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Title: University of London Computer
Centre.
Dates: 1968-1996
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Name of Creator: University of London Computer
Centre

CONTEXT
Biographical/Administrative History: The University of London Computer Centre was set up in 1968 following the University's acceptance of a Government report on how to facilitate the computing needs of universities. The aim of ULCC was to offer a service to all universities in Britain but most of its resources were devoted to thirteen universities in the south of England and to institutions of the University of London.

CONTENT
Scope and Content: The collection includes copies of ULCC newsletters, user guides, guidance notes and handbooks; reports and reviews; meeting papers for the Adviser's Group, Phototypesetting Working Group and User Group, ASM/MVT, UNICOS and the Information Services Working Party; administrative papers, in particular those relating to the University of London Typesetting Service and floppy disks with information on IUTC.

ACCESS AND USE
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System of Arrangement: 1. Newsletters, User Guides and Handbooks. 2. Reports & Reviews. 3. Meeting Papers. 4. Administrative Papers and Computer Disks. 5. Visitors' books.
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UoL/ULCC/1/1   **ULCC Newsletters (1-3).**   **1968**
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UoL/ULCC/1/2   **ULCC Newsletters (4-15)**   **1969**
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UoL/ULCC/1/3   **ULCC Newsletters (16-26).**   **1970**
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UoL/ULCC/1/4   **ULCC Newsletters (27-38).**   **1971**
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UoL/ULCC/1/5   **ULCC Newsletters (39-50).**   **1972**
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UoL/ULCC/1/6   **ULCC Newsletters (51-62).**   **1973 January- December**

Also includes Supplement No.2 September 1973.

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UoL/ULCC/1/7   **ULCC Newsletters (63-73).**   **1974 January- December**

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UoL/ULCC/1/8   **ULCC Newsletters (74-84).**   **1975 January- December**

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UoL/ULCC/1/9   **ULCC Newsletters (85-95).**   **1976 January- December**

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UoL/ULCC/1/10   **ULCC Newsletters (96-106)**   **1977 January- December**

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UoL/ULCC/1/11   **ULCC Newsletter (107-117).**   **1978**
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UoL/ULCC/1/12   **ULCC Newsletters (118-128).**   **1979**
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UoL/ULCC/1/15   **ULCC Newsletters (151-161).**   **1982**
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UoL/ULCC/1/16   **ULCC Newsletters (162-172).**   **1983**
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UoL/ULCC/1/17   **ULCC Newsletters (173-183).**   **1984**
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UoL/ULCC/1/18   **ULCC Newsletters (184-194).**   **1985**
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Newsletter No.203 October 1986 is missing.

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UoL/ULCC/1/20   **ULCC Newsletters (206-216).**   **1987**
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UoL/ULCC/1/25   **ULCC Newsletter (259-264).**   **1992**
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UoL/ULCC/1/26 ULCC Newsletters (265-272). **1993 February- 1994 April**

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UoL/ULCC/1/27 **"COS Handbook".** **1989 January**

1 handbook

UoL/ULCC/1/28 **"Cray Handbook Chapter 5.10.02".** **undated**

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UoL/ULCC/1/29 **"Supercomputer Assisted Research".** **1989 August**

1 handbook

UoL/ULCC/1/30 **"Data Management in the Academic Environment" Seminar Information Pack.** **1993 November**

1 information pack

UoL/ULCC/1/31 **ULCC Information Pack.** **1993**

1 information pack

UoL/ULCC/1/32	**"SuperJanet".**	**undated**

1 information pack

UoL/ULCC/1/33	**"Chemical Software Guide".**	**1987 June-1993 June**

Copies of the guide for 1987, 1990 and 1993.

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UoL/ULCC/1/34	**"Maintenance of Basic Student Records" College Registry Service (CRS) User Manual.**	**1996 January**

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UoL/ULCC/1/35	**"Dimfilm" Descriptive Instructions for Microfilm User Guide.**	**1974 May**

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UoL/ULCC/1/36	**"A Guide to the University Computing Services".**	**1985 March-1987 March**

Copies of the guide for 1985 and 1987.

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UoL/ULCC/1/37	**"UNICOS Migration Guide".**	**1990 July**

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UoL/ULCC/1/38	**"ULCC Convex User Guide".**	**1992 June**
	1 booklet	
UoL/ULCC/1/39	**"VAX/VMS Front End User Guide" National Supercomputer Centres.**	**1989 July**
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UoL/ULCC/1/40	**"UNICOS Primer SG2010C".**	**c1988**
	1 booklet	
UoL/ULCC/1/41	**"COS -to- UNICOS Migration" User Guide.**	**c1990**
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UoL/ULCC/1/42	**"GAUSSIAN 76 An Ab Initio Molecular Orbital Program" with an Appendix.**	**1979 August-1981 October**
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UoL/ULCC/1/43   **ULCC Reference Documents.**   **1984 March-1985 December**

Reference documents: "Remote Batch Service via the Front-End System UT200 Workstations", "CNINDO/74 Quantum Chemistry Package", "SYMAP User's Guide", "MNDO Quantum Chemistry Package", "Digitised Boundary Data in Filedump Format" and "The CAN/SDI INSPEC User Guide".

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UoL/ULCC/1/44   **Amdahl Handbooks.**   **1982 December-1984 October**

Handbooks for "Using ALGOL68C at ULCC", ""SYMAP", "Using SIMULA at ULCC", "MINITAB Statistical Package", "ULCC Matrix Library (ULMLIB)" "Microfiche-Basic Use" (two copies), "LISREL Statistical Package", "Graphics and Microform Facilities", "Using Delft ALGOL60 at ULCC", "NAG ALGOL60 Library (Mark 7) and "DFSORT Data Set/Merge Utility".

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UoL/ULCC/1/45   **Amdahl Handbooks.**   **1985 July-1986 October**

Handbooks for "Input & Output Using Diskette", "GENSTAT Statistical Package", "Introduction to Job Scheduling", "POLYVRT-Geographic Data Base Manipulation", "NAG Graphical Supplement", "IMSL Subroutine Library", "Using BCPL at ULCC", "BASIC", "The Disc Space Scheduler", "Archiving Data Sets using DMS/OS" and "Using COBOL at ULCC".

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UoL/ULCC/1/46 **Phoenix, MVS JCL and COS Handbooks.**

1987 October- 1989 September

Handbooks for "Sending Work to ULCC" (0.5.1), "Kurzweil Document Reader" (1.2.3), "Further Use for Permanent Data Sets" (2.5.2), "AUDIT, a Utility for Examining Data Sets" (2.5.5), "Further Use of MVS Data Sets" (2.5.11), "Introduction to Magnetic Tape and Tape Services" (2.5.30), "Simple Use of Tape Data Sets" (2 copies) (2.5.31).

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UoL/ULCC/1/47 **Phoenix, MVS JCL and COS Handbooks.**

1987 October- 1989 December

Handbooks for "Protection and Security of Data Sets" (2.7.1), "The ACF2 Security System" (2.7.2), "Creating Libraries with LIBED" (3.0.6), "Using FORTRAN at ULCC" (3.1.1), "Using Pascal at ULCC" (3.2.1), and"Using Cray PROLOG on the COS Service" (3.14.1).

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UoL/ULCC/1/48 **Phoenix, MVS JCL and COS Handbooks.**

1987 September- 1989 September

Handbooks for "Microfiche User's Guide" (4.1.2), "GHOST-80 at ULCC" (4.2.2), "Using the GINO-F Libraries at ULCC" (4.2.4), "The NAG Graphical Library at ULCC" (4.2.8), "ASPEX for Automated Surface Perspectives" (4.3.3), "Using GIMMS at ULCC" (4.3.5) and "Using the SURFACE-2 Graphics Program" (4.3.9).

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UoL/ULCC/1/49 **Phoenix, MVS JCL and COS Handbooks.** **1982 November- 1988 November**

Handbooks for "The NAG FORTRAN Library at ULCC" (5.2.3), "Using the Harwell Subroutine Library" (5.2.15), "Optimisation with MINUIT" (5.2.8), "REDUCE Symbolic Calculus System" (5.2.10), "Scientific Subroutine Package SSP" (5.2.14), "MATH, STAT and LP PROTRAN" (5.2.17) and "Using PDE/PROTRAN at ULCC" (5.2.21).

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UoL/ULCC/1/50 **Phoenix, MVS JCL and COS Handbooks.** **1985 July- 1990 January**

Handbooks for "SPSSX Statistical Package" (5.3.2), "Using SAS at ULCC" (5.3.3), "SAS/GRAPH at ULCC" (5.3.5), "BMDP88 Statistical Package" (5.3.10), "CLUSTAN Cluster Analysis Package" (5.3.12), "GENSTAT General Statistical Package" (5.3.14), "Using MULTIVARIANCE at ULCC" (5.3.18), "GLIM for Generalised Linear Modelling" (5.3.26) and "Using SASPAC for Census Data Analysis" (5.3.30).

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UoL/ULCC/1/51 **Phoenix, MVS JCL and COS Handbooks.** **1987 December- 1989 August**

Handbooks for "PROCESS-Process Engineering" (5.4.2), "LUSAS and MYSTRO: finite element and graphical system" (5.4.4), "Crystallographic Packages at ULCC" (5.5.1), "INFOL-Information Processing" (5.9.2), "FAMULUS-77 for information storage and retrieval" (5.9.4) and "Oxford Concordance Programm OCP" (5.9.6).

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UoL/ULCC/1/52   **Cray Handbook.**   **1984 May**
"GAUSSIAN 76 Quantum Chemistry Package".

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UoL/ULCC/1/53   **Phoenix Handbook.**   **1987 July**

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UoL/ULCC/1/54   **Phoenix Handbook.**   **1989 September**

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UoL/ULCC/1/55   **ULCC Convex User Guide, 3rd Edition (1/6).**   **1993-1995**

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UoL/ULCC/1/56   **ULCC Convex User Guide, 3rd Edition (2/6).**   **1993-1995**
Section A-D.

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UoL/ULCC/1/57   **ULCC Convex User Guide, 3rd Edition (3/6).**   **1993-1995**
Section E-H.

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UoL/ULCC/1/58   **ULCC Convex User Guide, 3rd Edition (4/6).**   **1993-1995**
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UoL/ULCC/1/59   **ULCC Convex User Guide, 3rd Edition (5/6).**   **1993-1995**
Section N-R.

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UoL/ULCC/1/60   **ULCC Convex User Guide, 3rd Edition (6/6).**   **1993-1995**
Section S-Z.

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UoL/ULCC/2/1   **"Efficiency Review of National Centres University of London Computer Centre Service Definitions".**   **1989 June**

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UoL/ULCC/2/2   **"A report to the SERC Supercomputing Management Committee on supercomputing at ULCC".**   **1991 April-1992 March**

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UoL/ULCC/2/3   **Annual Reports.**   **1974-1976**

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UoL/ULCC/2/4   **Annual Reports.**   **1982-1985**

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UoL/ULCC/2/5   **Annual Reports.**   **1985-1987**

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UoL/ULCC/2/7 **Annual Reports.**   **1989-1991**

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UoL/ULCC/2/8 **Annual Reports.**   **1991-1993**

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UoL/ULCC/2/9 **"IT Skills Training Survey The Report".**   **1992**

1 report

UoL/ULCC/2/10 **"IT Skills in Universities - The Way Forward".** **1992**

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UoL/ULCC/2/11 **"Review of Academic Computing Resources** **1987**
                    and Management".   **February**

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UoL/ULCC/2/12 **"Report of the Utilities Group".**   **1969**
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UoL/ULCC/2/13   **ULCC Quarterly Report.**

**1983
November-
1984
January**

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UoL/ULCC/2/14   **"A Report of a Working Party on Computing
in the Arts" with an appendix "Availability
of, Access to and Use of facilities for arts
computing within the University of London".**

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September**

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UoL/ULCC/2/15   **"Report and Recommendations of a Working
Party on High Quality Printing".**

**1986
August**

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UoL/ULCC/2/16   **"Final Report and Recommendations of the
ULCC/UMRCC Common User Interface
Group".**

1986 July

1 report

UoL/ULCC/2/17   **"Live-Net Facilities Report".**

1989 June

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UoL/ULCC/3/1   **Adviser's Meeting.**

**1988 July-
1990 May**

Agenda, ms meeting notes and photocopied
sheets of OHP presentation slides.

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UoL/ULCC/3/2	**Phototypesetter Working Group.**	**1987 May-1989 October**

Ms and typescript meeting notes, memoranda, discussion papers, financial information, correspondence and reports.

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UoL/ULCC/3/3	**Phototypesetter Working Group.**	**1990 January-1994 April**

Minutes, rough notes, details of a national typesetting service at Oxford University, a funding proposal for a national typesetting service at ULCC and correspondence.

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UoL/ULCC/3/4	**Phototypesetter User Group.**	**1987 August-December**

Meeting notes and agenda with supporting paperwork including topics for discussion, a copy of the constitution and terms of reference, a Typeset Provisional User Guide, samples of fonts and output, an announcement for a new phototypesetting service for the University of London and an introduction to desk-top publishing.

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UoL/ULCC/3/5	**Phototypesetter User Group.**	**1988-1990**

Minutes and agenda with supporting paperwork including the Chairman's annual reports and lists of attendees.

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UoL/ULCC/3/6	**Phototypesetter User Group.**	**1991-1995**

Minutes and agenda with supporting paperwork including reports, rough notes, correspondence, details of the TEX Users' Group conference and a copy of "ImageSetting" the journal of the University of London Phototypesetter User Group (No.5 August 1992).

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UoL/ULCC/3/7	**ASM/MVT.**	**1990 January- August**
	Minutes and agenda.	
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UoL/ULCC/3/8	**ASM/MVT.**	**1990-1991**
	Minutes and agenda.	
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UoL/ULCC/3/9	**UNICOS Service Meeting.**	**1990-1991**
	Minutes, an introduction to the UNIX Operating System, "An Introduction to UNICOS", examples of common jobs in UNICOS and details of the initial UNICOS service at ULCC.	
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UoL/ULCC/3/10	**Information Services Working Party of the Software Management Panel.**	**1987 June- 1988 March**
	Minutes and agenda with supporting paperwork including, rough notes, membership details, estimates of time requirements for the Working Party, correspondence and a draft of a proposal for the classification of computing services manuals.	
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UoL/ULCC/4/1	**PCCC Annual Conference.**	**1989**
	Conference papers, correspondence and OHP's for the "Inhouse Typesetting - Improving Academic Publishing" conference.	
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UoL/ULCC/4/2	**University of London Typesetting Service.**	**1987-1988**
	Details of procedures for using the University's typesetting service and sample application forms from the University of Oxford Lasercomp service.	
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UoL/ULCC/4/3 **University of London Typesetting Service.** **1988-1992**

Details of the University typesetting service and its equipment, news of upgrades and amendments, financial information, correspondence and an advertisement.

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UoL/ULCC/4/4 **Computer and Related Services Draft Tender.** **1993**

A draft tender document.

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UoL/ULCC/4/5 **Office Instructions (1-7).** **1975-1985**

Instructions, some with amendments, relating to buying, fire instructions, keys, ULCC passes and telephones.

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UoL/ULCC/4/6 **Office Instructions (8-12).** **1979-1984**

Instructions, some with amendments, relating to the despatch of mail, accomodation services, scheme of management, recruitment of staff and obtaining copies of correspondence and documents.

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UoL/ULCC/4/7 **Office Instructions (13-28).** **1976-1986**

Instructions, some with amendments, relating to charges for sales and services, paying bills, computer and microform supplies, air conditioning supplies, furniture and equipment, office comsumables, technical literature, staff location, travel, maintaining records, emergency action, label production, copyright, hospitality and cash limits.

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UoL/ULCC/4/8 **Computer Disks.**   **1991-1992**

Twelve floppy disks containing information
relating to IUTC data analysis, an IUTC
Questions report, an IUTC Skills report and
responses to an IUTC questionnaire.

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UoL/ULCC/5/1 **Visitors' book**   **1970**
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Includes signatures of Queen Elizabeth II
(December 1970) and Princess Anne, the
Chancellor of the University of London
(November 1998)

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