

**Griffith Institute Archive
Description of material**

**This description is based on the General International Standard Archival
Description ISAD(G)**

1. Identity statement

Reference code n/a

Title Foucart visitor's book.

Dates of creation of the material 1925-1948.

Extent 1 book.

2. Context

Name of creator Foucart, Georges (1865-1943).

Administrative and biographical history French Egyptologist. Born, Versailles, 1865. Died, Zamalek, 1943. Trained by his father Paul F., a Classicist and Director of the French School in Athens. Then studied at the École des Hautes Études. Appointed Inspector of Antiquities of Lower Egypt, 1892-4. Professor of Ancient History, University of Bordeaux, 1897. Professor of History of Religions, Aix-en-Provence, 1903. D.Ph., 1910. Director of IFAO, 1915-28. Published many important articles on the history of religion.

See *Who Was Who in Egyptology* (3rd ed. 1995), 154-5.

Custodial history Formerly in the possession of his daughter, Mme. Farida Galassi.

Immediate source of acquisition Presented by Dr R. J. Demarée, in 2008.

Related documentation Griffith Institute Archive MSS Correspondence box file.

3. Content and structure

Scope and content Visitor's book of the G. Foucart family, Cairo, for 1925 to 1948.

System of arrangement Kept as received.

4. Access and use

Legal status Property of the Griffith Institute.

Access conditions No restrictions.

Copyright conditions Copyright Griffith Institute, Oxford.

Language of material French, English, Italian, German.

Physical characteristics No problems.

Finding aids None.

5. *Allied materials area*

Location of originals This is the original.

Existence of copies Photocopy in the possession of Dr. R. J. Demarée, in 2008.

Related units of description None.

Associated material Not known.

Publications Not published.