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Title: Leipzig Jewish Community records, 1933-1945.

Extent: 43 microfilm reels

Provenance: From various sources, these materials have been held at the Leipzig Jewish Community since at least 1945. Some materials were found on the premises in early 1990.

Restrictions on Access: No restrictions on access.

Restrictions on Use: No restrictions on use.

Organization and Arrangement: Arrangement is thematic.

Language: German

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Scope and Content: This collection contains documents pertaining to Jews leaving and joining the Leipzig community, documentation concerning Jewish-owned property and foundations, census figures, publications of laws, personal papers, questionnaires filled out by Jews seeking to emigrate, deportation lists, lists of deaths and weddings, documents pertaining to the RJD der Juden in Deutschland, real estate documentation, captured documents of the Saxony Gauleitung, missing person reports, deportation lists, general correspondence of the community, questionnaires for survivors, documents pertaining to reparations and recovery of property.

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Budget and administration – reports to the Reichsvereinigung der Juden in Deutschland [RJD], 1939-1940
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Deportation lists, Theresienstadt/Auschwitz, 17 February 1943

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Deportation lists, Theresienstadt, 14 February 1945

Auditor's report on the activities of the administration and district offices of the Leipzig Reichsverinigung, May 1942

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Aryanization of the Tobacco/Dye Shop Fritz Alexander, Leipzig, 1939

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Statistics of the RJD, November 1942

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¹ *Heimeinkaufsverträge* were contracts that purported to provide for the care of elderly Jews moved to Theresienstadt.

- So-called real estate purchase agreements, Vol. 17, Registry of names corresponding to contract number, 1942-1943
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- So-called real estate purchase agreements, Vol. 25, Registry of names corresponding to contract number, 1942-1943
- So-called real estate purchase agreements, Vol. 26, Registry of names corresponding to contract number, 1942-1943
- So-called real estate purchase agreements, Vol. 27, Cash purchases, alphabetical list of names, 1942-1943
- So-called real estate purchase agreements, Vol. 28, List of names with wealth evaluations, 1942-1943
- So-called real estate purchase agreements, Vol. 30, General information, 1942-1943 Documents, 1933-1939

Papers from other sources:

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Leipzig Gestapo Office, Emigration cards, 1932-1938 Racial-political Office of the NSDAP Gauleitung for Saxony in Dresden A-E, 1937-1944

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Racial-political Office of the NSDAP Gauleitung for Saxony in Dresden F-H, 1937-1944 Racial-political Office of the NSDAP Gauleitung for Saxony in Dresden J-L, 1937-1944

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Racial-political Office of the NSDAP Gauleitung for Saxony in Dresden M-R, 1937-1944 Racial-political Office of the NSDAP Gauleitung for Saxony in Dresden S-Z, 1937-1944

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Racial-political Office of the NSDAP Gau Saxony, 1934-1944 Racial-political Office of the NSDAP Regional Directorate Leipzig, 1937

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Correspondence with the community branch of the ODF (Opfer des Faschismus) and VVN (Vereinigung der Verfolgten des Naziregimes) organizations, 1947-1950 Reparations, 1945-1946

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Damage claims, A-Z, State Association of Jewish Communities in the Soviet Occupied Zone, 1939-1942; 1946-1948

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Questionnaires for former concentration camp prisoners, A-W, undated Requests for compensation for repression suffered under the Nazi regime, 1945 Reparations, 1945-1946
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Correspondence with the OBM and the Leipzig Chief of Police, 1945
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