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Traditional Lebanese Costume Collection, 1960s

A Finding Aid to the Collection at the University Libraries, AUB
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Descriptive Summary

Call No.: Ph:LTC:1960s

Library catalog ID: [b26426924](#)

Record Creator: National Council of Tourism in Lebanon.

Collection Title: Traditional Lebanese Costume Collection, 1960s

Collection Dates: 1960s

Physical Description: 6 sketches; black and white; 20x15cm

Administrative Information

Source: The sketches are from Muna and Fadeel Abunnasr's collection, received on March 27, 2019.

Access Restrictions: The collection can be used within the premises of the Archives and Special Collections Department, Jafet Memorial Library, American University of Beirut.

Photocopying Restriction: No photocopying restriction except for fragile material.

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Scope and Content

This small collection consists of 6 black and white sketches of traditional Lebanese costumes. These sketches represent genuine Lebanese costumes, the legacy of past centuries.

Subject Headings

Folklore -- Lebanon.

Souvenirs (Keepsakes).

Tourism -- Lebanon.

Costume -- Lebanon.

Container List

- Bedouin costume; black and white; 20x15cm
- Druze costume; black and white; 20x15cm
- Lebanese princess wearing a "tantour" head-dress (18th and 19th centuries); black and white; 20x15cm
- Costume from the Beqaa; black and white; 20x15cm
- Costume from North Lebanon; black and white; 20x15cm
- Lady from Tripoli, North Lebanon (1830-1840); black and white; 20x15cm

Related Material

Archival Material

- Georges Cyr Collection, 1930s. [Ph:GC:1930s](#)
- Evelyne Bustros Collection, 1878-1971, [A:305.4.1](#), Box 2 File 6: Costumes orientaux, Georges Cyr - New York (photocopié à Londres d'après originaux).

- Salvador Arnita Collection, 1952-1980, [AA: 6.2.1](#), Box 1 File 2: His wife: Yusra Jawhariyah Arnita, [الالبسة الشعبية العربية في فلسطين](#)

Book

- Cyr, G., & Bustros, E. (n.d.). [Lebanese and Syrian costumes](#). Beyrouth: Imprimerie Catholique

Photo

- Jordanian Costumes. [Ph:JC:2000s](#)

Poster

- Lutfi Lutfi Poster Collection, 2000s. [Ps:LL:2000s](#)

Digital Resouces

- [Palestine Costume Archive-Staff Blog](#)
- [\(pack of 6\) folklore: traditional costume Lebanese Lebanon sketches souvenir](#)