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### **IDENTITY STATEMENT**

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Anglo-Austrian Society and Anglo-Austrian Music Society Archive 1914, 1940-2015 fonds 56 boxes (of which 4 are oversize) Anglo-Austrian Society and Anglo-Austrian Music Society

### **Archival History:**

This archive forms one of the Exile Studies collections acquired through the Research Centre for German and Austrian Exile Studies at the Institute for Modern Languages Research. The first deposit of around 30 boxes came from the Anglo-Austrian Society in 2006 via the Wiener Library with the help of Professor Charmian Brinson of the Research Centre for German and Austrian Exile Studies. Further deposits were made in 2009 and 2016.

### CONTEXT

### **Biographical/Administrative History:**

The Anglo-Austrian Society (until 1947 the Anglo-Austrian Democratic Society) was founded in 1944 by refugees from Nazi-occupied Austria who wanted to 'spread understanding of the importance of Austrian democracy for peace and progress', and to promote closer contact between British and Austrian democrats.

The focus of its initial work at the end of the Second World War was to provide relief to Austrians in general and to Austrian children in particular. In the post-war period the Society's worked to promote cross-cultural links between the people of the United Kingdom and Austria by developing the knowledge of the British people about Austria, its people and culture, with the participation of Austrians resident in Britain. The Society was partly subsidised by the Austrian governments, and for some years after the War it was the main body to represent and promote Austrian culture in the UK. The Society is [in 2019] still active, running events for members and providing financial support through the Otto Harpner Fund for researchers from the UK wishing to travel to Austria. The Anglo-Austrian Music Society was founded in London in the autumn of 1942 by a small group of Austrian refugee musicians and a few English friends led by Austrian refugee musician Ferdinand Rauter - initially as a means of surviving in exile, but also to promote the appreciation and understanding of Austrian music in Britain. They gave concerts throughout the war, and increasingly involved British musicians and British music. In 1946 the administration was merged with that of the Anglo-Austrian Society with Otto Harpner as Secretary of both societies, and visits to Britain by Austrian artists began. The Vienna State Opera came to Covent Garden in 1947, and the Vienna Philharmonic Orchestra first played in London for the Society in 1948. The Vienna Boys Choir visited almost every year from 1950 to 2000, and the Society commissioned Benjamin Britten to write the opera The Golden Vanity for the Choir. Harpner died in 1959 and his position as Secretary was taken by Walter Foster.

Over the years the Anglo-Austrian Music Society has sponsored appearances by many famous artists including Elisabeth Schumann, Kathleen Ferrier, Richard Tauber, Bruno Walter, Clemens Kraus, Myra Hess, Josef Krips, Benjamin Britten and Peter Pears. There have been many concerts and debut recitals by young Austrian musicians - starting in 1949 with the young Friedrich Gulda and continuing through the years with Paul Badura-Skoda, Joerg Demus, Ingrid Haebler, Irmgard Seefried, Wolfgang Schneiderhan, Heinz Medjimorec, Heinrich Schiff, the Alban Berg Quartet, The Haydn Trio, Edita Gruberova, Ernst Kovacic, Thomas Riebl and Stefan Vladar amongst many others

### CONTENT

### Scope and Content:

This archive contains the records of the Anglo-Austrian Society and Anglo-Austrian Music Society and their subsidiary bodies, the Anglo-Austrian Concert Agency Limited, Austrian Travel Ltd and Anglo-Austrian Tour Agency Ltd. The records include committee minutes, memoranda, correspondence, financial records, photographic material, newsletters and one-off publications by the AAS and AAMS, and other forms of publicity material such as leaflets and flyers.

Although the Anglo-Austrian Society and the Anglo-Austrian Music Society started out as separate bodies (and indeed, remained so until at least the point at which the archive was catalogued in 2019), for much of their history they were run from the same administrative office and by the same staff, and the records of their activities were, to some extent, merged into the same filing system. Some record series therefore consist of records relating to both societies, while others relate to one or the other of the societies alone.

The record series comprising records of both (and in some cases also the subsidiary) Anglo-Austrian bodies are: AAS/1, which contains records relating to the constitution and structure of the Anglo-Austrian group of organisations, including Memoranda and Articles of Association and related correspondence,

particularly in relation to the incorporation of the AAS in 1958; AAS/4, containing annual reports and activities reports of the Anglo-Austrian and Anglo-Austrian Music Societies, some written by the Secretariat for the AAS Executive Committee, some by the Executive Committee for the AGM or the wider public; AAS/5, which contains both societies' accounts and other financial records; AAS/6, containing copies of annual returns for the Register of Director; AAS/15, which contains publicity material for the full range of activities carried out by the AAS and AAMS, from lectures to concerts to language courses; and finally, AAS/17, which contains direct mail communications such as newsletters.

The series relating to the internal mechanisms of solely the Anglo-Austrian Society and its sub-committees are: AAS/2 (minutes) and AAS/3 (correspondence), and the record series relating to activities primarily carried out by the Anglo-Austrian Society are: AAS/11 (Austrian Children Reception Committee and Children's Holiday Committee records); AAS/13 (the Spanish Riding School); AAS/14 (Special events and trips). Records of subventions by the Austrian government are in AAS/16 and records of property are in AAS/18. These are mentioned here because the AAS was the dominant organisation (the legal recipient of the subsidies and owner of the property), although it should be noted that AAMS made a substantial contribution to all costs.

The minutes and reports, correspondence and accounts of the Anglo-Austrian Music Society is AAS/7. There are unfortunately very few items of correspondence dating from approximately the first 20 years of the AAMS's existence, and the main source of information about the early history of the AAMS is the Executive Committee minutes in AAS/7/2. The records of concerts and tours organised by the AAMS (in some cases jointly organised with the AAS) are in AAS/12, with sub-series AAS/12/16 containing correspondence, contracts and publicity material relating to the tours by the Vienna Boys' Choir from 1950.

### ACCESS AND USE

### Language of Scripts:

English, German

### System of Arrangement:

AAS/1 Constitution and structure of the Anglo-Austrian Society, Anglo-Austrian Music Society and subsidiary bodies

AAS/2 Minutes of the Anglo-Austrian Society Executive Committee, subcommittees and AGM

AAS/3 Anglo-Austrian Society correspondence and related administrative records

AAS/4 Anglo-Austrian Society and Anglo-Austrian Music Society annual and activities reports (internal and public)

AAS/5 Accounts and other financial records of the Anglo-Austrian Society, the Anglo-Austrian Music Society and subsidiary societies

AAS/6 Anglo-Austrian Society and Anglo-Austrian Music Society Register of Directors annual returns

AAS/7 Minutes and reports, correspondence and accounts of the Anglo-Austrian Music Society

AAS/8 Anglo-Austrian Concert Agency Register of members, Director's meeting minutes and annual accounts.

AAS/9 Anglo-Austrian Tourist Agency Register of members, Director's meeting minutes and annual accounts.

AAS/10 Austria Travel Limited Register of members, Director's meeting minutes and annual accounts.

AAS/11 Austrian Children Reception Committee and Children's Holiday Committee records

AAS/12 Anglo-Austrian Music Society Concerts and musical tours, including VBC

AAS/13 Spanish Riding School records

AAS/14 Special events and trips

AAS/15 Publicity material for all Anglo-Austrian Society and Anglo-Austrian Music Society activities

AAS/16 Subventions

AAS/17 Communications with members and direct mailings

AAS/18 Property

AAS/19 Partner organisations

AAS/20 Staffing

AAS/21 Records relating to Austrian political controversies over Kurt Waldheim and Walter Reder

AAS/22 Miscellaneous

### **Conditions of Access:**

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AAS/1	Constitution and structure of the Anglo-Austrian Society, Anglo-Austrian Music Society and subsidiary bodies Memoranda and Articles of Association of the AAS, AAMS and subsidiary bodies, correspondence relating to the incorporation of the AAS in 1958	1945-1989
	1 box	
AAS/1/1	<b>Memorandum and Articles of Association</b> AAS Memorandum and Articles of Association (1958) and AAMS Memorandum and Articles of Association (1945). There is a corrected and annotated version of the AAMS Memorandum and Articles of Association in AAS/1/4. Previously in AAS/2016/Box 10.	1945-1958
	1 folder	
AAS/1/2	<b>Constitution drafts and incorporation,</b> <b>correspondence</b> Papers concerning the application to and decision by Board of Trade to consent to the incorporation of the AAS and its registration as a Limited Company whilst also not requiring the AAS to use the word 'Limited' in its printed matter or publicity. Includes multiple drafts of the AAS constitution, Memorandum and Articles of Association. Also includes records of the Board of Trade's agreement that the Anglo-Austrian Travel Agency could be a subsidiary of the AAMS. This change in the status of the AAS and its subsidiary bodies took place under the leadership of AAS Secretary Otto Harpner. Previously in AAS/2006/Box 2.	1953-1958
	1 folder	
AAS/1/3	Papers relating to the incorporation of the AAS in 1958	1956-1958, 1968-1972, 1982, 1989
	Includes two copies of the finalised printed Memorandum and Articles of Association of the AAS (1958); a bundle of papers relating to AAS incorporation 1957-1958, including a copy of the constitution of the unincorporated pre-1958 Society; a bundle of papers for/by David Renton MP [a member of the AAS Executive Committee] and Robert Gold [accountant to the AAS] relating to the structure of the AAS and its subsidiaries, dated 1968; a bundle of papers marked 'Translations of AAS Articles of	

Association and Balance sheet to 31 March 1972' by D[?] Veronika Schmidt; and a list of AAS committees and members and staff (1 November 1971). Previously in AAS/2009/Box 4.

1 folder

### AAS/1/4 Articles of Association of the AAS, AAMS and 1945-1981 subsidiary bodies

Articles of Association of the Anglo-Austrian Music Society (1945), the Anglo-Austrian Society (1958), the Anglo-Austrian Concert Agency (2 copies, 1951), the Anglo-Austrian Tourist Agency (1958) and Austria Travel Limited (1985). The Articles of Association of the AAMS are an edited and annotated version of those in AAS/1/1. Previously in AAMS/2016/Box 4.

1944-2002

1 folder

### AAS/2 Minutes of the Anglo-Austrian Society Executive Committee, sub-committees and AGM

In addition to the Anglo-Austrian Society AGM minutes, this series contains the minutes of the Executive Committee of the Anglo-Austrian Democratic Society and Anglo-Austrian Society, the Planning and Organising [Sub-]Committee, the Finance [Sub-Committee, the Aid to Austria Committee, the Austro-British Society, and the Anglo-Austrian Transitional Committee. The minutes of the Anglo-Austrian Music Society can be found in AAS/7; the minutes of Anglo-Austrian Tourist Agency are in AAS/9; the minutes of the Anglo-Austrian Concert Agency are in AAS/8; and the minutes of Austria Travel Ltd can be found in AAS/10. The minutes of the Austrian Children Reception Committee and Children's Sub-Committee can be found in AAS/11. There are some minutes of the Entertainment Committee in AAS/4/1.

22 folders

### AAS/2/1 Anglo-Austrian Society Executive Committee and 1944-2002 AGM minutes

For the 42nd AGM 11 July and 107th Executive Committee minutes of 11 July 2000 (minutes); the EGM agenda of 23 October 2000 and the Executive Committee agenda and minutes of 17 January 2001, see AAS/2/2/1.

12 folders (1 box)

AAS/2/1/1 Anglo-Austrian Democratic Society/Anglo-1944 July-Austrian Society Executive Committee and 1956 **Annual General Meetings minutes** December -Minutes of the Provisional Executive Committee meeting 20 July 1944 -Minutes of the Anglo-Austrian Democratic Society **Executive Committee meetings** -1 February 1945 -9 April 1946 -11 July 1946 -22 July 1946 -13 August 1946 -9 October 1946 -9 December 1946 -18 December 1946 -12 December 1946 -5 February 1947 Minutes of the Anglo-Austrian Society Executive Committee meetings -5 March 1947 -19 March 1947 -1 April 1947 -21 May [1947?] -17 July [1947?] -13 November 1947 -25 November 1948 -21 July 1948 -1 March 1949 -5 April 1949 -6 July 1949 -12 October 1949 -19 October 1949 -4 July 1950 -25 July 1950 -14 November 1950 -[?] March 1951 - December 1951 -28 October 1952 -9 December 1952 -24 March 1953 -28 October 1953 -15 December 1953 -9 February 1954 -30 March 1954 -27 July 1954 -16 November 1954 -26 July 1955 -14 December 1955 -6 November 1956 -18 December 1957

Also contains papers relating to the following the Annual General Meetings of the AADS/AAS -AADS Honorary Secretary's Report to the Annual General Meeting [1945] -20 December 1945 -19 February 1947 (with agenda) -12 October 1949 -18 December 1950 (with a printed flyer/invitation for the meeting) -15 December 1952 (for 1951) -30 March 1954 (for 1952) -14 December 1956 (for 1953) -11 December 1956 (for 1955)

Previously in AAS 2006/Box 17.

1 file

AAS/2/1/2	Anglo-Austrian Society Executive Committee and Annual General meeting minutes	1958 April- 1977 May
	Minutes of the 1st to 46th Executive Committee	
	meetings from 23 April 1958 to 23 May 1977, and	
	AGMS. Mostly unsigned. Also minutes of the 1st (9	
	February 1960) to 18th (8 March 1977) AGMs.	
	Minutes of ECMs and AGMs were numbered from 23	
	April 1958 and 9 February 1960, following the	
	incorporation of the AAS as a company limited by	
	guarantee in March 1958. Previously in	
	AAS/2006/Box 17.	
	1 folder	

### AAS/2/1/3 Anglo-Austrian Society Executive Committee and 1977 May-Annual General meeting minutes 1986 November

Minutes of 47th to 68th meetings of the Executive Committee of the AAS and 19th to 27th AGMs from 19 March 1978 to 30 October 1985. Agenda only in some cases. Mostly unsigned. Previously in AAS/2006/Box 17.

1 folder

AAS/2/1/4 Anglo-Austrian Society Executive Committee 1987 Junemeeting minutes and papers July Agenda, minutes and related papers the 70th meeting of the Executive Committee of the AAS held on 8 July 1987. Previously in AAS2006/Box 27.

AAS/2/1/5	Anglo-Austrian Society Executive Committee and Extraordinary General meeting minutes Minutes of 71st meeting of the Executive Committee and papers of the Extraordinary General meeting of the AAS held on 27 July 1987. Unsigned. Previously in AAS/2006/Box 27.	1987 July
	1 folder	
AAS/2/1/6	Anglo-Austrian Society Executive Committee and Annual General Meeting minutes and papers Agenda, minutes and related papers of 69th meeting of the Executive Committee and the 29th AGM of the AAS, both held on 6 April 1987. Previously in AAS/2006/Box 27.	1986-1987 April
	1 folder	
AAS/2/1/7	Anglo-Austrian Society Executive Committee and Annual General minutes papers for March 1988 Agenda, minutes and related papers of 72nd meeting of the Executive Committee and the 30th AGM of the AAS, both held on 7 March 1988. Previously in AAS/2006/Box 27.	1987-1988 March
	1 folder	
AAS/2/1/8	Anglo-Austrian Society Executive Committee for 14 December 1988 minutes and papers Agenda, minutes and related papers of 73rd meeting of the Executive Committee. Previously in AAS/2006/Box 27.	1987-1988 December
	1 folder	
AAS/2/1/9	Anglo-Austrian Society Executive Committee and Annual General Meeting minutes and papers Agenda, minutes and related papers of 74th meeting of the Executive Committee and and agenda and related papers of the 31st AGM of the AAS, both held on 1 March 1989. No minutes of the AGM. Previously in 2006/27.	1988-1989 March
	1 folder	
AAS/2/1/10	Anglo-Austrian Society Executive Committee meeting agenda and related papers	1989 October- December

Agenda and related papers of 75th meeting of the Executive Committee held on 13 December 1989. No minutes. Previously in AAS/2006/Box 27.

AAS/2/1/11	Anglo-Austrian Society 40th AGM agenda, minutes and related papers and Executive Committee meeting minutes Agenda and related papers of 75th meeting of the Executive Committee held on 13 December 1989 and minutes of the EC meeting July 1999. Previously in AAS/2016/Box 9.	1998 June- 1999 July
AAS/2/1/12	Anglo-Austrian Society 44th AGM agenda, minutes and related papers Agenda and related papers of 75th meeting of the Executive Committee held on 13 December 1989 and minutes of the EC meeting July 1999. Previously in AAS/2016/Box 9.	2002 October
	1 folder nglo-Austrian Society Transitional Committee nutes and related papers	2000-2002
3 f	olders	
4 4 5 6 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7	Anglo-Austrian Society Executive Committee, AGM, EGM and Transitional Committee meeting agendas and minutes Agenda, minutes (some in draft form) and notes from he following meetings 42nd AGM 11 July and 107th EC 11 July 2000 (minutes); Transitional Committee 17 July [2000] (minutes); Transitional Committee 30 August [2000] (agenda and minutes); Transitional Committee 28 September [2000] (minutes); EGM 23 October 2000 (agenda) Transitional Committee 1 November 2000 (minutes); Transitional Committee 5 December 2000 (minutes) and EC 17 January 2001 (agenda and draft minutes). Previously in AAS/2016/Box 11.	2000-2001

AAS/2/2/2	Anglo-Austrian Society Transitional Committee minutes and related papers Previously in AAS/2016/Box10. 1 folder	2001 October
AAS/2/2/3	<b>Anglo-Austrian Society Transitional Committee minutes and related papers</b> Previously in AAS/2016/Box11. 1 folder	2002 May- June
AAS/2/3 A	nglo-Austrian Society Finance Committee papers	1959-1989
4	folders	
AAS/2/3/1	AAS Finance Committee minutes Minutes of the meetings of the AAS Finance Sub- Committee held on -16 December 1959 -20 January 1975 (no minutes but a memorandum of decisions taken at the meeting) -4 July 1979 -28 January 1980 -14 July 1981 -10 November 1982 -25 January 1984 -1 August 1984 -26 February 1987 There is a small number of related items of correspondence (1984-1986). Previously in AAS 2006/Box 17.	1959-1987
AAS/2/3/2	AAS Finance Committee minutes and related papers for meeting 3 November 1988	1988 October- November

1 folder

AAS/2/3/3	AAS Finance Committee minutes and related	1989
	papers for meeting 7 February 1989	February

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AAS/2/3/4 AAS Finance Committee minutes and related 1989 papers for meetings 6 October 1989 and 6 October December 1989

1 folder

1946-1951 AAS/2/4 Anglo-Austrian Society Planning and **Organisational [Sub-]Committee minutes** Typed minutes of meetings of the AAS / AADS Organising and Planning Committee. Minutes refer to activities including (but not limited to): lectures, the AADS/AAS youth group and in particular their organisation of 'Krampus' celebrations, dances, concerts by the Vienna Boys Choir, the 'Blue Danube Scheme' [recruitment of women from Austria for work in the textile industry and nursing], an art [books?] exhibition, a drama exchange between University of London students and university students in Austria, a language group, the German languages collections at Buckingham Palace Road public library, a poetry evening (to include Eric Fried and Fritz Lampl) and excursions to various locations. Minutes are for the following meeting: -19 December 1946 -9 January 1947 -18 July 1947 -6 August 1947 -24 November [1947?] -17 December [1947?] -12 January 1948 -11 February 1948 -3 March 1948 -22 July [1948] -13 October 1948

-27 October 1948 -11 November 1948 -6 December 1948 -3 January 1949 -28 March 1949 -26 April 1949 -23 [May?] 1949 -17 October 1949 -14 November 1949 -14 December 1949 -18 January 1950 -1 March 1950 -13 April 1950 -24 April 1950 -8 May [1950] -31 May 1950 -15 June 1950 -17 July 1950 -26 July 1950 -6 September 1950 -4 October 1950 -13 November [1950?] -15 January 1951 (handwritten) -21 March [1951?] -10 May [1951?] -22 May [1951?] -20 September [1951?] Previously in AAS/2006/Box 17.

1 folder

# AAS/2/5 Austro-British Society, Vienna Foundation & 1945-1947 Executive Committee minutes Minutes of a meeting concerning the foundation of an Austro-British Society in Vienna, chaired by T.L. Horabin, 28 November 1945; minutes of the meeting of the Central Executive Committee of the Austro-British Society, chaired by Dr O. Pollak, 15 April 1947. Previously in AAS/2006/Box 17. 1 folder

AAS/2/6Aid to Austria Appeal Committee minutes1946 JulyAgenda and minutes. Previously loose in AAS/2006<br/>boxes.1946 July

# AAS/3 Anglo-Austrian Society correspondence and related administrative records

For correspondence about the constitution of the AAS, see AAS/1. For correspondence about subventions, see AAS/16. For correspondence with members over Austrian political controversies in the 1980s see AAS/21.

4 boxes

### AAS/3/1 AAS Secretary's correspondence

Correspondence, memoranda and related papers of the Executive Committee of the Anglo-Austrian Democratic Society and Anglo-Austrian Society. Subjects include relief work for Austria and the Aid to Austria Appeal Committee, and cooperation with the organisation 'Save Europe Now'; the Anglo-Austrian Economic Council and the idea of a visit to Britain by the Vienna Philharmonic Orchestra; and plans for exchange projects in the fields of music, exhibitions, lectures and literature, as well as Austrian schoolchildren's visits to the UK and university exchange schemes. There are also letters concerning a scheme for Austrian domestic workers in the UK. In addition to the correspondence and memoranda, there is also a set of minutes of the Aid to Austrian Appeal Committee from 14 May 1946; a document entitled Report on the Work on Austrian Relief Committee September 1945 to March 1946, published by the Austrian Relief Committee; a Report of Activities by the Austro-British Society (Österreichisch-Britische Gesellschaft) for June-December 1946, and a letter from the Free Austrian Movement in Great Britain (FAM) dated 2 February 1946. Previously in AAS/2006/Box 15, File 1 of 2 labelled 'Important Archives 1945-1947'. For File 2 of 2 see AAS 3/2.

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### AAS/3/2 AAS Secretary's correspondence

Correspondence, memoranda and related papers of the Executive Committee of the Anglo-Austrian Democratic Society and Anglo-Austrian Society. Subjects include relief work for Austria and the Aid to Austria Appeal Committee, and cooperation with the organisation 'Save Europe Now'; the Anglo-Austrian Economic Council and the idea of a visit to Britain by the Vienna Philharmonic Orchestra; and plans for various cultural exchange projects in the fields of 1945-1946

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music, exhibitions, lectures and literature, as well as Austrian schoolchildren's visits to the UK and university exchange schemes. There is also a copy of a draft constitution of the AAS dated 19 February 1947, together with a set of amendments to the Constitution proposed by the Executive Committee; correspondence with the Österreichisch-Britische Gesellschaft; and letters concerning the financial position and office space for the Society. Previously in AAS/2006/Box 15 File 2 of 2 labelled 'Important Archives 1945-1947'. File 1 is now AAS 3/1.

1 folder

### AAS/3/3 AAS Secretary's correspondence with AAS Executive Committee members

1946-1962

Contains 1) letters to Otto Harpner responding to his invitation to become or continue to be a supporter of the AAS from various, including Sir Walford Selby, the Earl of Selborne; Violet Bonham-Carter; P[hil] Piratin [MP]; Conrad Boncina) and Professor Gilbert Murray, O.M. (1947); and 2) letters between Otto Harpner and members of the AAS Executive Board, covering, amongst other subjects, the 1958 incorporation of the AAS. One of the main correspondents is John Hynd, MP, AAS Chair in the 1950s, from whom there is also a typed report of a visit to Vienna in May/June 1955. There are also reports written by Otto Harpner for John Hynd, including one covering his visit to Vienna (dated November 1955). The correspondence covers the period up to and beyond Otto Harpner's death in 1959, and the most frequently discussed subject concerns the changes to the membership of the Executive Committee. Previously in AAS/2006/Box 28.

1 file

# AAS/3/4 AAS Secretary's correspondence and related papers

Subjects include: the 1948 London Olympics; the donation to the Children's Relief Committee by the Lord Mayor's Appeal for Children (March-April 1948); relief work in Austrian and AAS cooperation with other relief charities; the work of the Austrian Children Reception Committee and the winding up of the Aid To Austria fund; work to support Hungarian refugees in Austrian in 1956; and the registration of the AAS as a Limited Company. The file includes a short survey of the Society's activities on behalf of British and Austrian children and young people (January 1954), and a draft 1947-1959

obituary for Otto Harpner from 1959. Previously in AAS/2006/Box 18

AAS/3/5	AAS Secretary's correspondence and related papers Mainly concerns the establishment of the Austrian Cultural Institute in London and the payment of subsidies to the AAS. File 1: with Austrian Vice Chancellor Adolf Schärf and other government officials, particularly at the Austrian Embassy in London. File 2: originally loose papers on the same subject to and from a range of government officials, including an overview of the Society's account's from 1951 to 1954 submitted to the Austrian Embassy in 1954 [by AAS Accountant Robert Gold]. Previously in AAS/2006/Box 8.	1953-1955
AAS/3/6	AAS Secretary's correspondence with Austrian foreign office officials Correspondence and related papers on AAS cultural initiatives and activities, as well as invitations to AAS events. Much of the correspondence is with Austrian officials at the Auswärtiges Amt, Franz Leitner, Karl Braunias and Alexander Auer. Includes a memorandum with background information on Austrian government ministries and their relationship to the AAS probably written by the AAS Secretary for AAS Board members visiting Vienna in May-June 1959, as well as a post-visit report. There are two lots of loose papers (Files 1 and 3) and two sub-files entitled 'Leitner nach Wien' and 'Lectures 1959/1960' (File 4). Previously in AAS/2006/Box 1.	1959-1964
	4 folders	
AAS/3/7	AAS Secretary's correspondence with the Austrian ambassador to the UK	1959 June- 1965 October
	Includes invitations to and correspondence on cultural events and meetings. Previously in AAS/2006/Box 24.	
	1 folder	
AAS/3/8	AAS Secretary's correspondence with the Austrian Cultural Institute	1962-1965, 1972-1974

Includes letters concerning a Paul Badura-Skoda concert. Previously in AAS/2006/Box 17. 1 file AAS/3/9 AAS Secretary's correspondence with accountants 1962-1990 Letters on a variety of subjects including annual accounts, pension funds and transaction methods from AAS Accountant Robert Gold (in later records, in association with Bird Luckin & Sheldrake), together with reports and deeds. Previously in AAS/2006/Box 18. 1 folder AAS/3/10 AAS Secretary's correspondence with London 1963-1968 council concerning the licensing of the AAS as a employment agency Relates to the Society's role as employment agency for Austrian au-pairs in the UK. Previously in AAS/2006/Box 5/File 11. 1 folder AAS/3/11 AAS Secretary's correspondence with the 1965 Austrian ambassador to the UK October-1973 December Includes invitations to and correspondence on cultural events and meetings. Previously in AAS/2006/Box 24. 1 folder AAS/3/12 AAS Secretary's correspondence with 1972 government departments on the opening of a new AAS office in Vienna Much of the correspondence deals with the reasons for opening the office and why the AAS had decided that they could no longer use the services of ÖKISTA (Österreichisches Komitee für Internationalen Studentenaustausch) to run their schoolchildren's holiday exchanges. Previously in AAS/2006/Box 24. 1 folder AAS/3/13 AAS Secretary's correspondence concerning 1988-1989 changes to Austrian pension rights for refugees from the Nazi era

Includes the master of a letter with advice sent to AAS members from Walter Foster. Previously in AAS/2016/Box 4.

1 folder

### AAS/3/14 AAS Secretary's correspondence with and in 1988-1990 relation to researcher Dr Adi Wimmer Correspondence with Adi Wimmer of Klagenfurt University concerning his research in c.1988 into the impressions and recollections of Austrian refugees from Nazi persecution, their experiences during and after the Anschluss, their emigration and their later attitudes towards Austria. The file also contains correspondence about the research project between AAS Secretary Walter Foster and individual AAS members who were interested in the project and/or wished to participate. Includes some of the written responses to Wimmer's research question by AAS members. Previously in AAS/2006/Box 20. 1 folder AAS/3/15 AAS Secretary's correspondence 1999-2000 File of correspondence kept by AAS Director/General Secretary Caroline Swan. Includes records relating to the financial position of the AAS. Previously in AAS/2016/Box 9. 1 folder Correspondence and related documents relating 1940-2008 AAS/3/16 to the AAS / AAMS archives and history of the

societies Originally five bundles (now 5 files) which includes the following material: File 1) correspondence on the deposit and custody of the AAS archives at the Wiener Library (1999-2006); File 2) correspondence between Walter Foster and researcher Professor Charmian Brinson who was using the AAS archive; File 3) photocopies of pre-AAS records of Otto Harpner, including photocopies of letters between Otto Harpner and Franz Rudolf Bienenfeld dated 1942 and copies of transcripts of the internment diaries of Otto Harpner, provided to Walter Foster by Otto Harpner's son, Stefan Harpner in 2005; File 4) a bundle of letters from Austrian Government officials on various subject but above all, thanking WF for sending them AAS activities reports (1967-1994); and 5) two reports on the history of the AAS by WF,

entitled 'Reminiscences of 40 Good and Busy Years', and 'A brief note on Finance and Management of the AAS 1959-1990', dated June 1991. This file also contains a photo of Friedl Scheu. Previously in AAMS/2016/Box 4/File 18.

5 folders

### AAS/3/17 AAS correspondence with researchers on the 1997-2000 history of the Society Correspondence between Walter Foster and researchers Professor Brinson of Imperial College, London and Dr Reinhard Mueller of the University of Graz. Includes a catalogue of an exhibition at Graz University Library, 'Fluchtpunkt England'. Previously in AAS/2016/Box 4. 1 folder AAS/3/18 AAS correspondence and related documents 1999-2000 Miscellaneous correspondence and related documents related to financial matters, the rights and responsibilities of full members under the AAS Constitution, and members of the public enquiring about language courses. Includes a copy of the Executive Committee's Report for the year ended 31 December 1999 showing multiple resignations of the Executive Committee members in 1999-2000, along with a list of full members at 2000. Previously in AAS/2016/Box 11. 1 folder AAS/3/19 AAS correspondence and other documents 2000-2003 relating to the future of the AAS/AAMS Includes records of the relationship between the Austrian Embassy and the AAS/AAMS at this time, as well as various reports on and proposals concerning the future of the AAS. Previously in AAS/2016/Box 10. 1 folder AAS/3/20 AAS correspondence and related documents 2000-2002 Includes correspondence with the Austrian Embassy and documents relating to the success of the rightwing Austrian Freedom Party in Austrian government elections. Previously in AAS/2016/Box 3.

AAS correspondence with the Austrian Embassy and related documents Includes a transcript of a talk given by the Austrian Ambassador to the Anglo-Austrian Parliamentary Friendship and Anglo-Austrian Society on 23 October 2001, and a copy of a questionnaire for members called 'The Way Forward'. Previously in AAS/2016/Box 12.	2001-2002
1 folder	
AAS Secretary's correspondence Small number of letters to Peter Gieler, two in response to the launch of the AAS journal Felix, and another one concerning research on the history of the Austrian Centre by Professor Charmian Brinson. Previously in AAS/2016/Box 9.	2004-2008
1 folder	
AAS Secretary's correspondence with the Austrian Artothek des Bundes Concerns paintings lent to the AAS by the Austrian Government in the 1960s. Previously in AAS/2016/Box 11.	2007-2008
1 folder	
AAS letters from members Previously in AAS/2016/Box 9.	2012
1 folder	
Anglo-Austrian Society and Anglo-Austrian Music Society annual and activities reports (internal and public) This series incorporates various forms of AAS and AAMS reports for different audiences. The majority of them are typescripts; some were written by the Secretariat for the AAS Executive Committee, some by the Executive Committee for the AGM, and others were	1946-1996
	<ul> <li>and related documents</li> <li>Includes a transcript of a talk given by the Austrian Ambassador to the Anglo-Austrian Parliamentary Friendship and Anglo-Austrian Society on 23 October 2001, and a copy of a questionnaire for members called 'The Way Forward'. Previously in AAS/2016/Box 12.</li> <li>1 folder</li> <li>AAS Secretary's correspondence</li> <li>Small number of letters to Peter Gieler, two in response to the launch of the AAS journal Felix, and another one concerning research on the history of the Austrian Centre by Professor Charmian Brinson. Previously in AAS/2016/Box 9.</li> <li>1 folder</li> <li>AAS Secretary's correspondence with the Austrian Artothek des Bundes</li> <li>Concerns paintings lent to the AAS by the Austrian Government in the 1960s. Previously in AAS/2016/Box 11.</li> <li>1 folder</li> <li>AAS letters from members</li> <li>Previously in AAS/2016/Box 9.</li> <li>1 folder</li> <li>AAS letters from members</li> <li>Previously in AAS/2016/Box 9.</li> <li>1 folder</li> <li>AAS letters from members</li> <li>Previously in AAS/2016/Box 9.</li> <li>1 folder</li> <li>AAS letters from members</li> <li>Previously in AAS/2016/Box 9.</li> <li>1 folder</li> <li>AMS letters from members</li> <li>Previously in AAS/2016/Box 9.</li> <li>1 folder</li> </ul>

also four copies of the report published to mark the AAS 25th Anniversary. Some of the material in this series is similar in function to that in AAS/17 (Communications with members), though the reports in this series tend to be more aimed at an internal audience.

17 folders (2 boxes)

### AAS/4/1 AAS and AAMS reports and memoranda 1946 - 1946-1961 1961

This file contains Anglo-Austrian Democratic Society memoranda and minutes from 1946 (Sub-file 1), and reports on activities of various kinds by the relevant AAS committees and the Anglo-Austrian Music Society from 1949/1950 to 1961 (Sub-file 2). The 1946 memoranda include those for L.J. Edwards, MP, (in English), and for Oscar Pollak (in German) covering the Vienna Society, the broadening of the AAS in the UK, cultural activities, contact with Vienna and the Philharmonic Orchestra, and Austria's international position (April 1946), with an accompanying letter from T.L. Horabin to W. Wodak; Bericht über die Taetigkeit der AADS, London 1946; memorandum by AADS Secretary concerning issue of AADS premises 25 May 1946; memorandum concerning cultural exchange between Austria and the UK (December 1946); minutes of two meetings of the Entertainment Sub-Committee on 10 May and 6 March [1946?] in Bloomsbury House with attachments including a letter from Dr O.T Harpner to the Chief Officer of the Public Control Department of London County Council Hall concerning the Aid to Austria Fund (undated); memorandum in German by Dr Oscar Pollak on the Aid to Austria Committee (undated); memorandum [by Otto Harpner?] on the suggestion by Colonel Dugdale, Public Relations Officer, British Element, Control Commission for Austria of an Austrian exhibition in London (9 August 1946); memoranda (labelled Memorandum A, B and C): A: Relief Work for Austria, B: Past and Future activities and C: Problems of Propaganda and Organisation (October 1946); and memoranda on past and future activities, including members' meetings, food parcels to Austria, problems connected with bringing nurses and domestic servants to the UK (undated) and problems of propaganda. The reports from 1949/1950 to 1961, which constitute the largest part of the file, are mainly typescripts written by the Secretariat for members of the AAS Executive

Committee and include calendars of events. Previously in AAS/2006/Box 29.

2 files

### AAS/4/2 Activities and other reports and memoranda to and 1947-1973 for the AAS Executive Committee 1947-1973 Reports and memoranda by the AAS General Secretary for members of the AAS Executive Committee and reports by the AAS Executive Committee for the Annual General Meeting. There are no reports for the years 1953 to 1963. Also includes a typescript report on the deliberations of the Sub-Committee of the AAS which met at the House of Commons on 10 November 1952 and discussed the future of the AAS as a limited, non-profit-making company, as well as a copy of the Certificate of Incorporation and duplicate licence by the Board of Trade for the AAS to be formed as a limited company (1958). Previously in AAS/2006/Box 17. 1 folder AAS/4/3 Annual Activities reports 1962-1968 1962-1968 Typescript annual activities reports [thought to be for

Typescript annual activities reports [thought to be for members of the Executive Committee]:
-1962, in German and English;
-autumn 1962-autumn 1963, in German and English;
-1964, in German and English;
-1965, in English, addressed to the members of the Executive Committee;
-1966, in English, aimed at the members of the Executive Committee;
-1967, in German and English
-1968, in English.
Previously in AAS/2006/Box 19.

1 folder

### AAS/4/4 Annual Activities reports 1969-1981

1969-1981

Typescripts of activities reports for members and the general public, signed off by Walter J. Foster Most include a calendar of events for the past year with the number of participants. One for each year from 1969 to 1981. All except in 1969 are in English, except 1969, which is in German. Previously in AAS/2006/Box 19.

AAS/4/5	AAS and AAMS Annual Reports and Information Bulletins	1946-1969
	Includes: AAS Reports for 1946-1947 and 1948-1949; and AAMS Report for 1948-1949; and joint AAS and AAMS Reports for 1966 and 1969. Previously in AAS/2006/Box 24.	
	1 folder	
AAS/4/6	AAS and AAMS Report on Activities 1983 Previously in AAS/2009/Box 4	1983
	1 folder	
AAS/4/7	AAS and AAMS Report on Activities 1984	1984
	Previously in AAS/2009/Box 4	
	1 folder	
AAS/4/8	AAS and AAMS Report on Activities 1985	1985
	Previously in AAS/2009/Box 4	
	1 folder	
AAS/4/9	AAS and AAMS Report on Activities 1986 Previously in AAS/2009/Box 4	1986
	1 folder	
AAS/4/10	AAS and AAMS Report on Activities 1987 Previously in AAS/2009/Box 4	1987
	1 folder	
AAS/4/11	AAS and AAMS Report on Activities 1988 Previously in AAS/2009/Box 4	1988
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AAS and AAMS Report on Activities 1989-90 Previously in AAS/2009/Box 4	1990
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AAS and AAMS Report on Activities 1995 Previously in AAS/2009/Box 4	1995
1 folder	
AAS and AAMS Report on Activities 1996 and related letters Previously in AAS/2009/Box 4	1996-1997
1 folder	
Austrian Society, the Anglo-Austrian Music Society and subsidiary societies The annual accounts in this series were audited by accountant Robert Gold and later by Bird Luckin Accountants. Gold audited the accounts of the AAS	1946-2000
	1 folder AAS and AAMS Report on Activities 1991 Previously in AAS/2009/Box 4 1 folder AAS and AAMS Report on Activities 1992 Previously in AAS/2009/Box 4 1 folder AAS and AAMS Report on Activities 1994 Previously in AAS/2009/Box 4 1 folder AAS and AAMS Report on Activities 1995 Previously in AAS/2009/Box 4 1 folder AAS and AAMS Report on Activities 1995 Previously in AAS/2009/Box 4 1 folder AAS and AAMS Report on Activities 1995 Previously in AAS/2009/Box 4 1 folder AAS and AAMS Report on Activities 1996 and related letters Previously in AAS/2009/Box 4 1 folder Accounts and other financial records of the Anglo- Austrian Society, the Anglo-Austrian Music Society and subsidiary societies The annual accounts in this series were audited by accountant Robert Gold and later by Bird Luckin Accountants. Gold audited the accounts of the AAS from 1 January 1947; of the AAMS Ltd as an

24 January 1945 and as a company limited by guarantee from 24 January 1945; of the wholly owned subsidiary company of the AAMS, the Anglo-Austrian Concert Agency Ltd from April 1951. Robert Gold also acted as Auditor of the Austrian Children Reception Committee from 1 January 1948 until 31 December 1951. 12 folders Anglo-Austrian Society Annual Accounts and AAS/5/1 1946-1978 Balance Sheets 1946-1978 Missing: 1948, 1957, 1958, 1961, 1965-1968. Previously in AAS/2006/Box 19. 1 folder AAS/5/2 Anglo-Austrian Society Annual Accounts and 1979-1989 **Reports 1979-1989** From 1983 onwards the Annual Accounts were produced with a Director's Report or a Report of the Executive Committee. For the year ending December 1983 there is no account but instead a report by accountant Robert Gold on travel and course income and expenditure and a set of recommendations on changes to accounting procedures. Previously in AAS/2006/Box 19. 1 folder 1947-1958 AAS/5/3 Balance sheets (all Anglo-Austrian societies) Includes accounts for the Austrian Children Reception Committee. The earliest accounts appear to be from 1947, but markers in the file suggest that it previously contained accounting records from 1944 to 1946. Includes some correspondent with the Anglo-Austrian Society's accountant Robert Gold. Previously in AAS/2006/Box 29. 1 folder 1971-1976 AAS/5/4 Balance sheets (for all Anglo-Austrian societies) Includes some correspondence with the Anglo-Austrian Society's accountant Robert Gold. Previously in AAS/2006/Box 12. 1 folder AAS/5/5 Balance sheets (for all Anglo-Austrian societies) 1974-1979 Includes some correspondence with the Anglo-Austrian Society's accountant Robert Gold. Previously in AAS/2006/Box 12.

1 folder

AAS/5/6	Balance sheets (for all Anglo-Austrian societies) Includes some correspondence with the Anglo- Austrian Society's accountant Robert Gold. Previously in AAS/2006/Box 12.	1978-1990
	1 folder	
AAS/5/7	Balance sheets (for all Anglo-Austrian societies) Sub-file 1: 1989-1992. Sub-file 2: 1993-1997. Previously in AAS/2009/Box 4.	1989-1997
	2 folders	
AAS/5/8	AAS Vienna office accounts 1975 - 1989 Annual accounts for 1975-1980, 1982-1983, 1986- 1989. Audited by the Süd-Ost Treuhand Aktiengesellschaft. Previously in AAS/2006/Box 28.	1975-1990
	1 folder	
AAS/5/9	Cash accounts W. J. Foster [AAS Secretary] Previously in AAS/2006/Box 19.	1953-1956
	1 volume	
AAS/5/10	<b>Cash accounts W. J. Foster [AAS Secretary]</b> Previously in AAS/2006/Box 19.	1957-1964
	1 volume	
AAS/5/11	Anglo-Austrian Society opening balances for the year ended 31 December 2000 Previously in AAS/2016/Box 10.	2000

AAS/7/1	Certificate of Incorporation and Executive Committee reports for the Anglo-Austrian Music Society AGM	1945-1976
	3 boxes	
AAS/7	Minutes and reports, correspondence and accounts of the Anglo-Austrian Music Society Also see AAS/12 for correspondence relating to the organisation of concerts and tours by the AAMS.	1914, 1943- 2015
	1 folder	
AAS/6/4	Anglo-Austrian Society annual returns of directors and secretaries Previously in AAS/2006/Box 17.	1978-1987
	1 folder	
AAS/6/3	<b>Anglo-Austrian Society Register of Directors</b> Previously in AAS/2006/Box 13.	1958-1989
	1 folder	
AAS/6/2	Anglo-Austrian Music Society annual returns of directors and secretaries Previously in AAS/2006/Box 23.	1953-1987
	1 folder	
AAS/6/1	<b>Anglo-Austrian Music Society Register of Directors</b> Previously in AAS/2006/Box 23.	1945-1951
	1 box	
AAS/6	Anglo-Austrian Society and Anglo-Austrian Music Society Register of Directors annual returns For the Directors' returns of Anglo-Austrian subsidiary societies, see AAS/8, AAS/9 and AAS/10.	1945-1989

	Certificate dated 24 January 1945. Reports for the period 1949 to 1976. Previously in AAS/2006/Box 23.	
	1 folder	
AAS/7/2	Minutes of the Anglo-Austrian Music Society Executive Committee and AGM	1943-2015
	6 folders (2 boxes)	
AAS/7/2/	1 Anglo-Austrian Music Society Executive Committee meetings and Annual General meetings minute book	1943 September- 1950
	Signed. Includes the minutes of a [the first?] meeting of the Richard Tauber Memorial Committee of the AAMS on 17 January 1949 at 23 Berners Street, London W1. Previously in AAS/2006/Box 23.	December
	1 vol	
AAS/7/2/	2 Anglo-Austrian Music Society Executive Committee Minutes	1950 February- 1986 November
	<ul> <li>Signed and unsigned minutes and/or agendas of the AAMS Executive Committee meetings</li> <li>29 December 1950</li> <li>15 May 1951</li> <li>4 October 1951</li> <li>3 December 1951</li> <li>29 January 1952</li> <li>31 March 1952 (with minutes of the AAMS Annual General meeting on the same date)</li> <li>19 June 1952</li> <li>18 October 1952</li> <li>29 December 1952</li> <li>16 March 1953</li> <li>13 October 1953</li> <li>4 November 1953 (with minutes of the AAMS Annual General meeting on the same date)</li> <li>23 February 1954</li> <li>22 March 1954 (minutes of the AAMS Annual General meeting only)</li> <li>23 June 1954</li> <li>15 December 1954</li> <li>23 March 1955</li> </ul>	

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AAS/7/2/3 Anglo-Austrian Music Society Executive 1981-1989 Committee Minutes Previously in AAS/2016.

1 folder

AAS/7/2/4	Anglo-Austrian Music Society Executive Committee Minutes 1984-2015. Part 1 of 2	1984 December- 2003
	Signed minutes. Previously in AAMS/2016/Box 7	January

1 folder

/File 25.

AAS/7/2/5 Anglo-Austrian Music Society Executive 2003-2015 Committee Minutes 1984-2015. Part 2 of 2 Signed minutes. Previously in AAMS/2016/Box 7/File 26.

AAS/7/3	Anglo-Austrian Music Society correspondence, memoranda and notes There are very few items of correspondence dating from approximately the first 20 years of the AAMS's existence.	1914, 1945- 2011
	14 folders	
AAS/7/3/1	AAMS Secretary's correspondence	1945, 1948, 1950
	Letter (photocopy) dated 9 August 1945 from Benjamin Britten to F[erdinand] Rauter following Peter Pears' and Britten's performance for the AAMS [on 21 June]; 2 letters from Otto Harpner and an application form concerning an Austrian Festival in Bad-Aussee at which British students were invited to perform; and a letter to the directors of Wigmore Hall and Piano Galleries asking them whether they would like to advertise in the AAMS [annual?] report (dated 26 January 1950). Previously in AAMS/2016/Box 2.	January
	1 folder	
AAS/7/3/2	Handwritten notes prepared by Hugh Haworth as an agenda for a discussion by the AAMS Executive Committee. Previously in AAS/2006/Box 13.	c1968
	1 folder	
AAS/7/3/3	Accounts worksheet of concerts held 1967-1970 Includes costings of Engel Family tour in spring 1970. Previously in AAS/2006/Box 13.	c1970
	1 folder	
AAS/7/3/4	<ul> <li>Letters and accompanying material presented to Walter Foster from Egon Wellesz and Carl Nemeth</li> <li>Includes two short letters from Egon Wellesz to Walter Foster, one of them accompanied by a handwritten score of the first seven bars of Wellesz's Op.1 109 [4 Stücke for String Quintet (1970)] I Sostenuto, poco rubato and a photograph of Egon Wellesz (undated but c. 1960). There is also an autograph letter from Franz Lehàr to Herr Lindau, presented to Walter Foster by Dr Carl Nemeth on behalf of the Vienna Volksoper Ballet on the occasion</li> </ul>	c1914, 1969-1971

of their season at the Royal Festival Hall in London, July 1969. Previously in AAMS 2006/Box 23.

AAS/7/3/5	AAMS Secretary's correspondence and related notes and memos Includes a brief written by Walter Foster for the AAMS Executive Committee's consideration: 'AAMS - Some Thoughts on Future Policy' (February 1971); correspondence concerning the Richard Tauber Prize; a letter from Erna Samuel to Walter Foster (May 1982); a bundle of correspondence with and concerning Bernhard Keefe (1979-1980); a bundle of correspondence between Walter Foster and members of the AAMS Executive Committee (1972- 1990), and correspondence concerning the possibility of a concert by the Amadeus Quartet for the AAS in 1981, which includes a flyer for an AAMS concert by the Amadeus String Quartet from 26 March 1949. Previously in AAS/2006/Box 13.	1949, 1971- 1990
	1 folder	
AAS/7/3/6	AAMS Secretary's correspondence with Erna Samuel concerning the bust of Arnold Rosé given by the AAMS to the Vienna Staatsoper / Philharmoniker in 1949 Includes a photograph of the bust, a newspaper clipping and a Wiener Philharmoniker program from 1973 with an article about the bust. Previously in AAMS 2006/Box 13.	1973
	1 folder	
AAS/7/3/7	AAMS Secretary's correspondence with the Thomas Igloi Trust Includes some publicity material by the Thomas Igloi Trust. Previously in AAS/2006/Box 13.	1976-1979
	1 folder	
AAS/7/3/8	AAMS correspondence with Hermann Ullrich Notes sending birthday greetings and thanks. Previously in AAS/2006. 1 folder	1978-1982

AAS/7/3/9	AAMS correspondence with Bettina Adler	1988
	Following the death of H.G. Adler. Previously in AAS/2006/Box 11.	
	1 folder	
AAS/7/3/10	AAMS newspaper cuttings and articles relating to the Society's history Includes obituaries of many of the Society's key members. Previously in AAMS 2006/Box 13 and AAMS/2016/Box 1.	1967-2010
	1 folder	
AAS/7/3/11	AAMS correspondence with Peter Stadlen	1988 November
	Accompanying typescript of an article by Peter Stadlen, 'Oesterreichische Exilmusiker in England'. Previously in AAS/2006	
	1 folder	
AAS/7/3/12	AAMS obituaries and funeral order of service for Hedi Stadlen Includes a transcript of an interview with Hedi Stadlen-Simon carried out by Primavera Gruba of the Orpheus Trust in May 2003. Previously in AAMS/2016/Box 1 File 6.	1967-2010
	1 folder	
AAS/7/3/13	AAMS letter with accompanying catalogue from Peter Fischerbauer Accompanying catalogue (2010) entitled 'Fritz you're simply the best', concerning Fritz Löhner Beda. Previously in AAMS/2016/Box 2 File 9.	2010-2011 April
	1 folder	
AAS/7/3/14	AAMS Secretary's correspondence concerning the papers of David Joseph Bach Previously in AAMS/2016/Box 1 File 2.	2002
	1 folder	

AAS/7/4/ <sup>-</sup>	<ol> <li>Anglo-Austrian Music Society Annual Accounts and Balance Sheets Missing: 1957. Previously in AAS/2006/Box 21.</li> </ol>	1944-1965
	1 folder	
AAS/7/4/2	2 Anglo-Austrian Music Society Annual Accounts, Balance Sheets and Reports From the reports produced in 1984 onwards the Annual Accounts were produced with a Director's Report or a Report of the Executive Committee. Previously in AAS/2006/Box 21.	1966-1990
	1 folder	
AAS/8	Anglo-Austrian Concert Agency Includes Register of members, Director's meeting minutes and annual accounts.	1951-1990
	4 folders (1 box)	
AAS/8/1	Anglo-Austrian Concert Agency Register of members Previously in AAMS/2016/Box 9/File 29.	1951-1990
	1 folder	
AAS/8/2	Anglo-Austrian Concert Agency: Directors' meeting minutes, annual accounts and related papers Includes AACA Certificate of Incorporation from 1951. Previously in AAMS/2016/Box 9/File 29.	1951-1990
	1 folder	
AAS/8/3	Anglo-Austrian Concert Agency: Directors' reports and annual accounts	1971-1987

Missing: 1972, 1980, 1981, 1986. Previously in AAS/2006/Box 21.

1 folder

AAS/8/4	Anglo-Austrian Concert Agency: annual returns of members	1972-1986
	Previously in AAS/2016/Box 9/File 29.	
	1 folder	

AAS/9Anglo-Austrian Tourist Agency1958-1999Register of members, Director's meeting minutes and<br/>annual accounts.1958-1999

4 folders

AAS/9/1 Anglo-Austrian Tourist Agency Ltd Register of 1958-1999 members Previously in AAS/2016/Box9/File 30

1 folder

AAS/9/2 Anglo-Austrian Tourist Agency Ltd Annual Returns 1972-1986 of Directors Previously in AAMS/2016/Box 9/File 30

1 folder

AAS/9/3 Anglo-Austrian Tourist Agency Ltd Board meeting 1958-1999 minutes, annual accounts and certificate of incorporation Minutes dated 1958-1996. Also contains stock transfer certificates 1958-1999. Previously in AAS/2016/Box9/File 30

1 folder

AAS/9/4 Anglo-Austrian Tourist Agency Ltd annual 1959-1990, accounts 1999

3 letters (1974, 1983, 1990); annual balance sheet and accounts for years ending March 1959-1962, 1971-1979 and 1982-1983 except 1961, 1972, 1980. 1981; Directors' report and accounts for 1984, 1985, 1987, 1989. Director's Report for 1999. Previously in AAMS 2006/Box21.

1 folder

#### AAS/10 **Austria Travel Limited**

Correspondence, Director's reports and Register of Directors and meeting minutes. Also includes Certificates of Incorporation showing that the company was known as Costmore Ltd until August 1985, when it became Austria Travel Ltd. Incorporated under the name of Queen Anne's Gate Travel Ltd in June 1999.

8 folders

#### AAS/10/1 Austria Travel Ltd. Annual Directors' reports and 1986-1989. 2000, 2004accounts

Also includes a letter of April 1988 from Walter Foster and minutes of a Directors' meeting (also April 1988), accounts for Queen Anne's Gate Travel Ltd [as Austria Travel Ltd was renamed in 1999] for the years ending 2000 and 2003 and correspondence from 2005-2006 relating to a debt due from the Anglo-Austrian Society to Queen Anne's Gate Travel and the striking off of Queen Anne's Gate Travel from Companies House. Previously in AAS/2006/Box 21 and AAS/2016/Box 3.

1 folder

AAS/10/2 Austria Travel Ltd. Correspondence with the Inland Revenue concerning the Deed of Covenant between Austria Travel Ltd and the AAS Previously in AAS/2009/Box 4.

1 folder

AAS/10/3 Austria Travel Ltd. Papers relating to AT's 1986-1999 constitution and Board and AGM meeting minutes Contains Certificates of Incorporation on name changes; a Declaration of Trust with the Anglo-Austrian Music Society (April 1986); share certificates

1985-2006

2006

1986-1989

and stock transfer forms. Previously in AAS/2006/Box 21.

1 folder

AAS/10/4	Austria Travel Ltd. Register of Directors and	1985-1986
	Secretaries and Directors' meeting minutes	
	Previously in AAS/2016/Box 10.	

1 folder

AAS/10/5 Austria Travel Ltd. Correspondence with AAS 1985-1987 solicitors on the formation of Austria Travel Previously in AAS/2009/Box 4.

1 folder

AAS/10/6 England Reisen. Correspondence between the 1958, 1987-**AAS Secretary and Süd-Ost Treuhand** 1994 Aktiengesellschaft in Vienna concerning the establishment and tax status of England Reisen Also contains copies of the Memoranda and Articles of Association of the Anglo-Austrian Society and the Anglo-Austrian Tourist Agency Ltd (1958); Deeds of Covenant and agreements between Austria Travel Ltd and the Anglo-Austrian Society; and documents explaining the relationship between the different Anglo-Austrian societies. These may have been sent with the letters to Vienna for the benefit of Professor Tichy of the the Süd-Ost Treuhand in Vienna, who provided legal support with England Reisen's Austrian tax arrangements. Previously in AAS/2009/Box 4.

1 folder

AAS/10/7 England Reisen. Correspondence concerning the decision to establish England Reisen Reisebüro Gesellschaft as a subsidiary of the Anglo-Austrian Music Society.
Also contains the Memoranda and Articles of Association of the Anglo-Austrian Society (1958), the Anglo-Austrian Concert Agency Ltd (1951) and Austria Travel Ltd (1985). Previously in AAS/2009/Box 4.

AAS/1	0/8	England Reisen. Correspondence concerning the registration of England Reisen as an Austria company Includes correspondence over the AAS Secretary's legal right to sign documents of England Reisebuero GmbH and Austria Travel Ltd following changes to the management of the company in 1998. Previously in AAS/2009/Box 4.	1989-1999
AAS/1		Austrian Children Reception Committee and Children's Holiday Committee records Includes minutes and correspondence of the Austrian Children Reception Committee and Children's Holiday Committee, publicity material relating to all the schemes run for children and young people by the Anglo-Austrian Society, and a sub-series of files relating to individual exchange trips and visits by young people from the UK and Austria.	1946-1999
AAS/1	1/1	Austrian Children Reception Committee minutes Minutes of the Austrian Children Reception Committee 2 July 1947-13 October 1952. Also contains the minutes of a meeting of representatives of the Anglo-Austrian Democratic Society, the Friends of Austria, the International Friendship League and the Reception Committee, Young People from Occupied Countries held at the Portman Restaurant on 28 November 1946. Previously in AAS/2006/Box 26.	1946-1952
AAS/1	1/2	Children's Sub-Committee minutes Previously in AAS/2006/Box 28. 1 folder	December 1952- November 1962
AAS/1	1/3	Children's Sub-Committee minutes	February 1963-

	Last set of minutes dated December 1978. Agenda only for February 1980. Previously in AAS/2006/Box 28. 1 folder	February 1980
AAS/11/4	Correspondence with Stormont Murray concerning a relief appeal in High Wycombe Correspondents include the International Help for Children and the World Friendship Association. The appeal was made by the High Wycombe Reception Committee, which was formed in 1946. One of the aims was for the residents and organisations of High Wycombe to support relief efforts in Düren in Germany.	1947-1948
	1 folder	
AAS/11/5	Austrian Children Reception Committee and Children's Sub-Committee correspondence and balance sheets Also includes other miscellaneous records (except minutes), such as statistics. Previously in AAS/2006/Box 26 and Box 30.	1948-1968
	1 folder	
AAS/11/6	Children's Sub-Committee correspondence and balance sheets Also includes other miscellaneous records (except minutes), such as statistics. Previously in AAS/2006/Box 30.	1968
	1 folder	
AAS/11/7	Individual holidays and exchanges run by the Austrian Children Reception Committee and the Children's Holiday Committee Correspondence, publicity material and photographs of the holidays organised by the committees, as well as accounts and reports written by the children on the tours reflecting on their trips in various formats, including published articles and diaries. 2 boxes	1948-1999
AAS/11/7/ <sup>-</sup>	1 The Austrian Children's Visit [to Sowerby Bridge and District Grammar School]	1948

AAS/11/7/1 The Austrian Children's Visit [to and District Grammar School]

	Article in 'Hill & Dale', the School's magazine dated July 1949. Previously in AAS/2006/Box 9.	
	1 folder	
AAS/11/7/2	Visit of British children to Grundlsee [Austria] Diary and newspaper articles. Previously in AAS/2006/Box 9.	1949
	1 folder	
AAS/11/7/3	Visit of British children to Grundlsee [Austria] Typed report by an adult leader for Stormont Murray, a member of the Austrian Children Committee. Previously in AAS/2006/Box 9.	1950
	1 folder	
AAS/11/7/4	Visit of Viennese children to England Newspaper articles Previously in AAS/2006/Box 9.	1952-1953
	1 folder	
AAS/11/7/5	Visit of Viennese children to Nuneaton Austrian school newspaper. Previously in AAS/2006/Box 9.	1954
	1 folder	
AAS/11/7/6	Visits to England Correspondence, programmes for visits and miscellaneous. Previously in AAS/2006/Box 9.	1956-1957
	1 folder	
AAS/11/7/7	Visit to Flink, Wales Children's daily diary (loose sheets). Previously in AAS/2006/Box 9.	1957
	1 folder	
AAS/11/7/8	Visit to Wisbech, England	1960-1969

	Correspondence and publicity material. Previously in AAS/2006/Box 9.	
	1 folder	
AAS/11/7/9	Visit to Austria Photographic prints and negatives. Previously in AAS/2006/Box 9.	1961
	1 folder	
AAS/11/7/10	Visit to Millstatt, Austria Correspondence. Previously in AAS/2006/Box 9.	1963
	1 folder	
AAS/11/7/11	Visits to Norfolk, especially Mundesley The trip was one of a number organised for disabled children from Austria. Includes correspondence between AAS and local organisers, and applications from children with disabilities. Previously in AAS/2006/Box 9.	1963-1967
	1 folder	
AAS/11/7/12	Photographic prints and negatives from miscellaneous Anglo-Austrian Society trips in the 1960s Previously in AAS/2006/Box 9.	undated [c1960- c1970]
	1 folder	
AAS/11/7/13	2 photographic prints and negatives from unknown Anglo-Austrian Society trip marked 'SPH' Previously in AAS/2006/Box 9.	1966
	1 folder	
AAS/11/7/14	Photographic negatives of visit to Worthersee	1968

Marked SPH (Oswald Fox[?]). Previously in AAS/2006/Box 9. 1 folder AAS/11/7/15 Visit to Dawlish 1969 Application forms, correspondence and lists of participants. Previously in AAS/2006/Box 9. 1 folder AAS/11/7/16 Visit to Overstrand near Cromer 1972 Correspondence. Previously in AAS/2006/Box 9. 1 folder 1974 AAS/11/7/17 Visit to Swanage Report by participants. Previously in AAS/2006/Box 9. 1 folder AAS/11/7/18 Visit to Mallnitz, jointly organised between AAS 1977 and Sherborne PHAB Reports by participants. First course jointly organised with PHAB, a charity aiming to integrate able-bodied and disabled children. Previously in AAS/2006/Box 30. 1 folder AAS/11/7/19 Visit to Ampflwang, jointly organised by the 1981 Anglo-Austrian Society and PHAB (Physically Handicapped and Able-Bodied) Correspondence and application forms. Jointly organised with PHAB, a charity aiming to integrate able-bodied and disabled children. Previously in AAS/2006/Box 30. 1 folder AAS/11/7/20 Visit to Borwick Hall in Lancashire, jointly 1981 organised between AAS and PHAB

Correspondence and application forms. Jointly organised with PHAB, a charity aiming to integrate able-bodied and disabled children. Previously in AAS/2006/Box 1.

1 folder

AAS/11/7/21 Correspondence, publicity material and c1950souvenir items relating to miscellaneous trips c1977, to Austria Previously in AAS/2006/Box 9.

1 folder

AAS/11/7/22 Questionnaires completed by UK students on 1999 their year spent as teaching assistants in Austria Previously in AAS/2016/Box 7.

1 folder

## AAS/11/8 Relief and youth work publicity material

1947-1981

Leaflets, flyers, brochures, a large poster of London and other publicity material for relief schemes, children's holiday and educational courses run by the AAS. Previously in AAS/2006/Box 28 and AAMS/2016/Box 1.

1 folder

AAS/12Concerts and musical tours1948-2013Mainly organised by the Anglo-Austrian Music Society,<br/>although some concerts were jointly organised by the<br/>Anglo-Austrian Society. Some records of the concerts<br/>are in other series: see AAS/15 for publicity material on<br/>some of the early concerts, AAS/7 for correspondence<br/>and minutes of the Anglo-Austrian Music Society;<br/>AAS/4/1 for Anglo-Austrian Society and Anglo-Austrian<br/>Music Society Reports and Memoranda 1946 - 1961;<br/>and AAS/3 for the Secretary's correspondence.

9 boxes

AAS/12/1 Concerts in Wigmore Hall and at other UK 1949-1953 locations

Publicity and some correspondence. Previously in AAS/2006/Box 6. 1 folder AAS/12/2 Concerts in Wigmore Hall and other UK locations 1954-1958 1954-1958 Publicity and some correspondence. Previously in AAS/2006/Box 6. 1 folder AAS/12/3 Correspondence and contracts with Victor 1951-1978 Hochhauser Concerns the joint presentation in the UK by the AAMS and music impresario Victor Hochhauser of the Vienna Boys Choir, the Hofmusikkapelle, the Praxmaier Ensemble/the Kitzbühele Nationalsänger/the Gay Tyrolese and the Spanish Riding School. Folder 1: Correspondence. Folder 2: Contracts. Previously in AAS/2006/Box 25. 2 folders AAS/12/4 Correspondence with Toni Praxmair 1953-1976 Concerns UK tours by Praxmair's Austrian folk music group the Kitzbüheler Nationalsänger (promoted as The Gay Tyrolose in the UK). Previously in AAS/2006/Box 5. 2 folders AAS/12/5 Correspondence with Toni Praxmair 1976-1983 File 1: Concerns UK tours by Praxmair's Austrian folk music Kitzbüheler Nationalsänger/The Gay Tyrolese. Includes some other papers such as accounts and planned programmes for the shows. File 2: List of singers and dancers with the Kitzbüheler Nationalsänger with personal details - this item is closed until 2060. Previously in AAS/2006/Box 5. 2 folders AAS/12/6 Contracts with Toni Praxmair 1959-1978 Contracts covering UK tours by Praxmair's Austrian folk music band the Kitzbüheler Nationalsänger/The Gay Tyrolese. Previously in AAS/2006/Box 5.

AAS/12/7	<b>Correspondence with South Bank (Royal Festival Hall)</b> Concerns performances of various artists at the Royal Festival Hall, including the Vienna Boys Choir, the Vienna Philharmonic Orchestra and the Gay Tyrolese. Previously in AAS/2006/Box 30.	1965-1979
	1 folder	
AAS/12/8	Correspondence with Sol Hurok regarding tour of the USA by Toni Praxmair's band The Gay Tyrolese in 1971 Previously in AAS/2006/Box 5.	1966-1974
	1 folder	
AAS/12/9	Agreements and correspondence with Sol Hurok regarding tour of the USA by Toni Praxmair's band The Gay Tyrolese in 1971 Previously in AAS/2006/Box 24.	1969-1974
	1 folder	
AAS/12/10	Newspaper cuttings of UK tour by the Austrian folk singers, the Engel Family According to the cuttings, this was the first visit of the Engel Family. Previously in AAS/2006/Box 6.	1968 October
	1 folder	
AAS/12/11	Photographs (b/w) of Austrian folk singers and dancers, mainly the Engel Family Probably publicity photographs, some taken outdoors in Reutte, Austria, some in indoor performances spaces. Previously in AAS/2006/Box 6.	undated [c 1968]
	12 folders	
AAS/12/12	Photograph and letters relating to Tyrolese evening at Quaglio's Restaurant, London	1978

Previously in AAS/2006/Box 6.

1 folder

AAS/12/13	2 photographs of unidentified female singer and	undated
	accompanying male in evening wear [at Anglo- Austrian Music Society event]	[1958]
	Previously in AAS/2006/Box 6.	

1 folder

AAS/12/14 Cuttings from British newspapers of reviews and 1977-1990 reports on concerts organised by the Anglo-Austrian Music Society Previously in AAS/2006/Box 5.

1 folder

AAS/12/15 'Der Tod dankt ab' performance by the Wiener 1987-1988 Kammeroper at the Bloomsbury Festival, May 1988 Related correspondence, publicity material, reviews.

Previously in AAS/2006/Box 10.

1 folder

## AAS/12/16 Vienna Boys Choir 1948-2000 Records relating to the role of the Anglo-Austrian Music Society in arranging tours of the UK by the Vienna Boys' Choir, with the first tour in 1950. Includes files on the writing of an opera by Benjamin Britten especially for the VBC. 14 folders (of which 1 is oversize) AAS/12/16/1 Correspondence, lists of participants and 1948-1958 itineraries for early Vienna Boys' Choir UK tours Correspondence for the [first post-WW2] British tour by the Vienna Boys' Choir in October-November 1950, which was jointly arranged by the Anglo-Austrian Society and Victor Hochhauser, and provisional itineraries for the 1950 and 1953 tour. Also contains a letter by Miss Margery Elliott 1982, the daughter of [Edwin] Elliott [Consul for Austria in

Birmingham from 1925-1938] describing her memory of the very first tour to the UK by the VBC in October 1932; draft text for publicity material prepared for VBC tour of the US in 1949-1950, arranged by S[ol] Hurok; photocopies of locations of VBC concerts on UK tours in 1950, 1953, 1954, 1956 and 1958. Previously in AAS/2006/Box 28. 1 folder AAS/12/16/2 Correspondence and contracts relating to 1958-1978 Vienna Boys' Choir tours Mainly concerns administrative and financial matters, and discussions about contents of the performances. Divided in 2 sub-files: File 1) bundles of correspondence for each year from 1959/1960 to 1967/1968. File 2) 1968/1969 to 1978. Previously in AAS/2006/Box 8. 2 folders AAS/12/16/3 Correspondence and contracts relating to 1958-1978 Vienna Boys' Choir tours Correspondence on administrative and financial matters and contents of the performances, including in relation to the performance of [Australian composer] Malcolm Williamson's 'The Happy Prince' by the VBC. Previously in AAS/2006/Box 24. 1 folder AAS/12/16/4 Correspondence and contracts relating to 1978-1985 Vienna Boys' Choir tours Correspondence on administrative and financial matters and discussion on contents of the performances, including Britten's 'A Ceremony of Carols'. Previously in AAS/2006/Box 24. 1 folder AAS/12/16/5 Britten's 'Golden Vanity'. Aldeburgh June 1967. 1961-1967 **Royal Festival Hall November 1967** Correspondence and newspaper clippings. Includes letters dated 1961 relating to the original idea of asking a prominent composer such as Britten to compose a work especially for the Vienna Boys' Choir; the licence for performance granted by the Lord Chamberlain's Office; and a letter dated 29 April 1967 from Walter Tautschnig (Director of

the VBC) reporting to Walter Foster the choir's progress on rehearsals with Britten's opera, 'Golden Vanity', mentioning Colin Graham's stage directions. Previously AAMS/2016/Box 4/File 14.

1961, 1967,

1990

1 folder

AAS/12/16/6 Letter and photograph signed by Benjamin Britten and Britten's 'Golden Vanity' music score published in 1967, signed by Britten and others

A note by Walter Foster inside the publication explains that 'The Golden Vanity' was written by Britten at the request of the Anglo-Austrian Music Society for the Vienna Boys' Choir. Britten played the piano at the first performance at [Snape] Maltings [near Aldeburgh on 3 June 1967] and at a subsequent performance at the Royal Festival Hall in London in November 1967. The score was signed by Britten, the producer and all the cast at the opera's first performance. The letter is dated 1961 and is Britten's acknowledgement of the AAMS request. Previously AAMS/2016/Box 4/File 15.

1 folder

## AAS/12/16/7 Britten's 'Golden Vanity'. Music score and 8 b/w 1967 stage photographs of Vienna Boys' Choir performing

[Presumed to be of the performances at Aldeburgh Festival in June 1967]. Previously AAMS/2016/Box 6 /File 24.

1 folder (oversize)

## AAS/12/16/8 Vienna Boys' Choir programme cover designs by Bettina [unknown surname]. Part 1 of 2 1972] Second cover design. Bettina 1970 (black) used for October 1971 Tour. And other Bettina Designs. Previously AAMS/2016/Box 3/File 13.

1 folder (oversize)

AAS/12/16/9 Vienna Boys' Choir programme cover designs 1972 by Bettina [unknown surname]. Part 2 of 2 6 proofs for second cover design by Bettina 1970. Used for October 1971 tour. Also includes other Bettina designs. With accompanying letter from printers. Previously AAMS/2016/Box 2/File 12.

AAS/12/16/1	0	Vienna Boys' Choir administrative files for 2000. Part 1 of 3 Papers filed A-C, covering a tour list, budget and venues. Includes a list of contents of all 3 files. Previously AAMS/2016/Box 5/File 19.	2000
		1 folder	
AAS/12/16/1	1	Vienna Boys' Choir administrative files for 2000. Part 2 of 3 Papers filed D-I, covering correspondence with IMG artists, Masterstroke Productions, licencing, tax and an itinerary of the 1998 tour. Previously AAMS/2016/Box 5/File 20.	1998-2000
		1 folder	
AAS/12/16/1	2	Vienna Boys' Choir administrative files for 2000. Part 3 of 3 Papers filed J-Z. Includes venue lists and unsuccessful 2000 venues. Previously AAMS/2016/Box 5/File 21.	1997-2000
		1 folder	
AAS/12/16/1	3	1 b/w photographic print marked 'Dr Schmidt. Vienna Boys' Choir?'	undated [c 1965]
		1 folder	
AAS/12/17		nglo-Austrian Music Society. Concerts 1998- 99. File 1 of 2	1998 October- 1999
	oth Wi Tri	prrespondence, publicity material, financial and oner records relating to 1) Musical Evening at gmore Hall 3 November 1998 and 2) Waldstein to at Wigmore Hall 27 October 1998. Previously MS/2016/Box 8/File 27.	November

Anglo-Austrian Music Society. Concerts 1998- 1999. File 2 of 2. June 1999 Correspondence, publicity material, financial and other records relating to Jeanette Ager at Wigmore Hall 28 June 1999 and Johann Strauss at St John's, Smith Square London, 3 June 1999. Previously in AAMS/2016/Box 8/File 28.	1999 June
1 folder	
Modern Concerts. Richard Tauber Prize, 2000- 2010 Part 1 of 5 (2000) Publicity material. Previously in AAMS/2016/Box /File 38	2000
1 folder	
Modern Concerts. Richard Tauber Prize, 2000- 2010. Part 2 of 5 (2003) Publicity material, correspondence and records of the audition. Previously in AAMS/2016/Box 10/File 37.	2003
1 folder	
Modern Concerts. Richard Tauber Prize, 2000- 2010. Part 3 of 5 (2005) Publicity material, letters and records relating to the audition. Also includes correspondence and obituaries in relation to Adele Leigh and the decision by Martin Snell to aware an Adele Leigh Memorial Song Prize as part of the Richard Tauber Prize. Previously in AAMS/2016/Box 10/File 36.	2005
1 folder	
Modern Concerts. Richard Tauber Prize, 2000- 2010. Part 4 of 5 (2008) Publicity material, reviews, correspondence and records of the auditions. Previously in AAMS/2016/Box 10/File 35.	2008
1 folder	
Modern Concerts. Richard Tauber Prize, 2000- 2010. Part 5 of 5 (2010)	2010
	<ul> <li><b>1999. File 2 of 2. June 1999</b> Correspondence, publicity material, financial and other records relating to Jeanette Ager at Wigmore Hall 28 June 1999 and Johann Strauss at St John's, Smith Square London, 3 June 1999. Previously in AAMS/2016/Box 8/File 28.</li> <li><b>1</b> folder</li> <li><b>Modern Concerts. Richard Tauber Prize, 2000-2010 Part 1 of 5 (2000)</b> Publicity material. Previously in AAMS/2016/Box //File 38</li> <li><b>1</b> folder</li> <li><b>Modern Concerts. Richard Tauber Prize, 2000-2010. Part 2 of 5 (2003)</b> Publicity material, correspondence and records of the audition. Previously in AAMS/2016/Box 10/File 37.</li> <li><b>1</b> folder</li> <li><b>Modern Concerts. Richard Tauber Prize, 2000-2010. Part 2 of 5 (2003)</b> Publicity material, correspondence and records of the audition. Previously in AAMS/2016/Box 10/File 37.</li> <li><b>1</b> folder</li> <li><b>Modern Concerts. Richard Tauber Prize, 2000-2010. Part 3 of 5 (2005)</b> Publicity material, letters and records relating to the audition. Also includes correspondence and obituaries in relation to Adele Leigh and the decision by Martin Snell to aware an Adele Leigh Memorial Song Prize as part of the Richard Tauber Prize. Previously in AAMS/2016/Box 10/File 36.</li> <li><b>1</b> folder</li> <li><b>Modern Concerts. Richard Tauber Prize, 2000-2010. Part 4 of 5 (2008)</b> Publicity material, reviews, correspondence and records of the audition. AMS/2016/Box 10/File 36.</li> <li><b>1</b> folder</li> <li><b>Modern Concerts. Richard Tauber Prize, 2000-2010. Part 4 of 5 (2008)</b> Publicity material, reviews, correspondence and records of the auditions. Previously in AAMS/2016/Box 10/File 35.</li> <li><b>1</b> folder</li> <li><b>Modern Concerts. Richard Tauber Prize, 2000-2010. Part 4 of 5 (2008)</b></li> <li>Publicity material, reviews, correspondence and records of the auditions. Previously in AAMS/2016/Box 10/File 35.</li> <li><b>1</b> folder</li> <li><b>Modern Concerts. Richard Tauber Prize, 2000-2010.</b></li> </ul>

Publicity material, correspondence and records relating to the auditions. Previously AAMS/2016/Box 10/File 34.

1 folder

## AAS/12/24 Modern Concerts. Sir John Fisher Foundation. 1999-2011 Sponsorship of Richard Tauber Prize Previously in AAMS/2016/Box 10/File 33.

1 folder

AAS/12/25	Modern Concerts. Collaborations between the Anglo-Austrian Music Society and the Austrian Cultural Forum Publicity and administrative papers relating to the following collaborations: 1) Marta Eggerth at Wigmore Hall, 9 December 2001, the climax of the ACF's Festival 'Vienna-Berlin-London: the trails of creativity 1918-1938'; 2) the Kutrowatz Brothers in the Purcell Room of the Royal Festival Hall, 23 November 2001, also part of the 'Vienna-Berlin- London' festival; 3) Wolfgang Hozmair at Leighton House Museum London, 11 November 2002; and	2001-2004
	House Museum, London, 11 November 2002; and the Klangforum at Wigmore Hall, 4 November 2004. Previously in AAMS/2016/Box 11/File 39.	
	1 folder	
A A S/12/26	Modern Concerts, Correspondence with Michael	2001-2000

AAS/12/26 Modern Concerts. Correspondence with Michael 2001-2009 Garston concerning the Leopold Muller Fund Previously AAMS/2016/Box 10/File 31.

1 folder

AAS/12/27	Modern Concerts. Egon Wellesz concert, Wigmore Hall, March 2002 Publicity material, correspondence and other administrative papers. Previously in AAMS/2016/Box 12/File 50.	1999-2002
	1 folder	

AAS/12/28 Modern Concerts. Aron Quartet, Wigmore Hall, 2001-2002 July 2002

Includes photographs, publicity material, reviews and other administrative papers. Previously in AAMS/2016/Box 12/File 49. 1 folder AAS/12/29 Modern Concerts. Anglo-Austrian Music Society 2002 60th Anniversary Concert and Reception. December 2002 Previously in AAMS/2016/Box 12/File 48. 1 folder AAS/12/30 Modern Concerts. Christopher Raeburn and 2003 Bernard Keeffe in conversation, Rudolf Stein Theatre, 9 April 2003 Correspondence and publicity material. Previously in AAMS/2016/Box 12/File 47. 1 folder AAS/12/31 Modern Concerts. Jonathan Lemalu, Wigmore 2000-2003 Hall. June 2003 Publicity material, reviews, articles on Lemalu and his work, administrative papers and a Richard Tauber Prize application form completed by Lemalu. The event was a A Richard Tauber Prize recital with Malcolm Martineau on the piano. Previously in AAMS/2016/Box 12/File 46. 1 folder 2002-2004 AAS/12/32 Modern Concerts. Mihaela Ursuleasa, Wigmore Hall February 2004 Leopold Muller Concert dedicated to the memory of Hedi Stadlen, who had recently died. Includes photographs of Ursuleasa for publicity, publicity material and administrative records. Previously in AAMS/2016/Box 12/File 45. 1 folder AAS/12/33 Modern Concerts. Klemens Sander, Wigmore 2004-2005 Hall, April 2005

Accompanied on the piano by Charles Spencer. Publicity material, reviews and administrative records. Previously in AAMS/2016/Box 11/File 44.

1 folder

Hall, July 2010

AAS/12/34	Anglo-Austrian Society Jubilee Concert 'Of Strange Lands and People', May 2005 Draft programme, scripts for the performance, and administrative records. Performed by the Musikschule Ottakring, Vienna, and the Harmony School of Pianoforte, the director of which, Angela Ransey, was also a member of the Anglo-Austrian Society. With actor Richard Worsley and pianist James Redfern. Previously in AAS/2016/Box 10.	2001-2005
	1 folder	
AAS/12/35	Modern Concerts. Engel Lund's Book of Folk Songs Concerns the Anglo-Austrian Music Society's contribution to the recording of Ferdinand Rauter's Book of Folk Songs by Norbert Meyn, professor at the Royal School of Music and Guildhall School of Music and Drama. Also covers the launch celebration of the CD in 2008. Previously in AAMS/2016/Box 10/File 32.	2006-2008
	1 folder	
AAS/12/36	Modern Concerts. Adrian Brendel and Till Fellner, Wigmore Hall, October 2007 Leopold Muller Concert. Publicity, correspondence and related administrative records. Previously in AAMS/2016/Box 11/File 43.	2007
	1 folder	
AAS/12/37	Modern Concerts. Anna Leese, Wigmore Hall, June 2008 Richard Tauber Prize Recital. Accompanied by Graham Johnson on the piano. Includes publicity material, correspondence and related records and an application form completed by Anna Leese. Previously in AAMS/2016/Box 11/File 42.	2005-2008
	1 folder	
AAS/12/38	Modern Concerts. Christopher Ainslie, Wigmore	2008-2010

Richard Tauber Prize Recital. Includes publicity material, reviews and related administrative records, as well as an application completed by Ainslie. Previously in AAMS/2016/Box 11/File 41.

1 folder

# AAS/12/39Modern Concerts. Jung Soo Yun, Wigmore Hall<br/>July 20132010-2013Richard Tauber Prize Recital. Includes publicity<br/>material, reviews and related records, as well as an<br/>application form completed by Soo Yun. Previously<br/>in AAMS/2016/Box 11 /File 40.

1 folder

## AAS/12/40 Lists of Anglo-Austrian Music Society concerts, undated handbills and programmes [?1945],

[?1945], 1975-2013

The earliest list, possibly written in 1945, lists the concerts by the AAMS between the years 1941-1945. There are lists of concerts given in each annual season between 1975/1976 and 1989/1990. There is also a list of concert handbills and programmes from 1945 to 2013. Previously in AAMS/2016/Box 1/File 7.

1 folder

# AAS/13Spanish Riding School1964-2001Mainly records relating to the visits by the Spanish

Riding School to the UK organised by the Anglo-Austrian Society in 1969, 1977, 1981, 1985, 1989, 1993 and 1997.

6 boxes (of which 3 are oversize)

AAS/13/1 Correspondence with Spanish Riding School 1964-1974 directors Alois Podhajsky and Johann Handler concerning visits to the UK by the SRS Correspondence requesting a visit (1964) and from c.1967 concerning planning for the first SRS visit to the UK in 1969.

1 folder

AAS/13/2 Correspondence and contracts with the 1969-1977 Bundesministerium für Land- und Forstwirtschaft regarding Spanish Riding School visits in 1969 and 1977 Previously in AAS/2016/Box 1 File 4.

AAS/13/3	Correspondence and contracts with the Spanish Riding School concerning visits in 1977, 1985, 1989, 1993 and 1997. Contracts are with the Bundesministerieum für Land- und Forstwirtschaft der Republik Österreich. Previously in AAS/2016/Box 1 File 5.	1977-1994
	1 folder	
AAS/13/4	Correspondence with the Austrian Embassy in Dublin and the Irish-Austrian Society, and with Earl's Court Correspondence with 1) the Austrian Embassy in Dublin and the Irish Austrian Society about bringing the Spanish Riding School to Ireland, and 2) with Earl's Court about the possibility of the SRS performing there in 1977. Previously in AAS/2016/Box 7.	1975-1986
	1 folder	
AAS/13/5	Contracts and correspondence with Wembley Arena regarding performances by the Spanish Riding School Contracts for 1985 and 1989. Previously in AAS/2016/Box 13.	1984-1989
	1 folder	
AAS/13/6	Correspondence, memoranda and seating plans relating to pricing of tickets at Wembley Arena at the October 1989 performances by the Spanish Riding School Previously in AAS/2016/Box 7.	1988-1989
	1 folder	
AAS/13/7	1 folder Legal dispute over registration of trademarks for	1995-2014

Previously in AAS/2016/Box 8.

1 folder

AAS/13/8	Legal dispute over registration of trademarks for the Spanish Riding School in the UK	1995-2006
	Previously in AAS/2016/Box 7.	

1 folder

AAS/13/9 Legal dispute over registration of trademarks for 2001 the Spanish Riding School in the UK Previously in AAS/2016/Box 8.

AAS/13/10	<ul> <li>Spanish Riding School publicity material</li> <li>Includes photographic material, leaflets, newspaper cuttings (some in scrap books and some loose) and some correspondence. Some of the material was deposited in 2009 (Boxes 1-3) and some in 2016.</li> <li>5 boxes (of which 3 are oversize)</li> </ul>	1969-1997
AAS/13/10/1	<ul> <li>26 b/w photographs of the Spanish Riding</li> <li>School in rehearsal at Wembley Arena</li> <li>Taken at a dress rehearsal on 10 October 1969 by</li> <li>the Times newspaper.</li> <li>1 folder</li> </ul>	1969
AAS/13/10/2	<ul> <li>b/w photographs used for advertising the 1981</li> <li>Spanish Riding School visit</li> <li>1 folder</li> </ul>	undated [c1977]
AAS/13/10/3	3 12 colour photographs of a Spanish Riding School performance [at Wembley]	undated [c1985]

AAS/13/10/4	1 b/w photograph used for advertising the 1985	undated
	Spanish Riding School performance [at	[c1981]
	Wembley]	

1 folder

AAS/13/10/517 b/w photographs of a Spanish Riding School undated<br/>rehearsal at Wembley ArenaIc1985]Copyright of photographer Leslie Lane of Burgess<br/>Hill.

1 folder

AAS/13/10/6 2 b/w photographs and 4 contract sheets of a undated Spanish Riding School rehearsal at Wembley [c1985] Arena Taken by photographer Kit Houghton.

1 folder

AAS/13/10/7 Miscellaneous photographs and slides 1985-1989 including some of Diana, the Princess of Wales, visiting the Spanish Riding School horses in 1985

1 folder

AAS/13/10/8 4 b/w photographs used for advertising the undated 1989 Spanish Riding School performance [at [c1985] Wembley]

1 folder

AAS/13/10/9 8 colour photographs and 18 colour slides of 1989 Sarah, Duchess of York, attending the 1989

## Spanish Riding School performance at Wembley

Slides are marked 'Wembley Press Office'.

1 folder

AAS/13/10/10	3 colour photographs of Anne, Princess	undated
	Royal, visiting stables where the Spanish Riding School horses were staying, and at a	[c1989]
	formal meal [during a visit by the SRS?]	

1 folder

AAS/13/10/11	9 b/w slides and 1 b/w photograph of a 1989 Spanish Riding School performance at	1989
	Wembley Arena	
	Taken by the Hare and Hound magazine.	

1 folder

AAS/13/10/12	Invoices and notes relating to Spanish Riding School photographs by photographer Steve	1989
	Benbow	
	Includes invoice relating to the sale of copyright to the AAS for some photographs. Previously in	
	AAS/2009/Box 2.	

1 folder

AAS/13/10/13 Correspondence with Wembley Arena 1988-1989 marketing department Previously in AAS/2016/Box 7.

1 folder

AAS/13/10/14 5 b/w photographs used for advertising the undated 1993 Spanish Riding School performance at [c1989] Wembley Arena Previously in AAS/2006.

AAS/13/10/15	<b>Contract with the Wembley Stadium the 1993</b> <b>Spanish Riding School performances</b> Also includes a blank invitation to attend a performance, correspondence and merchandising transparencies and programmes (one in English and one in German) for the 1993 performances, which were held at Wembley Arena and the NEC Arena in Birmingham. Previously in AAS/2006/Box 2.	1992-1994
	1 folder	
AAS/13/10/16	Photographic material of a 1993 Spanish Riding School performance at Wembley Arena, with invoices, from photographer Tony Flanagan Sent to Ann Ellis at the Anglo-Austrian Society. Includes a set of colour photographs and 4 contact sheets of a 1993 performance, and includes a photographs of the then Speaker of the House of Commons, Betty Boothroyd. Previously in AAS/2009/Box 2.	1993-1994
	1 folder	
AAS/13/10/17	Maxell Professional Betacam SP 625 videocassette of the Spanish Riding School Made by Hardsell Advertising for Natalie Anglesey. Marked 'Master. Do not erase'. Previously in 2009/Box 3.	1997 January
	1 videocassette	
AAS/13/10/18	Souvenir programme for Spanish Riding School UK visit October 1969 Previously in AAS/2009/Box 1.	1969 October
	1 folder	
AAS/13/10/19	Souvenir programme for Spanish Riding School UK visit October 1981 (2 copies) Previously in AAS/2009/Box 1.	1981 October
	1 folder	

AAS/13/10/20	Programme with souvenir colour prints for Spanish Riding School UK visit October 1985 (2 copies) Previously in AAS/2009/Box 1.	1985 October
	1 folder	
AAS/13/10/21	Souvenir programme for Spanish Riding School UK visit October 1989 (2 copies) Previously in AAS/2009/Box 1.	1989 October
	1 folder	
AAS/13/10/22	Souvenir programme for Spanish Riding School UK visit November 1993 (2 copies) Previously in AAS/2009/Box 1.	1993 November
	1 folder	
AAS/13/10/23	Souvenir programme for Spanish Riding School UK visit 1997 (3 copies) Previously in AAS/2009/Box 1.	1997
	1 folder	
AAS/13/10/24	Publicity leaflets for Spanish Riding School UK visits Previously in AAS/2009/Box 2.	1977-1997
	1 folder	
AAS/13/10/25	Scrapbook of publicity material and cuttings of reviews of Spanish Riding School visit to UK in 1969 Two copies. The scrapbook with the pale green	1969
	cover contains more originals. Previously in AAS/2009/Box 2.	
	2 scrapbooks	

AAS/13/10/26 Scrapbook of publicity material and cuttings of 1977 reviews of Spanish Riding School visit to UK in 1977 Previously in AAS/2009/Box 1.

1 scrapbook

AAS/13/10/27 Scrapbook of publicity material and cuttings of 1981 reviews of Spanish Riding School visit to UK in 1981 Previously in AAS/2009/Box 1.

1 scrapbook

AAS/13/10/28 Scrapbook of publicity material and cuttings of 1985 reviews of Spanish Riding School visit to UK in 1985 Previously in AAS/2009/Box 1.

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AAS/13/10/29 Scrapbook of publicity material and cuttings of 1989 reviews of Spanish Riding School visit to UK in 1989 Previously in AAS/2009/Box 1.

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AAS/13/10/30 Scrapbook of publicity material and cuttings of 1993 reviews of Spanish Riding School visit to UK in 1993 Previously in AAS/2009/Box 2.

2 scrapbooks

AAS/13/10/31 Scrapbook of publicity material and cuttings of 1997 reviews of Spanish Riding School visit to UK in 1997 Previously in AAS/2009/Box 2.

1 scrapbook

## AAS/14 Special events and trips

1967undated [c2005]

Administrative papers, itineraries, correspondence and invitations relating to special events and trips organised by the Anglo-Austria Society, including anniversary meals, meals to welcome new ambassadors and trips by members of the Executive Committee to visit Vienna. This series only begins in 1967 because records of earlier trips and anniversary events appear to have been incorporated into general correspondence or administrative files.

11 files (2 boxes)

## AAS/14/1 25th Anniversary Dinner

Held 27 June 1969 attended by Austrian Federal Minister for Foreign Affairs Kurt Waldheim. Previously in AAS/2016/Box 3.

1 folder

## AAS/14/2 Opening of the AAS Vienna Office on 11 May 1973 1973

Includes programme of events, invitations, guest list, flights and accommodation arrangements, budget/costings, photographs, thank you letters from guests, related correspondence (e.g. with the British Embassy and British Council in Vienna, and with Austrian government figures) newspaper reports on the event, which was attended by Bundeskanzler Bruno Kreisky. Previously in AAS/2006/Box 2.

## 2 folders

## AAS/14/3 Anglo-Austrian Society Executive Committee visit 1990 to Austria

Visit took place 27 May to 2 June 1990. Previously in AAS/2016/Box 1.

1 folder

AAS/14/4 Lunch for Terence C. Wood [UK Ambassador 1991-1992 Designate to Vienna] Held 3 March 1992. Previously in AAS/2016/Box 9.

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1967-1969

the new Austrian Ambassador Dr Georg Hennig Held 26 January 1994. Previously in AAS/2016/Box 12. 1 folder AAS/14/6 Anglo-Austrian Society 50th Anniversary Dinner 1994 Held 12 July 1994 attended by Austrian Federal Chancellor Dr Franz Vranitzky. Previously in AAS/2016/Box 10. 1 folder AAS/14/7 Anglo-Austrian Society Luncheon for the Federal 1995 President of the Republic of Austria, Dr Thomas Klestil Held 9 February 1995. Previously in AAS/2016/Box 13. 1 folder AAS/14/8 Anglo-Austrian Society Executive Committee visit 1995 to Austria Previously in AAS/2016/Box 11. 1 folder AAS/14/9 Anglo-Austrian Society Luncheon for the UK 1997 Ambassador to Austria, Sir Anthony Figgis Contains just the invitation. Held 20 May 1997. 1 folder AAS/14/10 9 b/w photographs of people at unidentified undated [c formal social event 1975] [Wallpaper suggests it is at the House of Commons.] Previously in AAS/2006/Box 18. 1 folder AAS/14/11 5 colour photographs of people at various undated [c unidentified social events 20051

AAS/14/5 Anglo-Austrian Society Luncheon in honour of

1993-1994

[Appear to have been taken at at least 2 different social events, at least one of which was in 2005.] Previously in AAS/2016.

1 folder

AAS/14/12 B/w photo of [UK Secretary of State for Foreign and Commonwealth Affairs] Geoffrey Howe speaking at [unidentified] formal dinner Howe is standing next to [Chairman of the Anglo-Austrian Society] Lord [Harold] Caccia and the Mayor of Vienna Leopold Gratz. Previously in AAMS/2016/Box 5/File 22.

1 folder

### AAS/14/13 Colour photograph of performers and diners at Anglo-Austrian Society 'Heuriger' in Holmer Green, Buckinghamshire Previously in AAS/2016.

1 folder

AAS/15 Publicity material for all Anglo-Austrian Society 1941-2013 and Anglo-Austrian Music Society activities Contains flyers, programmes and other publicity material for the full range of activities carried out by the Anglo-Austrian Society and Anglo-Austrian Music Society (concerts, shows, exhibition, lectures, educational tours, competitions). Also includes two publications on the history of the societies. In order to avoid keeping duplicate copies, the material has been amalgamated into one series ordered chronologically from the following files: AAS/2006/Box 5; AAS/2006/Box 6; AAS/2006/Box 10; AAS/2006/Box 11; AAS/2009/Box 4: AAMS/2016/Box 1. Material was originally stored in a number of different folders and there was a great deal of overlap and duplication. The material has now been brought into one series and filed by year. 2.5 boxes

## AAS/15/1 Publicity material Includes a Mitteilungsblatt für Juli 1942 of the Austrian Musicians' Group.

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1941-1945

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#### AAS/15/2 Publicity material

Includes 2 circular letters: 1) concerning the meeting held by the Anglo-Austrian Democratic Society at Beaver Hall in Great Trinity Lane in London on 17 May 1946 making one year of Austria's liberation, at which the two main speakers were Jenny Lee M.P. and Dr Oscar Pollak, Editor-in-Chief of the Arbeiterzeitung in Vienna; 2) dated October 1946 informing readers that just because Austria had been liberated from Nazi domination, there was still much to be done with regard to the level of hunger and disease in Austria and also with regard to the fight for an independent and democratic Austria. The letter suggests that the best way to help is to join the Society. There are also 2 copies of a leaflet published in 1945 entitled 'The Anglo-Austrian Democratic Society' with an appeal by T. L. Horabin to readers to join the Society.

1 folder

AAS/15/3	Publicity material	1946-1947
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AAS/15/4	Publicity material	1948
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AAS/15/5	Publicity material	1949
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AAS/15/6	Publicity material	1950
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AAS/15/7	Publicity material	1951

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AAS/15/8	Publicity material	1952
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AAS/15/9	Publicity material	1953
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AAS/15/33	Publicity material	1983
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AAS/15/34	Publicity material	1984-1985
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AAS/15/35	Publicity material	1986

AAS/15/36	Publicity material	1987-1988
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AAS/15/37	Publicity material	1989-1993
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AAS/15/38	Publicity material	1993-1994
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AAS/15/39	Publicity material	1995
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AAS/15/40	Publicity material	1996
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AAS/15/41	Publicity material	1997
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AAS/15/42	Publicity material	1998

AAS/15/43	Publicity material	1999-2000
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AAS/15/44	Publicity material	2002
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AAS/15/45	Publicity material	2003-2004
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AAS/15/46	Publicity material	2005
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AAS/15/47	Publicity material	2007-2008
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AAS/15/48	Publicity material	2010
	1 folder	
AAS/15/49	Publicity material	2013

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# AAS/15/50 Publication: Frederick Scheu's 'The Early Days of 1969 the Anglo-Austrian Society'

1 folder (2 copies)

# AAS/15/51 Publication: If Music Be the Food of Love ... 50 1992 Years Anglo-Austrian Music Society

1 folder (3 copies)

# AAS/16 Subventions

1950-1984

Correspondence with Austrian official bodies concerning the subsidisation of the Anglo-Austrian Society. The main ministries subsidising the AAS in the 1950s and 1960s were the Bundeskanzleramt, the Bundesministerium für Unterricht, the Bundesministerium für Auswärtige Angelegenheiten, the Bundesministerium für Verkehr und Elektrizitätswirtschaft, the Bundesministerium für Handel und Wiederaufbau and the Austrian Embassy in London.

5 boxes

# AAS/16/1 Austrian Government subventions - 1950-1955 correspondence

Correspondence between AAS Secretary Otto Harpner, AAS Chair John Hynd and Austrian government offices including the Bundeskanzleramt, the Bundesministerium für Auswärtige Angelegenheiten as well as the Austrian Embassy in London, as well as reports on the activities, achievements and financial situation of the AAS, concerning Austrian government subsidies for the AAS. Previously in AAS/2006/Box 3.

Correspondence with Karl Waldbrunner of the Bundesministerium für Verkehr und verstaatlichte Betriebe; posters for an AAS exhibition of Austrian books at the Grillion Galleries (October 1951); letters to and from John Hynd, AAS Chairman, concerning the Austrian Cultural Convention; and copies of a letter to the Austrian Ambassador concerning the financial situation of the AAS. Previously in AAS/2006/Box 3.

1 folder

# AAS/16/3 Austrian Government subventions

Correspondence between AAS Secretary Otto Harpner and Austrian government offices including the Bundeskanzleramt, the Bundesministerium für Auswärtige Angelegenheiten as well as the Austrian Embassy in London, as well as reports on the activities, achievements and financial situation of the AAS, all concerning the subject of Austrian government subsidies for the AAS. Previously in AAS/2006/Box 7.

1 folder

# AAS/16/4 [Austrian Government] subventions

Correspondence on subsidies between the AAS Secretary Otto Harpner and various Austrian government bodies including 1) the Austrian Embassy regarding the Auslandsösterreicherwerk; 2) Karl Braunias at the Bundeskanzleramt regarding the payment of subsidies; 3) the Austrian Cultural Institute in London Previously in AAS/2006/Box 3.

1 folder

# AAS/16/5 Austrian Government subventions

Mainly correspondence on Austrian Government subsidies for the AAS divided into the following bundles: 1) Auswärtige Angelegenheiten (1957-1962); 2) Bundesministerium für Unterricht (1957-1958); 3) Bundesministerium für Verkehr und Elektrizitätswirtschaft (1957-1958); 4) Bundesministerium für soziale Verwaltung (1958); 5) Bundesministerium für Handel und Wiederaufbau (1957-1958); 6) Österreichische Botschaft (1957-1959). Previously in AAS/2006/Box 7. 1953-1957

1 folder

1957-1962

#### AAS/16/6 Austrian Government subventions

Correspondence on Austrian Government subsidies for the AAS divided into the following files: 1) General (1960-1963); 2) Bundesministerium für Auswärtige Angelegenheiten (1959-1963); 3) Bundesministerium für Unterricht (1959-1964); 4) Bundesministerium für Verkehr und Elektrizitätswirtschaft (1959-1963); 5) Bundesministerium für Handel und Wiederaufbau (1959-1963); 6) Bundesministerium für soziale Verwaltung (1959-1963); 7) Österreichische Botschaft (1962-1965). Previously in AAS/2006/Box 3.

7 folders (1 box)

# AAS/16/7 Austrian Government subventions

Mainly correspondence on Austrian Government subsidies for the AAS divided into the following bundles: 1) Bundeskanzleramt and Bundespräsident (1968-1970); 2) Auswärtige Angelegenheiten (1968-1970); 3) Bundesministerium für Unterricht (1967-1970); 4) Bundesministerium für Verkehr und Elektrizitätswirtschaft (1968-1970); 5) Bundesministerium für Handel und Gewerbe und Industrie (1968-1970); 6) Bundesministerium für soziale Verwaltung (1968-1970); 7) Österreichische Botschaft (1968-1970); 8) Various (1968-1970). Previously in AAS/2006/Box 7.

8 folders (1 box)

#### AAS/16/8 Austrian Government subventions

1963 December-1969

Mainly correspondence on Austrian Government subsidies for the AAS divided into the following bundles: 1) General (1965-1968); 2) Auswärtige Angelegenheiten (1964-1968); 3) Bundesministerium für Unterricht (1964-1969); 4) Bundesministerium für Verkehr und Elektrizitätswirtschaft (1964-1967); 5) Bundesministerium für Handel und Wiederaufbau (1963-1967); 6) Bundesministerium für soziale Verwaltung (1964-1967); 7) Österreichische Botschaft (1965-1967). Previously in AAS/2006/Box 4.

7 folders (1 box)

1959 February-1965 November

1967-1970

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# AAS/16/9 [Austrian Government] subventions Correspondence with various government

departments, with a table of subsidies from Austrian Government Departments from 1958/9 to 1965/6. Previously in AAS/2006/Box 4.

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# AAS/16/10 Subventionsbriefe [Subventions correspondence]

Correspondence with various government departments, with a table of subsidies from Austrian Government Departments from 1958/9 to 1965/6. Previously in AAS/2006/Box 4.

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# AAS/16/11 [Austrian Government] subsidies

Correspondence on Austrian Government subsidies for the AAS divided into the following bundles: 1) Auswärtige Angelegenheiten and the Austrian Embassy (1971-1974); 3) Bundesministerium für Unterricht und Kunst (1971-1973); 4) Bundesministerium für Verkehr (1971-1973); 4) Bundesministerium für soziale Verwaltung (1971-1977). Previously in AAS/2006/Box 13.

4 folders

# AAS/16/12 [Austrian Government] subsidies

Correspondence Austrian government offices including the Bundesministerium für Auswärtige Angelegenheiten, the Bundesministerium für Unterricht, the Bundesministerium for Verkehr and the Austrian Embassy in London. Includes one bundle entitled 'Subventionen und verschiedene Vorsprachen', and another bundle labelled 'Special Grant, 46 QAG [Queen Anne's Gate], S30,000, Dec 77'. Previously in AAS/2006/Box 14.

1 folder

# AAS/16/14 [Austrian Government] subsidies

Multiple bundles of correspondence mainly with Austrian Government offices concerning the payment of subsidies to the AAS, including from the IFK-Internationale Ferienkurse and the Süd-Ost Treuhand Aktiengesellschaft concerning invoices and accountancy difficulties (in plastic wallet labelled 1979-1984

1972-1979

1971-1977

1972-1973

'Tichy', 1983-1984); a bundle labelled 'Correspondence with Industries. Subventions (1983); bundles labelled 'Subventions' dated 1980, 1981 and 1982 respectively; a bundle labelled 'Kreisky 1980/1981; a bundle labelled 'Sondersubvention 1980 (S1000.000 - for house); and a bundle labelled 'Frau Botschafter Dr Wolfram (1979-1980). Previously in AAS/2006/Box 14. 2 folders AAS/17 Communications with members and direct mailings 1948-2012 Includes newsletters, programmes, information bulletins and a series of guarterly journals written for members and other potential or actual participants in Anglo-Austrian Society activities. 2 boxes AAS/17/1 Anglo-Austrian Music Society Newsletter for the 1948 July year ending July 1948 2 copies 1 folder AAS/17/2 Anglo-Austrian Society and Anglo-Austrian Music 1950 March-**Society Information Bulletins** 1960 November Information Bulletins from March 1950 (2 copies), September 1950, November 1952, October 1954 (3 copies), November 1957 and November 1960. The March 1950 edition indicates that the plan was simply to circulate bulletins from time to time and it is not clear whether any other IBs were produced and circulated. Previously in AAS/2006/Box 4. 1 folder AAS/17/3 Anglo-Austrian News 1962 1964 Produced jointly by the Anglo-Austrian Society and the Anglo-Austrian Music Society. 3 editions dated

January 1962, Autumn 1963 and Autumn 1964.

January-

AAS/17/4	Annual Programmes of Events for the Anglo- Austrian Society and Anglo-Austrian Music Society With some loose inserts. Missing: 1989-1990, 1993- 1994, 1994-1995, 1995-1996. There is also an Anglo- Austrian Society mail order catalogue for winter 1999/2000. Previously in AAMS/2016.	1974 September- 1997
	1 folder	
AAS/17/5	Anglo-Austrian Society circular letters to members and friends Includes a circular letter to members from Walter Foster dated 24 March 1993 and a note in the newsletter of 30 July 1992 concerning Austrian pensions for refugees from Nazi persecution. Previously in AAS/2006/Box 8.	1992-1994
	1 folder	
AAS/17/6	Anglo-Austrian Society mailing to schools (includes brochure 'The Austrian Experience') Previously in AAS/2009/Box 4.	1997 October
	1 folder	
AAS/17/7	Anglo-Austrian Society mailing to members	1997 October
	Includes brochures 'The Austrian Experience' and 'Vienna Scene' (Winter 1997-1998). Previously in AAS/2009/Box 4.	
	1 folder	
AAS/17/8	Anglo-Austrian Society mailing to customer schools Includes publicity material. Previously in AAS/2009/Box 4.	1998 January
	1 folder	
AAS/17/9	Anglo-Austrian Society mailing to members	1998 January
	Includes a newsletter, dated January 1998, with a note about compensation payments from the Austrian National Fund for Victims of Nazi Persecution and Austrian pensions for refugees, as well as publicity	

	material for AAS and AAMS activities. Previously in AAS/2009/Box 4.	
	1 folder	
AAS/17/10	Anglo-Austrian Society mailing to Friends	1998 Japuary
	Includes publicity material. Previously in AAS/2009/Box 4.	January
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AAS/17/11	Anglo-Austrian Society mailing to companies	1998 February
	Includes publicity material. Previously in AAS/2009/Box 4.	February
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AAS/17/12	Anglo-Austrian Society mailing to previous participants Includes publicity material. Previously in AAS/2009/Box 4.	1998 February
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AAS/17/13	Anglo-Austrian Society mailing to Friends	1998 February-
	Includes publicity material. Previously in AAS/2009/Box 4.	March
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AAS/17/14	Anglo-Austrian Society mailing to members	1998 April-
	Includes publicity material. Previously in AAS/2009/Box 4.	Мау
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AAS/17/15	Anglo-Austrian Society mailing to Friends Includes publicity material. Previously in AAS/2009/Box 4.	1998 April
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AAS/17/16	Anglo-Austrian Society mailing to companies	1998 May
	Includes publicity material. Previously in AAS/2009/Box 4.	
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AAS/17/17	Anglo-Austrian Society mailing customer schools Includes publicity material. Previously in AAS/2009/Box 4. 1 folder	1998 June
AAS/17/18	Anglo-Austrian Society mailing to members	1998 August
	Includes publicity material and a newsletter dated August 1998 with a note about the Austrian National Fund for the Victims of National Socialism and the Mauerbach Fund. Previously in AAS/2009/Box 4.	August
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AAS/17/19	Anglo-Austrian Society mailing to companies	1998 September
	Includes publicity material. Previously in AAS/2009/Box 4.	ocptember
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AAS/17/20	Anglo-Austrian Society mailing to Friends	1998 September
	Includes publicity material. Previously in AAS/2009/Box 4.	·
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AAS/17/21	Anglo-Austrian Society mailing to schools	1998 October
	Includes publicity material. Previously in AAS/2009/Box 4.	
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AAS/17/22	Anglo-Austrian Society mailing to members	1998 November

	Includes publicity material. Previously in AAS/2009/Box 4.	
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AAS/17/23	Anglo-Austrian Society mailing to members Includes publicity material. Previously in AAS/2009/Box 4.	1999
	1 folder	
AAS/17/24	Anglo-Austrian Society mailing to Friends Includes publicity material. Previously in AAS/2009/Box 4.	1999
	1 folder	
AAS/17/25	<b>Felix Austria</b> First in a series of quarterly journals published by the Anglo-Austrian Society with the hope of 'offer[ing] information and inspiration to its readers'. Edited by Peter Gieler. Previously in AAS/2016/Box 6.	2004-2012
	10 folders	
AAS/17/25/1	<b>Felix Austria Volume 1 Issue 1 Spring 2004</b> Previously in AAS/2016/Box 6.	2004
	1 journal	
AAS/17/25/2	Previously in AAS/2016/Box 6.	2004
	1 journal	
AAS/17/25/3	<b>Felix Austria Volume 1 Issue 3 Autumn 2004</b> Previously in AAS/2016/Box 6.	2004
	1 journal	
AAS/17/25/4	Felix Austria Volume 1 Issue 4 Winter 2004	2004

1 journal

AAS/17/25/5	Felix Austria Volume 2 Issue 1 Spring 2004 Previously in AAS/2016/Box 6.	2004
	1 journal	
AAS/17/25/6	Felix Austria Volume 2 Issue 2 Summer 2004 Previously in AAS/2016/Box 6.	2004
	1 journal	
AAS/17/25/7	Felix Austria Volume 2 Issue 4 Winter 2005. Front page only Previously in AAS/2016/Box 6.	2005
	1 journal	
AAS/17/25/8	Felix Austria Volume 3 Issue 1 Spring 2006 Previously in AAS/2016/Box 6.	2006
	1 journal	
AAS/17/25/9	<b>Felix Austria Volume 3 Issue 2 Summer 2006</b> Previously in AAS/2016/Box 6.	2006
	1 journal	
AAS/17/25/10	<b>Felix Austria Volume 3 Issue 3 Autumn 2006</b> Previously in AAS/2016/Box 6.	2006
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AAS/17/25/11	Felix Austria Volume 3 Issue 4 Winter 2006	2006

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AAS/17/25/15Felix Austria Volume 4 Issue 4 Winter 20072007Previously in AAS/2016/Box 6.

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AAS/17/25/16Felix Austria Volume 5 Issue 1 Spring 20082008Previously in AAS/2016/Box 6.

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AAS/17/25/17Felix Austria Volume 5 Issue 2 Summer 20082008Previously in AAS/2016/Box 6.

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- AAS/17/25/20Felix Austria Volume 6 Issue 1 Spring 20092009Previously in AAS/2016/Box 6.

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AAS/17/25/24Felix Austria Volume 7 Issue 1 Spring 20102010Previously in AAS/2016/Box 6.

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AAS/17/25/25 Felix Austria Volume 7 Issue 2 Summer 2010 2010

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- AAS/17/25/26 Felix Austria Volume 7 Issue 3 Autumn 2010 2010 Previously in AAS/2016/Box 6.
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  AAS/17/25/27 Felix Austria Volume 7 Issue 4 Winter 2010 Previously in AAS/2016/Box 6.
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- AAS/17/25/28Felix Austria Volume 8 Issue 1 Spring 20112011Previously in AAS/2016/Box 6.

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AAS/17/25/30Felix Austria Volume 8 Issue 3 Autumn 20112011Previously in AAS/2016/Box 6.

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AAS/17/25/31Felix Austria Volume 8 Issue 4 Winter 20112011Previously in AAS/2016/Box 6.

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 Felix Austria Summer 2012
 2012

1 journal

AAS/17/25/3	<b>3 Felix Austria Autumn 2012</b> Previously in AAS/2016/Box 6.	2012
	1 journal	
AAS/17/25/3	<b>Felix Austria Winter 2012</b> Previously in AAS/2016/Box 6.	2012
	1 journal	
AAS/17/25/3	75 Typescripts of articles submitted for publishing in Anglo-Austrian newsletter Two typescripts of memoirs by Jussi Brainin and Margaret Lant respectively, the latter writing about her husband Rainer Lant, and another article about the Schubertiade by Alan [unknown surname]. There are letters from Brainin and Alan [?] offering the articles to Peter Gieler [editor of Felix Austria] for publication. It is not known whether they were in fact published on not, but in the Editorial of the Autumn 2008 edition of Felix Austria (Volume 5 Issue 3), Gieler wrote that he was 'grateful for the contributions received from members' and that he had 'created a file of these wonderful memories and [was] considering publishing them in a series of electronic booklets for members which would be available on the web site'. Previously in AAS/2016/Box 5.	2008
AAS/17/26	Loose pages of the Chiltern Group of the Anglo- Austrian Society Christmas newsletter, G'schichtern aus dem Chilternland Edited by Peter Gieler. [The Chiltern Stammtisch was started and run by Peter Lance from February 1998, following the decision of the Anglo-Austrian Society's trustees to encourage to form local groups. His role was taken over by Gieler, who continued being the main contact and organiser until he became the Secretary of the Anglo-Austrian Society.	2001 December

Gieler instigated this local newsletter in May 1998 and continued it on a quarterly basis.] Previously in AAS/2016/Box 1/File 2. 1 folder AAS/18 Property 1976-2003 Records relating to the purchase, renovation, sale and joint occupation of various properties by the Anglo-Austrian Society. 2 boxes AAS/18/1 Proposal to lease the Willett Building 37-39 1976 Sloane Square Previously in AAS/2016. 1 folder AAS/18/2 46 Queen Anne's Gate, London 1977-1978 Floor plans, reports and estimates and correspondence related to the renovation of 46 Queen Anne's Gate. Previously in AAS/2006/Box 12. 1 folder AAS/18/3 Austria House 1980-1983 Correspondence, floor plans and newspaper cuttings relating to the possibility of the AAS purchasing the leasehold of 40/44 QAG from the National Trust to create Austria House in London. Previously in AAS/2006/Box 30. 1 folder AAS/18/4 Redecoration of Queen Anne's Gate / Office [at] 1986-2003 140 Gray's Inn Road Contains material from 1986-1987 on the redecoration of QAG, and a small amount of material from 2002-2003 on the AAS's lease of rooms at the premises of the Progress Trust at Tiverton Mansions, 140 Gray's Inn Road. Previously in AAS/2016/Box 4. 1 folder AAS/18/5 Sale of Queen Anne's Gate 1976-1977,

Contains sections on the different potential buyers who made offers, including Sancroft, whose offer the AAS eventually accepted. Files 2 and 3 contain material from 1976-1977 relating to planning permission for renovations that the AAS carried out at that time, and in File 2 there is also a small amount of correspondence with the National Maritime Museum concerning a portrait painting of Admiral Vernon from 1979. The rest of the material is all from 1998-1999. The original file (a lever arch file) was marked '37'. Previously in AAS/2016/Box 2.

4 folders

AAS/18/6	Building survey report of 46 Queen Anne's Gate	1999 March
	By Gilmartin Associates. Previously in AAS/2016/Box 3.	

1 folder

AAS/18/7 Letter concerning sale of Queen Anne's Gate by 1999 Tuckerman Chartered Surveyors / Valuers Agents August Previously in AAS/2016/Box 4.

1 folder

AAS/18/8 Schedule of Condition in respect of ground floor 1999 July of Queen Anne's Gate by Tuckerman Commercial Ltd Previously in AAS/2016/Box 10.

1 folder

AAS/18/9 Draft agreement between the AAS and Sancroft 1999 International Ltd for the sale of Queen Anne's Gate Previously in AAS/2016/Box 7.

1 folder

AAS/18/10 Sancroft International Ltd [and Queen Anne's 1999-2003 Gate]

Includes correspondence relating to the payment of rates, and correspondence, floor plans, agreements and memos concerning the renting of the ground floor of QAG from Sancroft by the AAS after Sancroft's purchase of the property. Previously in AAS/2016/Box 3.

3 folders

#### AAS/18/11 Office [at] 140 Gray's Inn Road

Contains records on the AAS's lease of rooms at the premises of the Progress Trust at Tiverton Mansions, 140 Gray's Inn Road. Previously in AAS/2016/Box 4.

1 folder

#### AAS/19 Partner organisations

From early on in its existence the Anglo-Austrian Society worked in partnership with other organisations. Some of the records of these partnerships are integrated into other series, such as the joint relief work schemes involving the organisations Friends of Austria and the International Friendship League in AAS/19, and the education exchange scheme with the Österreichisches Komitee für Internationalen Studentenaustausch (records of the termination of this partnership are in AAS/3/12). The records in this series (AAS/19) concern a variety of partnerships. In some cases (particularly the records in AAS/19/1, the Rehabilition of Asocial Youth in Austria Committee, and AAS/19/2, the Educational Interchange Council), they consist primarily of the records (especially minutes) of the partner organisation itself, rather than AAS own records of their work with others. In such cases these records are nevertheless a constituent part of the AAS archives because the AAS Secretary attended their council meetings or was on their Executive Board. One of the recommendations of the AAS Transitional Committees' meetings in 2001-2002 was that the AAS should work more with similar organisations, which possibility explains the proliferation of records of partnership working from around that time.

2 boxes

AAS/19/1	Rehabilitation of Asocial Youth in Austria	1947 July-
	Committee (RAYAC) minutes	1950 July

1947-2013

RAYAC minutes and associated papers. RAYAC was one of a number of relief societies working in Austria whose representatives attended a meeting in November and December 1947 called by the Anglo-Austrian Society to avoid overlapping of relief work. RAYAC is described in the AAS EC minutes of April 1949 as a voluntary organisation which had given considerable assistance to the social authorities of Vienna city council. The same minutes also state that following their search for an Assistant Secretary for the AAS, Dr Wodak and Dr Harpner considered Mrs Oliva Payton, who was then the Honorary Secretary of RAYAC, to be the most suitable candidate in view of her efforts in dealing with the problem of asocial youth. Olivia Payton appears to have been appointed as AAS Assistant Secretary as she attended AAS EC meetings from this date. At the same time she was also attending RAYAC meetings. Otto Harpner also appears to have been invited to attend RAYAC meetings (eg the minutes of 25 February 1949, which register his apologies for absence), although it is not clear whether he was actually a member of RAYAC. Previously in AAS/2006.

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#### AAS/19/2 Educational Interchange Council

The Anglo-Austrian Society began to work with the EIC in 1948. The minutes of the AAS EC of 21 July 1948 record that in agreement with the EIC the AAS had started a scheme arranging individual exchanges between Austrians and British. At the same meeting the Chair also welcomed Mr Rowntree, a member of the EIC Executive Board, to join the AAS EC so that in addition to Otto Harpner being on the Executive of the EIC there would be another link between the two organisations. This sub-series includes meeting minutes and other EIC papers acquired in the course of AAS Secretary Walter Foster's activities as a member of the EIC Executive Committee. It is not clear why this sub-series only begins in 1971 given that the two organisations worked in partnership from 1948.

3 folders

#### AAS/19/2/1 Educational Interchange Council (EIC)

1971-1983

Minutes, correspondence, memos and a small amount of EIC publicity material. Includes applications forms for the post of General Secretary and Assistant Secretary of EIC in 1974. Previously in AAS/2006/Box 20.

2 folders

# AAS/19/2/2 Educational Interchange Council (EIC)

Covers Walter Foster's resignation from the EC of the EIC (as a result of not being able to attend meetings) and the liquidation of the EIC. Previously in AAS/2006/Box 20.

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# AAS/19/3 Friends of Robert Stolz

Newsletters and letters to Peter Gieler, General Secretary of the Anglo-Austrian Society, from the Friends of Robert Stolz, thanking him for all his help (for example with a new website that PG was setting up). Also includes newspaper clippings (copies of), postcards and other miscellaneous printed material on and commemorating Robert Stolz dating from c.1982. Previously in AAS/2016/Box1 File 7.

1 folder

#### AAS/19/4 Group of UK-European Union societies

Notices and minutes of meetings of the Group of UK-European Union Societies 2001-2004, and publicity material and newsletters produced by a range of different UK-European Union societies representing individual countries. Previously in AAS/2016/Box5.

1 folder

AAS/19/5 Österreicher Klub London

2003-2004

2 folders

#### AAS/19/5/1 Questionnaire on membership of the Anglo- 2003 Austrian Society

1972-1983

1982-2010

Previously in AAS/2016.

1 folder

AAS/19/5	<ul> <li>72 Typescript from the diary of founder member of the Österreicher Klub London, Louisa Müller Covers the period 1982-2004. Previously in AAS/2016/Box 10.</li> <li>1 folder</li> </ul>	2004
AAS/19/6	Auslandsösterreicher-Weltbund The Anglo-Austrian Society General Secretary Peter Gieler attended presidents' conferences of the Auslandsösterreicher-Weltbund. This file includes meeting and conference itineraries, newsletters and related material. Previously in AAS/2016. 1 folder	2003-2005
AAS/19/7	Austrian Catholic Centre Information leaflets and report about a project run by the Austrian Catholic Centre 'A Place called Home', including photographs and texts reflecting on the lives of Austrians in London (2007-2008), and a letter from the ACC to the Anglo-Austrian Society thanking the latter for a generous donation towards a their work with elderly Austrians in London. Previously in AAS/2016.	2007-2013
AAS/20	Anglo-Austrian Society staffing Records relating to staffing matters, some policy and some concerning individuals. The latter are closed in accordance with DPA. 7 folders	1962-1999
AAS/20/1	Correspondence and draft resolution of the AAS Executive Committee concerning the establishment of a pension trust for AAS employees Previously in AAS/2006/Box 5.	1962

AAS/20/2	<b>Staff - salaries, expenses</b> Previously in AAS/2006/Box 25.	1970-1984
	1 folder	
AAS/20/3	<b>Pension and redundancy rules</b> Previously in AAS/2006/Box 27.	1979-1984
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AAS/20/4	<b>Staff pensions</b> Previously in AAS/2006/Box 27.	1979
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AAS/20/5	<b>Staff pension insurance</b> Previously in AAS/2006/Box 27.	1979-1985
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AAS/20/6	<b>Staff pension insurance</b> Previously in AAS/2006/Box 27.	1986
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AAS/20/7	<b>Staff lists</b> Previously in AAS/2016/Box 7.	1991-1999
	1 folder	
AAS/21	Records relating to Austrian political controversies over Kurt Waldheim and Walter Reder Correspondence with Anglo-Austrian Society members and newspaper clippings relating to 1) Austrian politician and diplomat Kurt Waldheim, who was revealed in 1985 to have been an intelligence officer in Nazi Germany's Wehrmacht during World War II; and 2) Austrian SS commander and war criminal who in	1985-1989

1985, on his return from Italy where he had spent 33 years in prison, was greeted with a handshake by the then Austrian Defence Minister Friedhelm Frischenschlager.

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AAS/21/1 Correspondence with Anglo-Austrian Society members concerning the Kurt Waldheim affair	1986-1988
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Letters of resignation from at least ten members,	
many of whom stated that they did not wish to have	
anything to do with Austria in light of revelations about	
Waldheim, and responses from AAS Secretary Walter	
Foster. Previously in AAS/2016/Box 11.	

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AAS/21/2	Newspaper clippings on the Kurt Waldheim affair	1986-1987
	Also includes a number of published booklets relating to Austria's National Socialist history. Previously in AAS/2016/Box 11.	
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AAS/21/3 Newspaper clippings on the Kurt Waldheim affair 1987-1988 Previously in AAS/2016/Box 11.

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AAS/21/4 Newspaper clippings on the Kurt Waldheim affair 1988-1980 Previously in AAS/2016/Box 11.

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AAS/21/5 Correspondence and newspaper clippings 1985 relating to the Walter Reder affair Previously in AAS/2016/Box 11.

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AAS/22 Miscellaneous

1954, 2004

2 folders

# AAS/22/1 Lecture notes on Austrian history for a UNA 1954 March [United Nations Association?] meeting in 26 Camberley [Surrey]

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AAS/22/2 7 colour photographs of musical landmarks in Vienna (including the Hofkapelle, Haydn House, Schubert's kitchen) Developed in March 2004. [Date of creation and identity of photographer unknown.] Previously in AAS/2016/Box 8.