Open Letter Press Collection UA4

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Summary Information

Repository: Rare Books, Special Collections, and Preservation Department
Title: Open Letter Press Collection
ID: UA4
Date [bulk]: 2007-2015
Physical Description: 1 Box
Language of the Material: English

Preferred Citation

[Item title, date], Open Letter Press Collection, 2007-2015, Dept. of Rare Books, Special Collections, and Preservation, River Campus Libraries, University of Rochester.

Biographical / Historical

Founded in 2007, Open Letter is a nonprofit press at the University of Rochester that began publishing in 2008. It publishes translations of works of literature from around the world for English-language readers.

Scope and Contents

The Open Letter Press collection contains catalogs, ephemera, and articles relating to the press and its publications. Catalogs are often accompanied by correspondence relating to subscriptions and new translations, including opportunities to review these works.
Administrative Information

Publication Statement

Rare Books, Special Collections, and Preservation Department

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Immediate Source of Acquisition

Materials acquired from various sources.

Processing Information

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Related Materials

A collection of Open Letter Press books is also available in the Department of Rare Books, Special Collections, and Preservation. These books have the call number LD4750.6.

Collection Inventory

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This folder contains reprinted reviews, Open Letter bookmarks, a subscription letter and accompanying form, a flyer for a lecture on translation, and many postcards advertising Open Letter Press events.

| Ephemera, 2015                              | Box 1 | Folder 10 |
| Articles about Open Letter Press, 2007-2011, 2015 | Box 1 | Folder 11 |