

STEFAN MUTHESIUS' PAPERS – A GUIDE

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Stefan Muthesius is an architectural and design historian who has taught at UEA. Included in this collection are research papers, correspondence, interviews and proofs for the publication of his book 'Concrete and Open Skies: architecture at the University of East Anglia, 1962-2000' (with Peter Dormer, 2001).

Other research papers relate to the architecture of UK and West German universities in the 1960s, as well as in France, the US and Canada; and post WWII council housing, particularly in London. The papers complement the publications of: 'The Post-War University. Utopianist Campus and College' (2000); and 'Tower Block: Modern Public Housing in England, Scotland, Wales and Northern Ireland' (with Miles Glendinning, 1994).

Included in the original deposit were important original documents from UEA Estates Archive (Transferred to UEA/EST).

Reference: SM

Extent: 48 boxes

Provenance:

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Arrangement

SM/A UEA Architecture 2001-2009
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SM/U Universities

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Buildings and campus development

SM/B Post WW2 Council Housing

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Housing literature 1924 – 1949

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Housing literature 1950 – 1961

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Housing literature 1962 - 1969

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Housing literature, 1970s

SM/B/5 Post WW2 Council Housing
Housing literature, 1980-

SM/B/6 Post WW2 Council Housing
Construction, Various

SM/B/7 Post WW2 Council Housing
Construction, Industrialized – main texts

SM/B/8 Post WW2 Council Housing
Construction, General
Advertisement Services

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Ministry

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Design Bulletins

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Design Bulletins/ Planning Bulletins

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Miscellaneous

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Newspapers

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Journals, 1949-1954

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Journals, 1955-1959

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Journals, 1960s AJ, AR, AD, JRIBA

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Journals 1960s various, Journals 1970s

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Journals 1980s

SM/B/20 Post WW2 Council Housing
London - general

London - early

SM/B/21 Post WW2 Council Housing

London - early

Includes flats and the boroughs of Pimlico, St. Pancras Way, Lansbury, Walthamstow, Lewisham, etc.

SM/B/22 Post WW2 Council Housing

London - later

SM/B/23 Post WW2 Council Housing

England (excluding London and new towns)

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English New Towns: Harlow, Stevenage, Basildon, Crawley, Hatfield.

N. Ireland

Scotland

SM/C 'Concrete and Open Skies'

SM/C/1 'Concrete and Open Skies'

Pictures, proofs, picture rights.

SM/C/2 'Concrete and Open Skies'

UEA pictures and slides (unsorted)

SM/C/3 'Concrete and Open Skies'

Documents, mainly 1960s some 1970s

SM/C/4 'Concrete and Open Skies'

Documents: Foster, Mather, Miller

SM/C/5 'Concrete and Open Skies'

Various -1990s

Some early prospectuses, copies of Ziggurat, etc.

SM/C/6 'Concrete and Open Skies'

Documents, correspondence, draft, correspondence with the architect Norman Foster, expenses claim forms, articles by SM, synopsis for book.

SM/C/7 'Concrete and Open Skies'

Documents: Lasdun, Fielden.

Interviews, including those with: Peter Yorke (architect); Frank Thistkethwaite (Vice-Chancellor); Sir Bernard M. Fielden (architect); Willi Guttsman (Librarian); Professor James MacFarlane; Derek Burke (Vice-Chancellor); Mr Paulson-Ellis; Denys Lasdun.

SM/U Universities

SM/U/1 Universities

Correspondence

SM/U/2 Universities

England

Student residences draft

SM/U/3 Universities

England: general; various universities

SM/U/3A Universities

SM/U/4 Universities

England - General (later)
UGC Pro
UGC Public

SM/U/5 Universities

Lancaster
Sussex

SM/U/6 Universities

Warwick
York

SM/U/7 Universities

Essex
Kent
Oxbridge

SM/U/8 Universities

International

SM/U/9 Universities

France
Germany: general architecture

SM/U/10 Universities

Germany: general; various universities

SM/U/11 Universities

Germany: Konstanc, Bochum, Bielefeld, Regensburg

SM/U/12 Universities

Germany: student residences

SM/U/13 Universities

USA: New York, California, Chicago

SM/U/14 Universities

USA: general

SM/U/15 Universities

USA: general architecture
Canada

Subject headings

University of East Anglia
Cities and towns – Planning -- United Kingdom
Flats – United Kingdom
Housing – United Kingdom
Architecture – 20th century – UK
Universities and colleges -- Buildings
Campus planning
Public architecture
Council housing