



The Egypt Exploration Society

The Lucy Gura Archive:

Sub-archive levels and abbreviations

In 2014 the Society implemented a new archival referencing system across its collections (see *The Hierarchical Structure of the EES Lucy Gura Archive* for further details). Within this reference system a number of abbreviations are utilised. These can appear anywhere within each archival reference and relate to sites, people, or document types within the collections. This list should help you to narrow down your search criteria and clarify the results shown to you in the online catalogue.

Please note: *The catalogue does not offer information on item-level records across all sub-archives. As of August 2015 all sub-archive and collection-level records have been inputted to give indications of holdings at the EES. In time, file-level and item-level records will be added to the system.*

The online library and archive catalogue can be accessed via:

<http://ees.soutron.net/Library/Catalogues/Search.aspx>

Abbreviation	Meaning	Notes
AB	Abydos	Material relating to EES expeditions
ARM	Armant	Material relating to EES expeditions
ART	Artwork	Archaeological record type
AUS	Australian Branch	Administrative documents
AW	Amara West	Material relating to EES expeditions
BAL	Balabish	Material relating to EES expeditions
BERS	Deir el-Bersha	Material relating to EES expeditions
BH	Beni Hasan	Material relating to EES expeditions
BUB	Bubastis	Material relating to EES expeditions
BUH	Buhen	Material relating to EES expeditions
BUT	Buto	Material relating to EES expeditions
CAM	Ricardo A Caminos	Personal materials
COR	Correspondence	Administrative/personal
DB	Deir el-Bahari	Material relating to EES expeditions
DEND	Dendera	Material relating to EES expeditions
DIOS	Diospolis Parva	Material relating to EES expeditions
DIST	Distribution	Administrative documents
EMER	Emery	Personal materials
EQ	Archaeological Equipment	Historical equipment
FILM	Film	Archaeological record type
GR	Graeco-Roman Branch	Administrative documents
HAR	Gebel el-Haridi	Material relating to EES expeditions

MAP	Maps and Plans	Archaeological record type
MEIR	Meir	Material relating to EES expeditions
NAU	Naukratis	Material relating to EES expeditions
NEG	Negatives	Archaeological record type
NUB	Nubian Sondage Survey	Material relating to EES expeditions
OC	Object Cards	Archaeological record type
OFF	Office	Administrative documents
PC	Pottery Cards	Archaeological record type
PICT	Pictographic	Archaeological record type
QI	Qasr Ibrim	Material relating to EES expeditions
REP	Reports	Archaeological record type
RIG	Wadi Shatt el-Rigal	Material relating to EES expeditions
SAQ-ANUB	Saqqara – Anubieion	Material relating to EES expeditions
SAQ-GT	Saqqara – Great Tombs	Material relating to EES expeditions
SAQ-KHE	Saqqara – Khentika	Material relating to EES expeditions
SAQ-NKT	Saqqara – New Kingdom Tombs	Material relating to EES expeditions
SAQ-OKT	Saqqara – Old Kingdom Tombs	Material relating to EES expeditions
SAQ-SAN	Saqqara – Sacred Animal Necropolis	Material relating to EES expeditions
SAW	Sawama	Material relating to EES expeditions
SEM	Semna	Material relating to EES expeditions
SES	Sesebi	Material relating to EES expeditions
SHEI	Sheikh Said	Material relating to EES expeditions
SIL	Gebel Silsila	Material relating to EES expeditions
SIN	Sinai	Material relating to EES expeditions
SLI	Slides	Archaeological record type
SOM	Survey of Memphis	Material relating to EES expeditions
SQU	Squeezes	Archaeological record type
TA	Tell el-Amarna	Material relating to EES expeditions
TAN	Tanis	Material relating to EES expeditions
TC	Tomb Cards	Archaeological record type
USA	American Branch	Administrative documents
WINK	Hans Alexander Winkler's rock drawings	Material donated to the Society
YAH	Tell el-Yahudiya	Material relating to EES expeditions

Please note: As well as these specific abbreviations the catalogue also uses a series of numerical references (i.e. 001 or 37-38 etc.). These can relate to a collection or file of mixed materials, documents, correspondence etc., or a range of dates such as a dig season.

Examples

TA.COR	A collection of correspondence relating to excavations at Tell el-Amarna
AW.OC	A collection of object cards from excavations at Amara West
SOM.SLI	A collection of slides created during the Survey of Memphis
BUH.MAP	A collection of maps and plans relating to excavations at Buhen