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Morris Janowitz Collection

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Biographical Note

Morris Janowitz was born on October 22, 1919, and grew up in Paterson, New Jersey.

After graduating from Eastside High School and later New York University with a Journalism degree, Morris entered the service in 1943. There he was commissioned by the Office of Strategic Services with the Psychological Warfare Branch, serving as an Intelligence Officer who determined the levels of the German Armed Forces' morale throughout the war.

After receiving the Purple Heart for sustaining wounds after an air raid in London as an enlisted man, and the Bronze Star for his "meritorious service in connection with military operations" in the European Theater of Operations as a Second Lieutenant, Janowitz left the service in November of 1945, but continued to work with Washington D.C. in interpreting foreign and Fascist propaganda and activity. Janowitz earned his Doctorate degree in the Social Sciences, and taught at the University of Chicago while writing numerous publications. Morris stayed very active in his community, earning the Decoration for Distinguished Civilian Service given by the Department of the Army.

Morris Janowitz passed away on November 7, 1988 at 69 years old.

Awards

Purple Heart
Bronze Star

Duty Stations

London, England
Office of Strategic Services, Washington D.C.

Scope and Content of the Collection

The Morris Janowitz collection consists of official documents, papers, and artifacts that belonged to Morris during his service in the Second World War from 1943 to 1945, and also includes documents and publications of Janowitz's work during his career as a professor at the University of Chicago after the war until his passing in 1988.

Arrangement

The collection arrived with no discernable arrangement and was rearranged by subject matter in a more efficient working order by PMML staff. The collection is contained within 1 archival box.

Series One: Publications by Morris Janowitz, 1950-1986, Folder 1

This series includes publications and works written by Janowitz throughout his career at the University of Chicago, after his service in World War II. All of the publications are in some relative to military studies, military history, and international relations. The works are shown published in a number of magazines and articles that have been photocopied.

Series Two: Service Records and Documents, 1942-1951, Folder 2

The papers in this series relate to Janowitz's service in World War II and documents given to him during and after the war. These documents include service records, insurance papers, official awards papers, and Veteran's Administration paperwork.

Series Three: Professional Documents, 1961-1987, Folder 3

This series includes paperwork Morris kept during his professional career. He kept in contact with the government, as well as being a professor at the University of Chicago.

Paperwork in this series includes a letter from the White House asking Janowitz to be a part of the SALT II conference, course evaluations, and Vitas.

Series Four: Newspaper and Article Clippings, 1945-1984, Folder 4

This series contains newspaper and article clippings that feature, mention, or quote Janowitz and his activities.

Series Five: Miscellaneous, 1982-1988, Folder 5

This series has paperwork and other items that do not fit in the other four series categories.

Series Six: Photographs, 1941-1945, Folder 6

This series includes photographs that are related to Morris Janowitz, including a photocopied yearbook photo from 1941 and a portrait of him as a Second Lieutenant while serving with the Army.

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Access

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Separations

Item ID	Description
800089001	Army Enlisted Hat Pin
800089002	Armor Branch Insignia Pin
800089003	Infantry Badge Insignia Pin
800089004	Infantry Badge Insignia Pin
800089005	Infantry Badge Insignia Pin

800089006	Infantry Badge Insignia Pin
800089007	Infantry Badge Insignia Pin
800089008	Officer's Garrison Cap
800089009	Officer's Garrison Cap with Second Lieutenant Bar
800089010	Cold Weather Body Bag
800089011	Warm Weather Body Bag
800089012	Overseas Duffle Bag
800089013	Army Nazi Dagger and Scabbard
800089014	British 1907 Mk1 Bayonet, with Scabbard and Leather Strap
800089015	Nazi Flag with inscription Trier Süd
800089016	Nazi Armband
800089017	Nazi Flagpole Ornament
800089018	US Army ROTC Session 1980 Plaque
800089019	Israeli Institute for Military Studies Plaque
800089020	University of Chicago ROTC Summer Program 1979 Plaque
800089021	Diploma given to Morris Janowitz- Doctorate in Social Sciences

Key Subjects

This collection is indexed under the following headings in the Library's online catalog. Researchers interested in materials about related topics, persons, or places should search the catalog using these subject headings.

Names

Janowitz, Morris

Subjects

World War 1939-1945- Europe

Container List

Box	Folder	Item ID	Title	Dates
1	1		Series One: Publications	1950-1986, n.d
		800089022	'Reactions to Fascist Propaganda-A Pilot Study'	1950
		800089023	'Changing Patterns of Organizational Authority: The Military Establishment'	Mar-59
		800089024	'Military Mission: Key to Military Organization' Air Force Magazine clipping	Mar-60
		800089025	'Armed Forces in Western Europe: Uniformity and Diversity'	1965
		800089026	'Administrative Reform of the Selective Service System'	Nov-69
		800089027	'National Service: A Third Alternative?'	Sep-71
		800089028	'The Decline of the Mass Army'	Feb-72
		800089029	'Volunteer Armed Forces and Military Purpose'	Apr-72
		800089030	'The Social Demography of the All-Volunteer Armed Force'	Mar-73
		800089031	'Military Institutions and Citizenship in Western Societies'	Feb-76
		800089032	'Five Years of the All-Volunteer Force: 1973-1978'	Feb-79
		800089033	'Working Towards a National Service System'	Jun-79
		800089034	'Consequences of Social Science Research on the U.S. Military'	1982
		800089035	'Bibliography'	Jul-82
		800089036	The University of Chicago Magazine-Summer 1985 Issue	1985

800089037	'Consequences of Social Science Research on the U.S. Military'	Jul-86
800089038	'Civic Consciousness and Military Performance'	n.d

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Series Two: Service Documents

1942-1951

800089039	Application for National Service Life Insurance	Sep-42
800089040	National Service Life Insurance Certification	Dec-43
800089041	Award of Purple Heart (2 copies)	Aug-44
800089042	Appointment to Second Lieutenant	Apr-45
800089043	Bronze Star Medal Awarded to Morris Janowitz (2 copies)	Jun-45
800089044	Certificate of Service given to Morris Janowitz (2 copies)	Nov-45
800089045	Separation Qualification Record (2 copies)	Nov-45
800089046	Award of Education or Training Subsistence Allowance	May-46
800089047	Veterans Administration Case File Transfer	Mar-46
800089048	Veterans Administration Receipt Acknowledgement	Oct-46
800089049	Veteran's Application for a Course of Education	1950
800089050	National Service Life Insurance Renewal	Oct-51

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Professional Docs

**1961-1987,
n.d**

800089051	University of Michigan News Service Immediate Release Story	Mar-61
800089052	Letter from White House Concerning SALT II Treaty	Oct-79
800089053	Student Course Evaluation	1982
800089054	Vita	Jul-82

800089055	Course List (Photocopy)	1985
800089056	The Strategic Dimension of Military Manpower Brochure (2 copies)	May-85
800089057	Vita	Jun-85
800089058	Additions to the Vita	1986
800089059	United States Army Recruiting Command Letter to Morris Janowitz	Feb-87
800089060	Comments on Research of Research Group I on Military Institutions	n.d

1	4	Article Clippings	1945-1984, n.d
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800089061	2 Newspaper Clippings (photo copied) regarding Morris Janowitz	1945
800089062	"Morris Janowitz to Address Cadets on Leadership Ideas"	1961
800089063	"Janowitz Calls Self 'a defeated candidate'"	Apr-62
800089064	"Military Experts Discuss Implications of Free Speech"	Apr-62
800089065	Time Magazine- "Who'll Fight for America?"	Jun-80
800089066	"Janowitz, Neudel debate Soloman"	Jan-84
800089067	"Spectator Interview- Morris Janowitz on the Election and Education"	Nov-84
800089068	Newspaper clipping- "Important in War"	n.d
800089069	"Laotian art work has universal appeal" newspaper clipping	n.d

1	5	Series Three: Miscellaneous	1982-1988, n.d
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800089070	Cemetery and Burial Information (2 pages)	Aug-82
800089071	Letter to Major General Ono from Mrs. Morris Janowitz	Apr-87

800089072	Department of the Army Letter Regarding Policy Exception Request (2 pages)	Jul-87
800089073	Letter from Col. Marshall R. Mcree acknowledging Request	Jul-87
800089074	Approval of request for internment at Fort Sheridan	Nov-87
800089075	Morris Janowitz Bibliographical Memoirs	Nov-88
800089076	The Morris Janowitz Collection on Armed Forces and Society	n.d
800089077	Guide For New Soldiers Book	n.d

1	6	Series Four: Photographs	1941, n.d
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800089078	Yearbook photo of Morris Janowitz (photocopy)	1941
800089079	Photo depicting scene outside a house/manor, 7 people	N/A
800089080	Portrait of 2nd Lt. Morris Janowitz	N/A