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# Guide to the University of Chicago Division of the Humanities, Comprehensive Examinations Records 1935-1956



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## **Descriptive Summary**

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<b>Abstract</b>	The Division of Humanities Comprehensive Examination Records contain copies of examination questions given by Departments in the Division from 1935 to 1956.

## **Information on Use**

### **Access**

No restrictions.

### **Citation**

When quoting material from this collection, the preferred citation is: University of Chicago. Division of the Humanities. Comprehensive Examinations. Records

### **Historical Note**

Early in 1936 Richard P. McKeon, Dean of the Humanities Division, began collecting the Comprehensive Examinations given by the Departments of the Division. This was the result of a decision of the Committee on Policy of the Division to require the Departments and Committees to file their comprehensives with the Dean. This collection contains the copies of those examinations collected by Dean McKeon and his successors.

### **Scope Note**

The Division of Humanities Comprehensive Examination Records contain copies of examination questions given by Departments in the Division between 1935 and 1956.

### **Related Resources**

The following related resources are located in the Department of Special Collections:

<http://www.lib.uchicago.edu/e/spcl/select.html>

## Subject Headings

- University of Chicago. Division of the Humanities
- University of Chicago -- Examinations
- Universities and colleges -- Examinations
- Examinations

## INVENTORY

### Box 1

#### Folder 1

Correspondence and publications

- Correspondence about deposit of examinations with the Dean.
- Daily Maroon College General Examination Questionnaire, n.d.
- Tabulation of the Requirements for Admission, the Program of Work, the General Requirements, and the Comprehensive Examinations for the Bachelor's Degree in each School and Division, n.d., ca. 1935.

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#### Folder 2

Exams, 1929-1935

- German
- Oriental Languages and Literature
- Medieval Culture

### Box 1

#### Folder 3

Exams, 1935

- Romance Languages
- Music
- Art
- English

### Box 1

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- Committee on Comparative Studies in Literature and the Arts
- Art
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- Committee on Comparative Studies in Literature and the Arts
- History of Culture

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- Greek
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- German
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- Romance Languages