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BC Book Prizes fonds

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Summary information

Repository:	Simon Fraser University Special Collections and Rare Books
Title:	BC Book Prizes fonds
ID:	MsC 122
Date:	2006-2009 (date of creation)
Physical description:	12 cm of textual records 5 photographs
Dates of creation, revision and deletion:	

Administrative history / Biographical sketch

Note

The BC Book Prizes, including The Lieutenant Governor's Award for Literary Excellence, are presented annually at the Lieutenant Governor's BC Book Prize Gala in April. The awards carry a cash prize of \$2000 plus a certificate. The exception is the Lieutenant Governor's Award for Literary Excellence, which is a separate prize category. Prizes include: Ethel Wilson Fiction Prize, Hubert Evans Non-Fiction Prize, Dorothy Livesay Poetry Prize, Roderick Haig-Brown Regional Prize, Sheila A. Egoff Children's Literature Prize, Christie Harris Illustrated Children's Literature Prize and the Lieutenant Governor's Award for Literary Excellence, and the Bill Duthie Booksellers' Choice Award.

Custodial history

Records were in the custody of the BC Book Prizes organization from the time of creation until their donation to Special Collections in 2010.

Scope and content

The fonds consists of promotional materials, most notably full-colour posters, surrounding the shortlisting and adjudication of potential winners and the subsequent selection and celebration of winners of the prestigious prizes. Also included are media clippings and press releases surrounding the event.

Notes

Title notes

Immediate source of acquisition

The BC Book Prizes fonds was donated in 2010 by Monica Miller, a representative from The BC Book Prizes organization.

Arrangement

The fonds is arranged into series according to year.

Finding aids

An online finding aid is available at <http://www.lib.sfu.ca/sites/default/files/8910/BCBookPrizesFonds.pdf>

Accruals

Further accruals are expected.

Other notes

- Publication status: published
- Level of detail: Full
- Status description: Published
- Institution identifier: Simon Fraser University Library Special Collections and Rare Books

Access points

- BC Book Prizes
- Graphic material (documentary form)
- Textual record (documentary form)
- Arts and culture (subject)
- Events and celebrations (subject)
- Organizations (subject)

Series descriptions

Series 1: BC Book Prizes 2006

Creator: BC Book Prizes

Date: 2006 (date of creation)

Scope and content:

The materials in this series consist of media clippings, programs, pamphlets, bookmarks and promotional posters.

Physical description: 3 cm of textual records

Access points:

- Textual record (documentary form)
- Events and celebrations (subject)
- Vancouver (place)

File / item list

Series 2: BC Book Prizes 2007

Creator: BC Book Prizes

Date: 2007 (date of creation)

Scope and content:

The records in this series consist of media clippings, programs, a photograph, pamphlets, bookmarks and promotional posters.

Physical description: 3 cm of textual records
1 photograph

Access points:

- Textual record (documentary form)
- Graphic material (documentary form)
- Events and celebrations (subject)
- Vancouver (place)

File / item list

Series 3: BC Book Prizes 2008

Creator: BC Book Prizes

Date: 2008 (date of creation)

Scope and content:

The materials in this series consist of media clippings, photographs, programs, pamphlets, bookmarks and promotional posters.

Physical description: 5 cm of textual records

4 photographs

Access points:

- Graphic material (documentary form)
- Textual record (documentary form)
- Events and celebrations (subject)
- Vancouver (place)

File / item list

Series 4: BC Book Prizes 2009

Creator: BC Book Prizes

Date: 2009 (date of creation)

Scope and content:

The materials in this series consist of media clippings, programs, pamphlets, bookmarks and promotional posters.

Physical description: 1 cm of textual records

Access points:

- Textual record (documentary form)
- Events and celebrations (subject)
- Vancouver (place)

File / item list