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Julius Chajes Papers**

Manuscript Collection No. 714

Collection Summary

Title	Julius Chajes Papers
Dates	1934-1985
Collection Number	MS-714
Repository	The Jacob Rader Marcus Center of the American Jewish Archives
Creator	Chajes, Julius, 1910-1985
Extent	1.2 linear feet (3 Hollinger boxes)
Language of the Material	English and Hebrew

Administrative Information

Biographical Sketch Julius Chajes, born in Lvov in 1910, studied the piano under Richard Robert, Julius Isserlis, Mr. and Mrs. Moriz Rosenthal and composition under Hugo Kauder. His first string quartet, written at the age of thirteen was performed in 1934 together with his second string quartet by the famed Rose Quartet for Chajes's farewell recital in Vienna. At the age of fifteen Chajes performed his Romantic Fantasy with the Vienna Symphony Orchestra. He was the Honor Prize winner at the First International Competition for Pianists in Vienna in 1933. One year later he was appointed head of the piano department at the Music College of Tel Aviv.

During his stay in Israel, Chajes conducted extensive research on ancient Hebrew music. In the wake of this research and local influences Chajes transformed his style of composition and became known as one of the foremost composers of modern Israeli music.

After coming to the United States in 1937 he played three recitals in Town Hall. In 1940 he accepted positions in Detroit, including a teaching post at Wayne State University.

Chajes died in Detroit in 1985.

Scope and Content The collection contains the compositions of Julius Chajes and encompasses orchestral and vocal music. There is also one file, "Personal" in box 4, folder 12, which contains awards and a notebook.

Arrangement The collection is arranged in one (1) series: A. General.

Terms of Access The collection is open for use; no restrictions apply.

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Personal Names Chajes, Julius, 1910-1985

Series A. General, 1934-1985

Arrangement The music is arranged alphabetically either by name or the first letter of the piece.

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Box 1. Folder 1. Adelaide by L. van Beethoven arr. by Julius Chajes.

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