

# **MacDowell Colony**

**A Register of Its Records in the Library of Congress**

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## Collection Summary

**Title:** Records of the MacDowell Colony, Peterborough, N.H.

**Span Dates:** 1869-1970

**Bulk Dates:** (bulk 1945-1968)

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**Abstract:** The MacDowell Colony was founded as an artist colony in 1908 by Marian MacDowell who dedicated it as a memorial to her husband, American composer Edward MacDowell (1860-1908). The bulk of the records reflect the operational and administrative functions of the colony and its parent organization, the Edward MacDowell Association, and consist of correspondence, applications for admission, minutes of meetings, reports, legal and financial papers, and miscellany.

## Selected Search Terms

The following terms have been used to index the description of this collection in the Library's online catalog. They are grouped by name of person or organization, by subject or location, and by occupation and listed alphabetically therein.

### Names:

MacDowell Colony (Peterborough, N.H.)

Allen, Hervey, 1889-1949

Brodeur, Marie

Calder, Alexander, 1898-1976

Colum, Mary

Colum, Padraic, 1881-1972

Copland, Aaron, 1900-

Fillmore, Louise Dutton

Fillmore, Parker, 1878-1944

Frankel, Max, 1914-

Gross, Chaim, 1904-

Hagedorn, Hermann, 1882-1964

Hale, Thomas Shaw

Heyward, DuBose, 1885-1940

Isaacs, Lewis Montefiore, 1877-1944

Kendall, George M.

MacDowell, Edward, 1860-1908

MacDowell, Marian, 1857-1956

Moore, Marianne, 1887-1972

Olsen, Tillie

Robinson, Edwin Arlington, 1869-1935

Studin, Charles H.

Sweeney, James Johnson, 1900-

Talma, Louise, 1906-

Untermeyer, Jean Starr, 1886-1970

Wilder, Thornton, 1897-1975

Edward MacDowell Association. Records of the Edward MacDowell Association

### Subjects:

Artist colonies--New Hampshire--Peterborough

Artists

Authors

Musicians

## Administrative Information

### Provenance:

The records of the MacDowell Colony were presented to the Library of Congress as a gift by the Colony's parent organization, the Edward MacDowell Association, in 1969. Further supplements were added by the association and others, 1970-1973.

### Processing History:

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## Scope and Content Note

The records of the MacDowell Colony span the period 1869-1970, with most of the material dated 1945-1968. The MacDowell Colony was founded as an arts colony in 1908 by Marian MacDowell who dedicated it as a memorial to her husband, American composer Edward MacDowell (1860-1908). The bulk of the records reflect the operational and administrative functions of the colony and its parent organization, the Edward MacDowell Association, and consist of correspondence, applications for admission, [minutes of meetings](#), reports, legal and financial papers, and miscellany.

Although the Edward MacDowell Association was established to supervise and maintain the Colony, Marian MacDowell preferred to direct the colony herself and remained the principal administrator and fund-raiser for over forty years. Her correspondence is located in the [Personal Correspondence](#) series.

The correspondence of association members is arranged in the [Correspondence](#) subseries under [Administrative Papers](#). The files include the directors' correspondence and memoranda exchanged between fellow directors and the general public and reflect the degree of personal influence and operational control exercised by the officers of the association over the colony. Until 1946 this control was more symbolic than real as Marian MacDowell managed all aspects of the colony's operation. The period from 1946 to 1956 was a time of transition as administrative responsibilities were passed from MacDowell to the association's board of directors, and a general director was appointed to supervise the daily operations of the colony itself. Association officers whose files are of particular importance include Marie Brodeur (general director), Aaron Copland (president), Parker and Louise Dutton Fillmore (general directors), Thomas Shaw Hale (treasurer), Lewis Montefiore Isaacs

(treasurer), George M. Kendall (general director), James Johnson Sweeney (president), and Charles H. Studin (secretary). Correspondents include Hervey Allen, Alexander Calder, Padraic and Mary Colum, Max Frankel, Chaim Gross, DuBose Heyward, Marianne Craig Moore, Tillie Olsen, Louise Talma, Jean Starr Untermeyer, and Thornton Wilder.

The operations of the MacDowell Colony were directed through a series of committees, each chaired by an association director. The records of these committees are filed in the [Committees](#) subseries. The responsibility of selecting the colonists to be admitted for each colony session was delegated to special subcommittees under the aegis of the Admissions Committee which approved the final selections and sent out invitations to those chosen. The records of the Admissions Committee, in conjunction with the records in the [Admission Applications](#) subseries, provide a record of admission policies and selection procedures employed by the colony. The names of those selected to attend the colony include many of America's eminent writers, composers, and artists, and the admission applications, along with the admission committee's files and the colony's register and residents' book, supply a thorough listing of former colonists.

Marian MacDowell promoted funding for the colony during the early years of its existence through a series of piano recitals and personal appeals. The scope of funding activities and the attendant problems of accounting and financial management are detailed in the [Financial Papers](#) and [Legal File](#) subseries. Private donors named the colony as beneficiary in wills and testaments and granted continuing endowments through bequests. Material relevant to these bequests are listed in headings under the [Legal File](#). Material documenting fund-raising activities, including the ambitious endowment drive of 1937, is located among the [Financial Papers](#), as are accounting and financial reports. The latter material provides a breakdown of the colony's financial position, concentrating on the period after 1946 when the association assumed full fiscal responsibility. The [Miscellany](#) series contains booklets published for the Peterborough Pageants (1910-14), the colony's first major publicity event and fund-raising success.

Affiliations with music clubs and associations had always been important to the colony. Since 1919, when the National Federation of Music Clubs asked to hold its biennial meeting at Peterborough, the colony cultivated contacts with both local and national organizations, as well as unifying the network of MacDowell Clubs that exist throughout the country. The [Office File Miscellany](#) subseries includes headings pertaining to these club affiliations.

Also of interest is a group of letters written by Parker Fillmore to Hermann Hagedorn dated from 1936 to 1938 and arranged in the [Miscellany](#) series. These are unusually full and informative reminiscences about Edwin Arlington Robinson, longtime resident and friend of the colony. The letters were written to aid in a biography of Robinson that Hagedorn was working on at the time.

There are few items in the collection that relate to Edward MacDowell. The [Miscellany](#) series includes an appointment calendar, 1884, and some biographical notes. In addition to the [Personal Correspondence](#) series, Marian MacDowell is also represented in the [Miscellany](#) series which includes her speeches and writings.

## Organization of the Papers

The collection is arranged in five series:

- [Personal Correspondence, 1896-1958, n.d.](#)
- [Administrative Papers, 1907-1970, n.d.](#)
- [Scrapbooks, 1869-1958, n.d.](#)
- [Miscellany, 1884-1967, n.d.](#)
- [Oversize, 1869-1962](#)

## Description of Series

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BOX 1-5

**Personal Correspondence, 1896-1958, n.d.**

Letters received and copies of letters sent by Marian N. MacDowell. Also includes correspondence between persons other than Marian MacDowell or MacDowell Colony administrators.

Arranged chronologically.

BOX 5-73

**Administrative Papers, 1907-1970, n.d.**

BOX 5-29

**Admission Applications, 1946-1968, n.d.**

Case files containing correspondence, application forms for admission to the MacDowell Colony, printed matter, and résumés.

Arranged alphabetically by applicant with the exception of applications and request for applications with no accompanying documents necessitating a case file that are placed at the end of the subseries.

BOX 30-37

**Committees, 1924-1969, n.d.**

Correspondence, memoranda, admission invitations, reports, minutes of meetings, printed matter, and work sheets relating to the functions of the MacDowell Colony's various committees.

Arranged alphabetically by committee.

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**Correspondence, 1917-1970, n.d.**

Correspondence, memoranda, telegrams, printed matter, and miscellaneous items comprising administrative files.

Arranged alphabetically by officer and chronologically therein.

BOX 50-56

**Financial Papers, 1936-1969, n.d.**

Correspondence, accounting statements, reports, and printed matter concerning financial contributions and other fund-raising activities as well as the general financial situation of the colony. Container 56 is **restricted** until 1999.

Arranged alphabetically by subject.

BOX 57-61

**Legal File, 1907-1969, n.d.**

Correspondence, copyright renewals, wills, testaments, deeds, contracts, and other judicial documents relating mostly to bequests left to the MacDowell Colony by donor estates.

Arranged alphabetically by subject.

BOX 61-68

**Minutes of Meetings, 1907-1965**

Minutes, correspondence, memoranda, agenda, reports, and other items pertaining to meetings of the MacDowell Colony's corporate members and board of directors, in bound and unbound form, the former containing minutes of meetings of both corporate and board members.

Arranged by type of material and chronologically thereunder.

BOX 69-73

**Office File Miscellany, 1911-1968, n.d.**

Correspondence, memoranda, annual reports, printed matter, minutes of meetings, and miscellaneous items.

Arranged alphabetically by subject.

**BOX 74-77**

**Scrapbooks, 1869-1958, n.d.**

Clippings, printed matter, photographs, and correspondence.  
Arranged chronologically.

**BOX 77-81**

**Miscellany, 1884-1967, n.d.**

Correspondence, printed matter, speeches and writings by Marian MacDowell and others, awards,  
and an appointment calendar (1884) kept by Edward MacDowell.  
Arranged alphabetically by type of material.

**BOX OV 1-3**

**Oversize, 1869-1962**

Oversize scrapbooks.  
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BOX 17	Lacy-Lewis (47 folders)
BOX 18	Lewis-Mackay (42 folders)
BOX 19	MacKendrick-Meixner (43 folders)
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BOX 23	Robbins-Sandor (40 folders)
BOX 24	Sapios-Shapiro (43 folders)
BOX 25	Sharp-Stillman (52 folders)
BOX 26	Stine-Vallee (47 folders)
BOX 27	Van Buren-Wasser (32 folders)
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BOX 29	Wylie-Zogbaum (19 folders)
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Correspondence, memoranda, annual reports, printed matter, minutes of meetings, and miscellaneous items.

Arranged alphabetically by subject.

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**Miscellany, 1884-1967, n.d.**

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