

Ukrainian Archives
For Researchers in Soviet
and Post-Soviet Politics and
Security

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Central State Archives of Supreme Authorities and Governments of Ukraine

Holdings:

- Government agencies of the Ukrainian Soviet Socialist Republic (1917-1991)
- Ukrainian republics and revolutions (1917-1921)
- Government agencies of independent Ukraine (1991-2001)
- Selected Collections (Фонди/'Fond'):
 - Fond 1/1-P: Verkhovna Rada of UkrSSR/Ukraine (1917-2017)
 - Fond 2: Cabinet of Ministers of Ukraine (1918-2003)
 - Fond 5233: Administration of the President of Ukraine (1991-1997)
- Special project to ease access to documents on repressive apparatus of the Soviet regime (1917-1991)



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- Located on 24 Solomyanska St, Kyiv, Ukraine
 - http://tsdavo.gov.ua/
 - Online searchable finding aids, in Ukrainian

• Access:

- No need to reserve the reading room in advance
- Bring a valid ID/passport
- Plan to spend your first day browsing finding aids and filling out request forms
- Allow 2-3 business days between request and access to files
- Only 10 folders can be accessed in a day
- Laptops and photographing allowed
- Rules can change, check in advance +38 (044) 275-36-66 tsdavo@arch.gov.ua



Archive of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Ukraine

Holdings:

• All documents relating to the office of the Minister, various department, diplomatic correspondence, analytical materials for the president and the Rada, etc (1945? – present?)

• Access:

- Located on 1 Mykhailivska Sq, Kyiv, Ukraine, in the building of the Ministry
- · Inquire about an appointment well in advance
 - · Archival Department Director Larysa Degteriova
 - +38 (044) 238 16 49, 214@mfa.gov.ua
- May need to send an official letter from your institution/supervisor describing your project and materials you seek
- Bring in an ID/passport for processing a temporary access card
- May have limitations on bringing in a laptop
- Rules about photographing are uncertain
- Access might have tightened since 2014



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Archive of the Security Service of Ukraine (KGB Archive)

• Holdings:

- Archives of the Ukrainian branch of the NKVD/KGB (1918-1991)
 - Ukrainian revolutions (1917-1922)
 - Purges and the Holodomor
 - WWII and insurgency
 - Post-WWII dissident movement.
 - Chernobyl (a new 2-volume compilation published in 2020)

• Access:

- Located on 33 Volodymyrska st, Kyiv, Ukraine; regional branches
- https://ssu.gov.ua/haluzevyi-derzhavnyi-arkhiv
- +38 (044) 256-92-96, arhivsbu@ssu.gov.ua
- Finding aids in .pdf available at the website
- Some 25K documents digitalized in Electronic Archive of the Ukrainian Liberation Movement (1917-1991), avr.org.ua
- Call to make an appointment in the reading room

ФОТОТАБЛИЦА № 1

к протоколу допроса свидетеля Трубакова Захара Абрамовича от

28 мая 1980 гола.



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