

POLISH GENEALOGY

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Call numbers or other location information follow each entry. Books with call numbers beginning with "R" may be used in the library only.

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Minert, Roger P. *Posen Place Name Indexes*. Provo, Utah: GRT Publications, 2004.
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Müllerowa, Lidia. *Roman Catholic Parishes in the Polish People's Republic in 1984*. Chicago: Polish Genealogical Society of America, 1995. Call no R 943.8 M958R

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DICTIONARIES AND TRANSLATION GUIDES

Bulas, Kazimierz and Francis UJ. Whitfield. *The Kościuszko Foundation Dictionary: English-Polish / Polish-English*. 2 vols. New York: The Kosciuszko Foundation, 1975. Call no. R 491.85 K86

Frazin, Judith R. *A Translation Guide to 19th-century Polish-Language Civil Registration Documents*. Northbrook, Ill.: The Jewish Genealogical Society of Illinois. Call no. R 943.8 F848T

Shea, Jonathan D. & William F. Hoffman. *Following the Paper Trail: A Multilingual Translation Guide*. Teaneck, New Jersey: Avotaynu, Inc., 1994. Call no. R 929.1072 S539F and Q929.1072 S539F

Shea, Jonathan D. and William F. Hoffman. *In Their Words: A Genealogist's Translation Guide to Polish, German, Latin, and Russian Documents*. New Britain, Conn.: Language & Lineage Press, 2000. Call no. R 929.1072 S539I and Q 929.1072 S539I

GUIDES

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Budrewicz, Olgierd. *Introduction to Poland*. Miami: The American Institute of Polish Culture, 1985. Call no. R 943.5 B927I

IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION

See also "Guide to Immigration and Naturalization Records." available in the Special Collections Department.

Glazier, Ira A. *Migration from the Russian Empire: Lists of Passengers Arriving at the Port of New York*. Baltimore: Genealogical Publishing Co., Inc., 1995-. Includes names of immigrants from Poland. Call no. R 929.3 M636 and 929.3 M636.

LIBRARIES AND ARCHIVES

Lewanski, Richard C. *Guide to Polish Libraries and Archives*. New York: East European Quarterly, 1974. Call no. 943.8 L669G

NAME RESEARCH

Hoffman, William F. and George W. Helon. *First Names of the Polish Commonwealth: Origins & Meanings*. Chicago: Polish Genealogical Society of America, 1998. Call no. 929.44 H711F

PERIODICALS

Bulletin: Polish Genealogical Society of California. Midway City, Calif.: Polish Genealogical Society of California, 1990-. Call no. 979.4 B936

Rodziny: The Journal of the Polish Genealogical Society of America. Chicago: Polish Genealogical Society of America, 1993-. Call no. 973.04918 R697

POLISH JEWS

See "Guide to Jewish Genealogy" available in the Special Collections Department.

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