.
- b. 71 f. 4 Course outline: Jewish Religion and Tradition undated
- b. 71 f. 3 Funeral remarks: Geza Roheim 1953

Introductions

- b. 71 f. 5 Introduction to Washington Irving's Mahomet 1987
- b. 71 f. 6 Introduction and reviews of books by Patai 1985-1989
- b. 71 f. 7 Introduction and Conversation with Robert Graves 1987

Lectures

- b. 71 f. 8 Anthropology in Palestine
- b. 71 f. 9 Armilus-Antichrist-Dajjal 1987
- b. 71 f. 10 Falasha Communal Village System in Ethiopia undated
- b. 71 f. 11 Hebrew Goddess 1989
- b. 71 f. 12 Hungarian Holocaust: In Memoriam undated
- b. 71 f. 13 Hungarian Jews Abroad Oct. 27, 1986
- b. 71 f. 14 Information for Students 1992
- b. 71 f. 15 Israel 1970: the Social Dimension 1970
 - b. 96 f. 1 Jewish Heritage in America: The European Sephardi Legacy circa 1992
- b. 71 f. 16 Jews in a Gentile World 1981
- b. 71 f. 17 Jews and Arabs (several lectures grouped together by Patai) undated

Series II. Writings (cont.)

II.B. Addresses, Lectures, and Other Material (cont.)

Lectures (cont.)

- b. 71 f. 18 On Tasks of Anthropology in Israel undated
- b. 71 f. 19 Lecture I. Polytheism and Yahwism 1989
- b. 72 f. 1 Near East--Social Dynamics and the Cultural Setting 1952
- b. 72 f. 1 Quest for Peace: A View from Anthropology circa 1983
- b. 72 f. 1 Social Research Tasks in the Middle East undated
- b. 72 f. 1 Survey of Near Eastern Anthropology undated
- b. 72 f. 2 Tasks of Anthropology. incomplete undated
- b. 72 f. 3 Towards a New World Culture in the 21st Century circa 1987
- b. 72 f. 4 What is Hebrew Mythology undated
- b. 72 f. 5 University of Connecticut 1981
- b. 72 f. 6 Oral history interview 1980
- b. 96 f. 2-3 Oral history interview -- Columbia University Hungarian Oral History Project 1980, 1993
- b. 72 f. 7 Paper. Ancient Jewish Seafaring and River faring Jews 1989
- b. 72 f. 8-10 Publicity for Patai's lectures 1970s
- b. XX-13 Publicity posters for two speaking engagements
- Reviews of Patai's work
- b. 72 f. 11 Arab Mind 1973
- b. 72 f. 12 Cultures in Conflict 1958
- b. 72 f. 13 Current Jewish Social Research 1958
- b. 73 f. 1 Encyclopedia of Zionism and Israel 1972
- b. 73 f. 2 Fields of Offerings 1984
- b. 73 f. 3 Gates to the Old City 1981
- b. 73 f. 3 Golden River 1963
- b. 73 f. 4 Israel between East and West 1953
- b. 73 f. 5 Jewish Mind 1970s-1980s
- b. 73 f. 6 Jewish Seafaring (in Hebrew)
- b. 73 f. 6 Jordan, Lebanon and Syria 1958
- b. 73 f. 6 Kingdom of Jordan 1957
- b. 73 f. 6 Man and Temple circa 1950
- b. 73 f. 7 Messiah Texts 1981
- b. 73 f. 8 Myth of the Jewish Race 1975
- b. 73 f. 9 Myth and the Modern Man 1972-1973
- b. 73 f. 10 Nathan Goldmann 1986
- b. 73 f. 11 On Jewish Folklore 1982
- b. 73 f. 11 Seeds of Abraham 1986
- b. 73 f. 12 Sex and the Family 1963
- b. 73 f. 12 Society, Culture and Change in the Middle East 1971
- b. 73 f. 12 Texts of Jacob 1972
- b. 73 f. 13 Vanished Worlds 1981
- b. 73 f. 16 Yemenite Jews

Series II. Writings (cont.)

II.B. Addresses, Lectures, and Other Material (cont.)

Reviews of Patai's work (cont.)

- b. 73 f. 14-15 Reviews (general)
- b. 96 f. 5-6 Reviews (general) 1990-2000
- b. 73 f. 17 Articles by others

II.C. Notes and Notebooks 1920-1990

Notes relate mostly to Patai's monographs. The subjects include autobiography, folk culture, Hebrew myths, Hungarian Jews, lectures, and Jozsef Patai. There are several notebooks kept by Raphael Patai as a student at Budapest and Breslau, 1930-1932. The subseries also contains Patai's poetry, which he called "poetic attempts."

- b. 74 f. 1-3 Arab Mind 1969-1970
- b. 74 f. 4 Arabs of Palestine circa 1980
- b. 74 f. 5-10 Assorted Notes
- b. 75 f. 1 Autobiography
- b. 75 f. 2 Ben Ilan
- b. 75 f. 3-4 Berlin
- b. 75 f. 5 Budapest Seminary
- b. 75 f. 5 Dual Organizations in the Middle East
- b. 75 f. 6 Edoth
- b. 75 f. 7 Folk Culture
- b. 75 f. 8-11 Grunwald, Max (fragile notes)
- b. 75 f. 12 Hebrew (assorted notes)
- b. 76 f. 1 Hebrew (assorted notes)
- b. 76 f. 2 Hebrew Goddess
- b. 76 f. 3-7 Hebrew Myths
- b. 76 f. 7-10 Hungarian Jews
- b. 76 f. 11 I am the Lord
- b. 76 f. 12 Israel
- Notes for Brooklyn College
- b. 77 f. 1-2 Jewish Mind
- b. 77 f. 3-4 Journeyman in Jerusalem
- b. 77 f. 5 Lecture notes
- b. 77 f. 5 Majora Jews
- b. 77 f. 6 Maria and Moses. Alchemists
- b. 77 f. 7 Messiah
- b. 77 f. 8 Messiahs of Monotheism
- b. 77 f. 9 Muslim Messianism
- b. 77 f. 10 Myth of the Jewish Race see also: photographs
- b. 77 f. 11 Paris. Bibliography
- b. 78 f. 1 Patai, Jozsef re
- b. 78 f. 2 Percentage of Jews Among Noble Prize Winners
- b. 78 f. 3 Preamble
- b. 78 f. 4 Safed
- b. 78 f. 4 Syria

Series II. Writings (cont.)

II.C. Notes and Notebooks (cont.)

- b. 78 f. 5 To be translated
- b. 78 f. 6 Woman
Project for Encyclopedia
- b. 78 f. 7 World Health Organization
- b. 78 f. 8-9 Unused Notes
Academic records and notebooks kept at Budapest and Breslau 1920-1938
- b. 78 f. 10-14 Academic records 1920-1929
- b. 78 f. 15-16 Notebooks 1929-1938
- b. 79 f. 1-2 Poetic attempts circa 1960

II.D. Broadcasts 1946-1947, 1982

These broadcasts are corrected scripts of folktales that were aired in Israel by various broadcasters. Patai may have done the editing and the broadcasts may have been a source for Patai's book on Arab folktales. The languages are Hebrew and English. Another source of information for *Arab Folktales from Palestine and Israel* may have been the oral history transcripts. Written in English and Hebrew, the transcripts were generated in 1982.

The subseries includes transcripts, correspondence, notes and printed matter.

- b. 79 f. 3-5 Broadcasts 1946-1947
- b. 79 f. 6-10 Oral history transcripts 1982

Series III. Family Papers circa 1903-1995

This series contains papers of Raphael Patai's parents Edith and Jozsef Patai and sister Eva Patai (Koigen Patai), and files of correspondence with his family members.

III.A. Edith Patai circa 1939-1960

Edith Patai's papers consist of writings in Hungarian with a few manuscripts in Hebrew. There is a novel entitled *Herzl's Wife* and two draft novels. The remaining material is partial or loose pages. Since most of the manuscripts are in Hungarian, this work may have been written while Edith was living in Hungary, before emigrating to Israel.

- b. 80 f. 1-5 Articles. A-Z
- b. 80 f. 6 Novel. Herzl's Wife
- b. 80 f. 7-8 Wie gut...(no title)
- b. 80 f. 9-10 Draft of a novel re Raphael Patai (in German)
- b. 80 f. 11 Partial manuscript
- b. 81 f. 1-3 Partial manuscripts; loose pages
- b. 81 f. 4 Partial notebooks
- b. 81 f. 5 Letter. To Jozsef and Eva circa 1939
- b. 81 f. 5 Postcard 1960
- b. 81 f. 6 Printed Matter

III.B. Eva Patai circa 1959-1985

Eva Patai's files include a partial typescript of her book *Der Wunderdoktor von Jerusalem*, autobiographical manuscripts with comments from Raphael and Daphne Patai, other manuscripts, lectures, one undated letter, poems, and a birth certificate.

- b. 81 f. 7 Letter 1959
- b. 81 f. 8 Articles 1977
- b. 81 f. 8 Fatmeh
- b. 81 f. 9 Interview with Edith Patai 1968
- b. 81 f. 10 Lectures

Series III. Family Papers (cont.)

III.B. Eva Patai (cont.)

- b. 81 f. 11 Reminiscences about teenage years circa 1985
- b. 81 f. 12 Der Wunderdoktor von Jerusalem
- b. 81 f. 13 Der Wunderdoktor (Typescript fragment)
- b. 81 f. 14 Poems
- b. 81 f. 15 Mss, birth certificate, and other documents
Patai, Eva & Miriam Grotto
- b. 81 f. 16 David Ben Gurion
- b. 81 f. 16 Where Prostitution is Least Than Anywhere Else
- b. 81 f. 16 Grotto, Miriam. A Village Whose Inhabitants Never Went into Exile
- b. 81 How Do Arabs Fare in Israel?
- b. 81 f. 17 Mss filed under Eva Patai; some partial
- b. 96 f. 7 Autobiographical manuscripts circa 1980s

III.C. Jozsef Patai circa 1903-1960

Jozsef Patai (1882-1953) was a scholar and Zionist activist. His papers here include an original manuscript, *The House on the Mountain*, in German. Raphael Patai would later reintroduce his father's book to the public through an introduction and translation. There are two typescripts of this translation, with variations. This subseries includes two bound volumes the journal *Mult es Jovo* for the years 1912 and 1926.

- b. 82 f. 1 Biographical Information
- Correspondence
- circa 1903-1930
- 1935-1960, undated
- Writings
- b. 82 f. 4 Essay on the Kabbala and Hasidism circa 1902
In Hungarian
- b. 82 f. 5 Fuer die Hebraeischev
- b. 82 f. 6 Das Haus am Berg
- b. 82 f. 7-8 House on the Mountain
Translated by Raphael Patai
- b. 82 f. 9-10 House on the Mountain
Another translation with corrections
- b. 82 f. 11 House on the Mountain circa 1944
Original in Hebrew
- b. 82 f. 12 Purimlegenden
- b. 82 f. 13 Souls and Secrets
Hasidic stories translated with an introduction by Raphael Patai
- b. 82 f. 14 A Thousand and One Nights
- b. 82 f. 15 Middle Gate
Chapter in German
- b. 83 f. 1-2 Manuscript fragment
- b. 83 f. 3 Unsorted manuscripts
- b. 83 f. 4 Poems
- b. 83 f. 5-9 Notebooks

Series III. Family Papers (cont.)

III.C. Jozsef Patai (cont.)

- b. 84 f. 1-3 Legal documents
Includes passport
- b. 84 f. 4-5 Articles
- b. 84 f. 6 Unidentified
- Mult es Jovo
Bound volumes with illustrations.
- v. 4 1912
- v. 5 1926
- b. 100 f. 8 Leaf from 1935 volume

III.D. Family correspondence 1918-1995

The bulk of the family correspondence is letters between Raphael Patai and his parents, Jozsef and Edith (Erenfeld) Patai; his sister, Eva Hirsch-Patai (later Koigen); and his brother, Saul Patai, a professor in the department of organic chemistry at the Hebrew University of Jerusalem. Much of the correspondence from the 1930s is between Dr. Jozsef Patai at Palestine and members of his family in Budapest and Paris. By the end of the 1930s, the Patai family had settled in Palestine. After 1947, the correspondence is between Raphael Patai in New York and members of his family in Jerusalem, Tel Aviv, Haifa and Givataim (Israel). In addition to family matters, the correspondence relates to economic, social and political affairs in Israel. Correspondents include Raphael Patai's wives Naomi Tokowsky Patai, Irene Patai, Ann Uhl Drevet Patai and Frances Sheldon Patai. Letters are mostly written in Hungarian with some letters in Hebrew and English.

The subseries contains correspondence, documents, photographs and printed matter. Early letters are fragile.

Correspondence between Raphael Patai and his daughters, Daphne Patai and Jennifer Patai Schneider, is restricted during their lifetimes.

Chronological

- b. 85 f. 1 1918-1935
- b. 85 f. 2 1936
- b. 85 f. 3-4 1937
- b. 85 f. 5-9 1938
- b. 85 f. 10-13 1939
- b. 85 f. 14-15 1940-1941
- b. 85 f. 16 1942
- b. 85 f. 17 1943
- b. 85 f. 18 1944-1947
- b. 85 f. 19-20 1948
- b. 86 f. 1 1949
- b. 86 f. 2 1950
- b. 86 f. 3 1951-1952
- b. 86 f. 4 1953-1954
- b. 86 f. 5 1955
- b. 86 f. 6 1956
- b. 86 f. 7 1957-1958
- b. 86 f. 8 1959
- b. 86 f. 9 1960

Series III. Family Papers (cont.)
III.D. Family correspondence (cont.)
Chronological (cont.)

b. 86 f. 10	1961-1962
b. 86 f. 11	1963-1965
b. 86 f. 12	1966-1967
b. 87 f. 1	1968
b. 87 f. 2	1969
b. 87 f. 3	1970-1971
b. 87 f. 4	1972
b. 87 f. 5	1973
b. 87 f. 6	1974
b. 87 f. 7	1975-1976, undated
b. 87 f. 8	Molnar, Dora 1956-1961
	Patai, Eva (sister)
b. 87 f. 9	1932-1951
b. 87 f. 10	1952-1959
b. 87 f. 11	1961-1964
b. 87 f. 12	1965-1970
b. 87 f. 13	1971-1976
b. 88 f. 1	1977
b. 88 f. 2	1978
b. 88 f. 3	1979
b. 88 f. 4	1980
b. 88 f. 5	1981
b. 88 f. 6	1982-1983
b. 88 f. 7	1984-1985
b. 88 f. 8	1986
	Patai, Saul (brother)
b. 88 f. 9	1930s-1940s
b. 88 f. 10	1950-1959
b. 88 f. 11	1960-1969
b. 89 f. 1	1970-1979
b. 89 f. 2	circa 1980-1986
b. 96 f. 10-11	1987-1995
	Patai, Raphael and Ann (Drevet)
b. 89 f. 3	1958-1963
b. 89 f. 4	1965
b. 89 f. 5	1966-1968
b. 89 f. 6	Documents circa 1959 Includes marriage license
	Patai, Raphael and Frances (Sheldon)
b. 89 f. 7	1967-1974
b. 89 f. 8	1975

Series III. Family Papers (cont.)

III.D. Family correspondence (cont.)

Patai, Raphael and Frances (Sheldon) (cont.)

- b. 89 f. 9 1976-1982
Patai, Raphael and Irene
- b. 89 f. 10-12 1949-1960s
- b. 89 f. 13 Divorce documents 1957
- b. 89 f. 14 Family photographs
- b. 89 f. 15 Last will and testament (copy)
- b. 89 f. 16 Non-family 1970s-1980s
- b. 96 f. 8-9 Patai, Raphael and Naomi (Tolkowsky) 1947-1990
Includes correspondence with Naomi Patai's relatives

Series IV. Photographs 1900s-1990s

Photographs consist of prints, slides and negatives (including many glass plate negatives). Some of the photographs are held in albums which have been disassembled. Many photographs are no longer attached to the pages.

Photographs depict Patai, his family, his appearances at events and lectures, and travels in Europe, Mexico, and Israel. The glass plate negatives are mostly images of Patai when he was a teenager and images of his parents and siblings. The files also contain images that were used for his books, including *Jews of Kurdistan*, *Myths of the Jewish Race*, and *The Jewish Alchemists*.

- b. 97 f. 1-8 1900s-1960s
Includes photographs of Jozsef Patai and writers such as Hayim Nahman Bialik and Shaul Tchernichovsky, as well as photographs of Robert Graves (1961-1963).
- b. 99 f. 1-8 1950s-1990s
- b. 100 f. 1-3 1960s-1990s
- Events
 - b. 90 f. 1 Encyclopedia of Zionism and Israel
 - b. 90 f. 2 Graves, Robert and Patai 1961
 - b. 90 f. 3 Golden River to Golden Road 1964
 - b. XX-13 Greater New York Dinner of Histadruth Ivrit of America. Hotel Astor 1947
Dec 7
 - b. 90 f. 4 Pincus, Chasya. Come from the Four Winds 1970
 - b. 90 f. 5 Patai at various events circa 1947-1955
- Publications
 - b. 90 f. 6 Apprentice in Budapest
 - b. 100 f. 4 Jewish Alchemists 1982
 - b. 90 f. 7-10 Jews of Kurdistan
 - b. 90 f. 11 Jews of Sandor. Negatives from exhibit at Maurice Spertus Museum of
Judaica 1983
 - b. 90 f. 12-16 Myth of the Jewish Race
 - b. 100 f. 4 Unidentified 1980s
 - b. 90 f. 17 Patai, Edith (bust)
 - b. 90 f. 18 Patai, Raphael. Portraits circa 1971
 - b. 91 f. 1-2 Group photographs of classmates at Budapest and Breslau (circa 1920-
1930)
- Albums (Disbound)
 - b. 98 f. 1-5 Family 1920s-1940s

Series IV. Photographs (cont.)

Albums (cont.)

- b. 91 f. 3 Patai, Raphael 1959
- b. 91 f. 4-5 Patai's daughters 1948-1960s
- b. 91 f. 6 Patai, Raphael and Naomi 1959
- b. 91 f. 7-8 Family 1959-circa 1961
- b. 91 f. 9 Haifa, Athens, and Granada 1959
- b. 91 f. 10 Europe 1961
- b. 91 f. 11-12 Patai's family circa 1962-1971
- b. 91 f. 13 New York City 1963
- b. 91 f. 14 Robert Graves at Doubleday 1961
- b. 91 f. 15 Patai 196 Nov
- b. 92 f. 1 Patai on vacation 1963-1964
- b. 92 f. 2 Patai in Philadelphia 1964
- b. 92 f. 3 Patai at MIT 1964
- b. 92 f. 4 Patai with Israel Consul General 1965
- b. 92 f. 5 Patai at launch of Robert Gamzey's book *Miracle of Israel* 1965
- b. 92 f. 6 Patai, Edith and family 1965
- b. 92 f. 7 Patai at various events circa 1965-1967

Glass plates

- b. 92 f. 8 Patai, Jozsef
- b. 92 f. 9 Patai, Naomi
- b. 92 f. 10 Patai, Raphael in high school
- b. 92 f. 11 Patai, Raphael teenager with family
- b. 92 f. 12 Patai, Jozsef
- b. 92 f. 13 Unidentified female relatives

- b. 113 Family 1920s-1940s

Prints of some of these negatives can be found in the photograph albums in box 98.

- b. 114 Negatives circa 1950s-1960s

Series V. Personal Miscellany 1932-1990s

This series consists of Patai's diplomas and certificates; identification cards and passports; scrapbooks containing clippings, printed matter, and correspondence related to Patai's career; and a recording of his daughters singing as children.

- b. 100 f. 5 Identification cards and passports 1932-1994
From Hungary, Palestine, Israel, and the United States.
- b. 100 f. 6-7 Business cards and address book 1980s-1990s
- origsr.237192 Children's singing 1951, 1953, 1964
"Children singing, April 1951; Ofra [Jennifer] and Daphne singing, 1953. Rerecorded Aug 31, 1964."
Original Sound recording unavailable until digitized.

Diplomas

- b. 93 f. 1 Doctoral diplomas
- b. 93 f. 2 Certificates

Series V. Personal Miscellany (cont.)

Diplomas (cont.)

- b. 109 1936
 Doctoral diploma from the University of Budapest; rabbinical diploma from the Jewish Theological Seminary of Budapest; diploma from the Hebrew University of Jerusalem; two unidentified diplomas in Hebrew.

Scrapbooks

- v. 6 1947-1955
 v. 1 1948-1960s
 v. 2 1950s-1960s

Series VI. Recordings of Lectures and Interviews 1953-1996

Most of the recordings are lectures in front of a live audience at universities and similar settings. Interviews include both interviews conducted by Patai, and interviews where his life and work were the subject. This series includes many talks on *The Hebrew Goddess*, as well as several interviews and conversations with Robert Graves related to *Hebrew Myths: The Book of Genesis*.

All recordings are sound recordings, except for two video recordings of interviews with Patai. The lectures are mostly in English with some in Hungarian.

Original Sound and Video recordings are unavailable until digitized.

VI.A. Lectures 1964-1992

- origsr.237186 Herzl Press 10th Anniversary speeches 1964
 From 10th anniversary luncheon. Speakers are: Dr. Emanuel Neumann; Dr. Nahum Goldmann; Dr. Judah Shapiro; and Dr. Raphael Patai.
 Original Sound recording unavailable until digitized.
- Diaspora 1972 Mar 8 (1 Audiocassette (60 min.))
- Lecture at New Rochelle 1977 Nov 13 (1 Audiocassette (60 min.))
- Lecture in St. Louis 1977 Mar 27-28 (1 Audiocassette (90 min.))
- The Hebrew Goddess 1978 Apr 6 (1 Audiocassette (90 min.))
- 7th Century Arabia, the influence of Jews on Islam 1984 (2 Audiocassettes (2 hours 30 min.))
 Three lectures presented in Alexandria, VA. Venue unknown
- origsr.237169 Hungarian Jews Abroad 1986 Oct 27
 Original Sound recording unavailable until digitized.
- Lecture at Rockville, MD 1986 Oct 28 (1 Audiocassette (60 min.))
- origsr.237170 The Hebrew Goddess 1989 May 5-6
 Recorded in Ashland, OR. May 5, 1989 recording is Hebrew Goddess lecture; May 6 recording has question-and-answer session.
 Original Sound recording unavailable until digitized.
- Jewish Alchemists 1989 May 7 (1 Audiocassette (2 hours))
- The Hebrew Goddess 1990 Feb 13 (1 Audiocassette (90 min.))
 Lecture presented at the University of Honolulu
- Scheiber World 1991 Jun 11 (1 Audiocassette (90 min.))
 Lecture presented to the Federation of Hungarian Jews
- The Hebrew Goddess 1992 May (5 Audiocassettes (10 hours))
 Lecture presented at the University of Utah
- Polytheism and Yahwism/Cherubin 1992 Nov 16-17 (1 Audiocassette (90 min.))
- Shekhinah/The Matronit 1992 Nov 18-19 (1 Audiocassette (90 min.))
- Jewish and Arab Diaspora undated (1 Audiocassette (90 min.))

Series VI. Recordings of Lectures and Interviews (cont.)

VI.A. Lectures (cont.)

Jews in Arab Lands undated (3 audiocassettes (4 hours 30 min.))

Jewish Communities in Yemen and Morocco/Jewish and Arb Folk Culture
undated (1 audiocassette (90 min.))

The Position of Women in Jewish and Arab Society undated (1 audiocassette (90 min.))

Personality and Politics undated (1 audiocassette (90 min.))

Lecture at Scarsdale undated (1 audiocassette (90 min.))

VI.B. Interviews 1953-1996

- origsr.237171 **Interview with a Falasha** 1953 (Wire recording)
Original Sound recording unavailable until digitized.
- origsr.237187 **Robert Graves-Raphael Patai conversation** 1961 May 20
Recorded in Patai's home.
Original Sound recording unavailable until digitized.
- origsr.237188 **Robert Graves and Raphael Patai: The Hebrew Myths** 1963 May 15
Recorded at Kaufmann Concert Hall.
Original Sound recording unavailable until digitized.
- origsr.237189 **Robert Graves and Raphael Patai on the Martha Deane show** 1964 Mar 20
Original Sound recording unavailable until digitized.
- Interview with mother** 1968 Jul 10
Original recordings 237190 and 237191. Interview conducted at 6 Patai St., Givatayim, Israel.
Whose mother is being interviewed is unspecified.
Original Sound recording unavailable until digitized.
- Interview with Judah Shapiro** 1977 Nov 3 (1 audiocassette (2 hours))
Interview with Patai about his book "The Jewish Mind"
- Interviews with Nahum Goldmann** 1980 (5 audiocassettes (8 hours))
- Interview at Rockville, MD** 1986 (1 audiocassette (90 min.))
- origvid.237172 **Interviewed by composer Steve Reich and his wife Beryl Korot** 1989 Mar 9
Interview concerns Cave of Machpela, Jews and Arabs, Judaism and Islam, among other topics.
Original Video unavailable until digitized.
- origvid.237173 **Interviewed by Sonya Friedman, CNN** 1989 Aug 2
Original Video unavailable until digitized.
- origsr.237174 **Interviewed by Louis Mucciolo** 1990 Sep 30
Interview was included in Mucciolo's book, Eightysomething.
Original Sound recording unavailable until digitized.
- Interview at Salt Lake City** 1991 Nov 17 (1 audiocassette (90 min.))
- Interview at the 92nd St. Y, New York City** 1992 May 11 (1 audiocassette (90 min.))
- origsr.237185 **Interviewed by Ruth Jacobs, WEVD** 1993 Feb 2
Original Sound recording unavailable until digitized.
- Interview with Yohana Levian-Meshed** 1994 Apr 17 (1 audiocassette (90 min.))
- Interview on the Ruth Jacobs Show** 1994 Nov 18 (1 audiocassette (90 min.))
- Interviewed by Daphne Patai** 1988-1996
Original recordings 237193 through 237205 (13 audiocassettes). Interviews conducted in Forest Hills, NY.
Original Sound recording unavailable until digitized. These interviews of Patai by his daughter, Daphne Patai, are closed until 2030, except with permission from Daphne Patai.
- Interview with unnamed Hungarian Jew about Kosbarsa by Patai** undated (1 audiocassette (90 min.))

Series VI. Recordings of Lectures and Interviews (cont.)

VI.B. Interviews (cont.)

Interview with Patai undated (1 audiocassette (90 min.))

VI.C. Hungarian Interviews / Lectures 1993

Interview with Eva Balint 1993 Sep.22 (2 audiocassettes (120 min.))

Interview and Lecture at the PEN Club 1993 Sep 27 (1 audiocassette (90 min.))

Interviews with Gyorgy Hoventi and Dr. Peter Englander (President of the Hungarian Zionist Organization) 1993 Sep 28 (1 audiocassette (90 min.))

Interviews with Gyorgy Szabad and Laszlo Herzog 1993 Sep 29 (1 audiocassette (90 min.))

Interview with Laszlo Karsay / Lecture by Patai 1993 Oct 1 (1 audiocassette (90 min.))

Interviews with Ember Maria, Raj Tamas and Deak Gribov 1993 Oct 2 (1 audiocassette (90 min.))

Lecture at the Hungarian Zionist Organization, Budapest 1993 Oct 3 (1 audiocassette (90 min.))

Series VII. Diaries 1947-1996

Diaries contain brief entries documenting Raphael Patai's social and professional activities.

Diaries are closed until 2030, except by written permission from Daphne Patai.

- b. 100 f. 9 1947-1948
- b. 101 f. 1-5 1948-1957
- b. 102 f. 1-5 1958-1967
- b. 103 f. 1-5 1968-1977
- b. 104 f. 1-5 1978-1987
- b. 105 f. 1-5 1988-1996

Series VIII. Artwork 1920s-1980s

Artwork consists of prints, drawings, and paintings. Most of the artwork is unrelated to Patai's research.

- b. 112 f. 1 Miklos Szines-Sternberg--illustrations for Hasidic Stories: Souls and Secrets 1920s
- b. 112 f. 2 Jacob Benor-Kalter--photographs from Jerusalem: Twelve Views of the Old City 1924
- b. 112 f. 3 Raphael Patai--drawings 1920s-1951
- b. 112 f. 4 Drawings circa 1930s-1957
Includes drawing by Amaranth Ehrenhalt
- o. 3 Drawings and paintings circa 1922-1940s
- b. 112 f. 5-6 Prints circa 1924-1960s
Includes self-portrait by Joseph Uhl, and portrait of Franz Blei
- o. 4 Prints
Prints depicting classical and Biblical scenes and copies of Renaissance art

Series IX. Publishing Files 1961-2011

Publishing files contain contracts and correspondence regarding Raphael Patai's books, especially posthumous publications. The series contains files concerning Daphne Patai's efforts to have her father's *Encyclopedia of Jewish Folklore* completed and published after his death. The series also contains correspondence and clippings concerning the public and scholarly reaction after *The Arab Mind* was cited in a 2004 article by Seymour Hersh as one of the inspirations for the U.S. Army's abuse of prisoners at Abu Ghraib prison.

- b. 106 f. 1-14 1995-2008

Series IX. Publishing Files (cont.)

Arab Mind controversy

b. 106 f. 15 2000s

b. 107 f. 1 2007, 2010

b. 107 f. 2-3 Contracts 1961-2011

Encyclopedia of Jewish Folklore

b. 107 f. 4-8 1992-2009

b. 108 f. 1-2 1999-2008

b. 108 f. 3-13 Series X. Death and Estate 1995-2007

Death and Estate files contain condolence letters written to Raphael Patai's daughters; obituaries; documents related to his estate and the disposition of his library; fliers for the Patai memorial lecture; and an essay on mortality that Patai wrote shortly before his death.