

# Guide to the Yale Gay and Lesbian Alumni Records

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## Collection Overview

**REPOSITORY:** Manuscripts and Archives  
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**CALL NUMBER:** RU 956

**CREATOR:** Yale Gay and Lesbian Alumni

**TITLE:** Yale gay and lesbian alumni records

**DATES:** 1982-1998

**PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION:** 2.5 linear feet (4 boxes)

**LANGUAGE:** English

**SUMMARY:** The records consist of correspondence, minutes, drafts of constitution and bylaws, newsletters, and news clippings documenting the activities of the Yale Gay and Lesbian Alumni (GALA).

**ONLINE FINDING AID:** To cite or bookmark this finding aid, please use the following link: <https://hdl.handle.net/10079/fa/mssa.ru.0956>

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Key to the container abbreviations used in the PDF finding aid:

b.      box  
f.      folder

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## Administrative Information

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### Immediate Source of Acquisition

The records were a gift of Corey Alan Friedlander, 2004; Dennis W. Mack, 2010.

## Conditions Governing Access

Access to the records is restricted. See inventory for details.

Original born digital files, as well as preservation masters, may not be accessed due to their fragility. Researchers must consult use copies, or if none exist request that they be made. Born digital files cannot be accessed remotely. System requirements include a Manuscripts and Archives computer and file viewing software.

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## Preferred Citation

Yale Gay and Lesbian Alumni Records (RU 956). Manuscripts and Archives, Yale University Library.

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## Processing Information

Yale University records are arranged and described at the accession level by the creating office. The University Archives creates collection level descriptive records, but typically does no further arrangement and description at the accession level.

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## Biographical / Historical

The Yale Gay and Lesbian Alumni (GALA) was established in 1983. It sponsors social and educational events, supports the goals and activities of campus gay and lesbian organizations, and promotes an atmosphere of understanding and cooperation among its members and the entire Yale community.

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## Scope and Contents

The records consist of correspondence, minutes, drafts of constitution and bylaws, newsletters, and news clippings documenting the activities of the Yale Gay and Lesbian Alumni (GALA).

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## General note

Forms part of Yale Record Group 8-C-1 (YRG 8-C-1), Records of organizations open to all Yale alumni.

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## Arrangement

The records are arranged by accession.

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## Collection Contents

### Accession 2004-A-202: Yale Gay and Lesbian Alumni (GALA) records and files of Corey Friedlander, circa 1984-1987

Restricted until Jan 1, 2023.

b. 1, f. 1	Yale bulldog banner	Undated
b. 1, f. 2	GALA alumni	1984-1985
b. 1, f. 3	GALA/CSC	1984
b. 1, f. 4	Yale alumni magazine	1984
b. 1, f. 5	GALA reunion correspondence	1984
b. 1, f. 6	Letter 1	1983
b. 1, f. 7	Letter 2	1983
b. 1, f. 8	Letter 3	1983-1984
b. 1, f. 9	Reunion #1	1984
b. 1, f. 10	GLAD day rally, GALA newsletter	1984-1986
b. 1, f. 11	National Yale GALA correspondence	1986
b. 1, f. 12	GALA 1984 reunion plans #2	1984
b. 1, f. 13-14	Yale GALA (parts 1 and 2)	1983-1985
b. 1, f. 15	GALA, correspondence, planning, Yale alumni magazine	1983-1986
b. 1, f. 16	GALA in the news	1983
b. 1, f. 17	AIDS prevention week, Yale GALA	1985-1986
b. 1, f. 18	Yale GALA calendar	1986
b. 1, f. 19	GALA list updates and dues	1986
b. 1, f. 20	GALA dues and donations	1986
b. 1, f. 21	Yale alumni fund	1986
b. 1, f. 22	Proposed certificate of incorporation, complete Yale GALA list	1986
b. 1, f. 23	NEGALA	1987
b. 1, f. 24	YALE GALA alumni	1986
b. 1, f. 25	Correspondence to Corey Friedlander	1987
b. 1, f. 26	GLC newsletter	1986
b. 2, f. 1	Yale GALA alumni reunion posters (2)	1984 June 1-3

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## **Accession 2010-A-076: Yale Gay and Lesbian Alumni (GALA) records, 1982-1998**

Restricted until Jan 1, 2034.

b. 1, f. 1-2	Administrative records and correspondence	1983-1997
b. 1, f. 3	Boston/Washington, D.C.	
b. 1, f. 4	Meeting minutes	1986-1991
b. 1, f. 5	News clippings	1982-1988
b. 1, f. 6-7	Newsletters	1983-1986
b. 2, f. 8-9	Newsletters	1987-1998
b. 2, f. 10	Other gay and lesbian alumni groups	1984-1991
b. 2, f. 11	Press	1987-1988

## **Selected Search Terms**

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

### **Subjects**

Gay clubs  
Universities and colleges -- Alumni and alumnae

### **Corporate Bodies**

Yale Gay and Lesbian Alumni  
Yale University -- Alumnae and alumnae -- Societies, etc.