Title: Fayez A. Sayegh Collection
Creator: Sayegh, Arlene
Bulk Dates: 1965-1978
Inclusive dates: 1946-1991
Extent: .05 linear feet
Accession number: 2015.12.00

Abstract
The collection features a small selection of published works from Dr. Fayez A. Sayegh, a prominent Arab American Scholar. Additional items include materials related to his work at the United Nations and his death in 1980.

Language: Arabic and English
Acquisition: Donation from Arlene Sayegh, 2015.
Accruals: Additions to the collection are expected.
Access: No restrictions
Photographs: None
A-V Material: None
Digital Materials: None
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History
Born in 1922 in Syria, Dr. Fayez A. Sayegh earned his bachelor’s and master’s degrees from American University of Beirut (AUB) before moving to the United States to earn his Ph.D. at Georgetown University in 1949. Dr. Sayegh went on to work for the United Nations in various capacities while also teaching at institutions such as Yale, Stanford, AUB and Oxford. As a scholar devoted to the Palestinian cause, in 1965 he founded and became the director-general of the Palestine Research Center in Beirut.

Scope and Content Note
The bulk of the collection consists of booklets and articles written by Dr. Sayegh. These materials primarily relate to Palestine and Israel, with additional material concerning Arab identity and global responses to issues in the Arab World. Official records of his work at the United Nations are also included in the collection, along with transcripts of speeches made on television at events. Finally, the collection includes materials relating to his death, including numerous obituaries, memorials and letters of condolence.

Subjects
Arab-Israeli conflict
Association of Arab-American University Graduates
Middle East--Politics and government

Genre terms
Booklets
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Booklets and articles written by Dr. Sayegh
Booklets
(English except where noted)

(Arabic)


Note on the Palestine Problem. Beirut, March 1946.


The Road. Beirut, Lebanon: Dar al Fiter, 1947 (Arabic)

Understanding the Arab Mind. The Organization of Arab Students, June 1953


Articles in other sources

“The Arab Reaction to American Policy.” Reprint from Social Science, Vol 27 No. 4. October, 1952


