

Title: Milwaukee Repertory Theater Collection

Reference Code: Mss-1719

Inclusive Dates: 1964 – ongoing

Quantity: 2.0 cu. ft.

Location: ER, Sh. G010

Abstract: The Milwaukee Repertory Theater's roots reach back to the formation of the Fred Miller Theatre in 1954. In the early 1960s, the theater established a resident acting company and expanded its repertoire from Broadway hits to include classics and new works. The company was renamed the Milwaukee Repertory Theater in 1963 to reflect this new philosophy. The Milwaukee Rep moved in 1968 to the Todd Wehr Theater in the new downtown Performing Arts Center. The Rep moved to its current home – a converted power generation plant – at 108 East Wells Street in 1987.

Scope and Content: The collection consists of a fairly complete run of programs and promotional mailings.

Access and Use: No restrictions

Language: English

Administrative Note: The collection was reprocessed in June 2025 by Abe Blumin.

Arrangement:

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