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Catalogue Reference:
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Title:
Oakley, Robin (b 1940)

Date(s):
Chiefly 1965-2012

Level of description:
Collection

Extent and medium of the unit of description (quantity, bulk, or size):
6 boxes, 1 outsize file

Context

Name of creator(s):
Oakley, Robin (b 1940), sociologist

Administrative / Biographical history:


Immediate source of acquisition or transfer:
Placed in King’s College London Archives by Dr Oakley, 2015.

Content & structure

Scope and content:
Articles by Robin Oakley on Greek Cypriot immigrants in the UK, 1968-2011, and related background material, 1920-2007, including: reports, articles and maps relating to the twentieth century history of the Greek and Turkish communities in Cyprus; notes, correspondence and articles relating to Greek Cypriots worldwide, especially in the
USA and Australia; research material on Greek Cypriot immigration to the UK in the early twentieth century, including copy passenger lists and the personal reminiscences of London restaurateur John Stais; articles on the social conditions, education and health of Greek Cypriots in London, 1960s-1990s; published directories and guides (4 items) relating to Greek and Turkish Cypriots in London, 1965-1982; research notes on Greek Cypriots in Leeds, 1966. Also text of an MPhil thesis by Vicky Aloneftis, “We’re different, we’re Greeks from London not Cyprus”: ethnic identity amongst Greek Cypriot youth in North London’, 1984, and a published book of photographs, Here and there: the Greek Cypriot community in London, by photojournalists Marianna Economou and Paul Halliday, 1988.

System of arrangement:
The collection is in a series of 19 files, as outlined above.

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Open, subject to signature of a Reader’s undertaking form, and appropriate provision of two forms of identification, to include one photographic ID.

Conditions governing reproduction:
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Language/scripts of material:
English and Greek.

Finding aids:
This summary guide, and a file list available in the Archives Reading Room.

Allied materials

Existence and location of originals:
King’s College London College Archives

Related units of description:
King’s College London: the Greek Diaspora Archive holds extensive interviews and related material concerning Greek Cypriot immigrants and their families in the UK

Description control

Rules or conventions:

Date(s) of descriptions:
September 2015