

# **ATLANTA-SOUTHERN DENTAL COLLEGE.**

## **Atlanta-Southern Dental College records, 1917-1944**

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### **Descriptive Summary**

**Creator:** Atlanta-Southern Dental College.  
**Title:** Atlanta-Southern Dental College records, 1917-1944  
**Call Number:** Series No. 011  
**Extent:** 2.50 linear ft. (5 boxes + 2 bound volumes)  
**Abstract:** Consists of Board of Trustees minutes, catalogs, subject files, and photographs.  
**Language:** Materials entirely in English.

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### **Administrative Information**

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#### **Source**

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#### **Citation**

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#### **Processing**

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## **Collection Description**

### **Biographical Note**

Atlanta-Southern Dental College began in 1917 with the consolidation of Southern Dental College (1887-1917) and Atlanta Dental College (1893-1917). The faculties combined, with S. W. Foster serving as president, Thomas P. Hinman as dean and C. N. Hughes as registrar and treasurer in addition to their teaching duties. The new school's admissions requirements included graduation from a four-year high school with 15 college entrance units. Entrance requirements rose steadily from that time until 1944 when Atlanta-Southern merged with Emory University.

### **Scope and Content Note**

The records of Atlanta-Southern Dental College include Board of Trustees minutes, catalogs, subject files and a few photographs. The Board of Trustees minutes (1917; 1926-1944) document the development and continued growth of the school, as well as a major controversy surrounding the creation of a teaching clinic. Area dentists viewed such a clinic as a threat to their private practices and brought suit against the Fifth District Dental Society in 1932. Legal documents (Box 4, folder 9; Box 5, folders 6-7) provide further documentation of this disagreement.

Other records consist of alumni directories including graduates of the early dental schools; the constitution and by-laws of the school; enrollment lists for 1941-1944; financial records; and information about the accelerated course of instruction that was offered during World War II.

### **Arrangement Note**

Arranged according to document type.

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## Container List

### Administrative Records

Box	Folder	Content
1	1	Board of Trustees minutes, 1917
1	2	Board of Trustees minutes, 1926
1	3	Board of Trustees minutes, 1927-1928
1	4	Board of Trustees minutes, 1929-1930
1	5	Board of Trustees minutes, 1931
1	6	Board of Trustees minutes, 1932
1	7	Board of Trustees minutes, 1933
1	8	Board of Trustees minutes, 1934
1	9	Board of Trustees minutes, 1935
1	10	Board of Trustees minutes, 1937
1	11	Board of Trustees minutes, 1938-1939
1	12	Board of Trustees minutes, 1940 June 5
1	13	Board of Trustees minutes, 1940 October 29
1	14	Board of Trustees minutes, 1942
1	15	Board of Trustees minutes, 1943
1	16	Board of Trustees minutes, 1944
2	1	Catalog, 1917-1918
2	2	Catalog, 1918-1919 (supplement)
2	3	Catalog, 1919-1920
2	4	Catalog, 1920-1921
2	5	Catalog, 1921-1922
2	6	Catalog, 1922-1923
2	7	Catalog, 1923-1925
2	8	Catalog, 1925-1927
2	9	Catalog, 1927-1929
2	10	Catalog, 1930-1931
2	11	Catalog, 1931-1933
2	12	Catalog, 1933-1935
2	13	Catalog, 1935-1937
2	14	Catalog, 1937-1939
3	1	Catalog, 1939-1941
3	2	Catalog, 1941-1944
5	1	Financial records, 1938
5	2	Financial records, 1938-1940
5	3	Financial records, 1940-1942

5	4	Financial records, 1942-1944
5	5	Financial records, 1925, 1945
BV 1		Financial records, 1896-1900
4	7	Legal documents-real estate and stock, 1874-1924
4	8	Legal documents-articles of incorporation, 1917
4	9	Legal documents-ASDC v. Fifth District Dental Society, 1932
5	6	Legal documents-ASDC v. Fifth District Dental Society, 1932-1937
5	7	Legal documents-ASDC v. Fifth District Dental Society, 1932-1937

### Subject Files

3	3	Accelerated course of instruction, 1942-1944
3	4	Alumni association annual meeting, 1933-1941
3	5	Alumni association bulletin, 1934-1938
3	6	Alumni association constitution and by-laws, 1933
3	7	Alumni association membership list, 1937-38
3	8	Alumni directory (combined), 1935-1939
3	9	Alumni directory (combined), 1941
3	10	Alumni directory (combined, copy 2), 1941
3	11	Building specifications, 1925
4	1	Constitution and by-laws, 1917; 1926
4	2	Commencement invitation, 1937
4	3	Commencement programs, 1923-1935; 1937-1938; 1943
4	4	Clippings, 1934; 1941
4	5	DeLos L. Hill, Jr. Memorial Dental Clinic, 1940-1944
4	6	Fiftieth anniversary celebration, 1938
4	10	Photographs, undated
4	11	Student directory, 1934-1935
4	12	Student enrollment lists, 1941-1944
4	13	Student government constitution, 1936

### Photographs

4	14	War bond presentation (3 copies) and U. S. Army Signal Corp drill
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### Student Records

BV 2		circa 1928-1931
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