

COLLECTION LEVEL

Ref no	GB3228.55
Collection name	Dashera Diwali Photographic Collection
Date of donation or creation	2016
Donor name	Raj Dutta, Manchester Indian Association
Collection type	Donated Collection: Open-ended
Date range	2009-2015
Form	Born digital
Extent	24 JPGS
Creator	Various photographers, donated by Raj Dutta
Archival history	
Administrative history	The Dashera Diwali Mela has been organised by the Manchester Indian Association since 2006. The event was originally held in Platt Fields Park (2006-2012). It was then moved to the city centre location of Albert Square and Manchester Town Hall in 2013. The main elements that make up the mela are performances on stage, dance and craft workshops, community lantern procession, stalls, and a finale show with fireworks
Scope and content	Photographs of festivities spanning from 2009 to 2005
System of arrangement	The digital collection is currently arranged into one series of digital photographs
Related material	Please see the Dashera Diwali Mela website for more details
Access conditions	Open
Usage and permissions	
Language/s	English
Finding aids	
Key words	Dashera; Diwali; Manchester; Festival