



**Dargan Landscape Architects records, 1986-2002**  
**SCHS 207.00**

**Creator:** Dargan Landscape Architects

**Description:** 14.5 linear ft.

**Scope and content:** Records chiefly consist of company archive files (1986-2002) pertaining to landscape architecture consultation and design projects and studies of Dargan Landscape Architects (formerly Hugh Dargan Associates) in and near Charleston (S.C.), and, to a lesser extent, in Camden, Columbia, Florence, and a few other South Carolina locations.

The Charleston archive files include textual descriptions, slides and photographs (some with negatives), teaching plans, and working drawings of residential gardens primarily located in the Charleston historic district, with related correspondence and clippings. There are also files for projects pertaining to hospital and apartment complex grounds in Charleston, grounds of the Unitarian Church (4 Archdale Street), Grace Episcopal Church (98 Wentworth St.), Washington Square Park, and The Blessing Plantation in Berkeley County (S.C.). Charleston archive files contain information on gardens and grounds of homes in Charleston (S.C.) on Anson, Archdale, Beaufain, Broughton, Chapel, Church, East Bay, Gibbes, Greenhill, Hasell, Hutton, King, Ladson, Lamboll, Laurens, Legare, Meeting, Murray, New, Orange, Portside, Rebellion, Rutledge, Savage, Short, Smith, Society, South Adger's Wharf, South Battery, State, Tradd, Warren, Weims, and Wentworth streets and on Bedon's Alley and Zig Zag Alley.

Included are oversized landscape design plans (drawings) for The Blessing Plantation and many Charleston properties, including addresses on the following streets: Anson, Bedon's Alley, Chapel, Church, Greenhill, Hasell, Laurens, Legare, Murray, Rutledge, Society, South Battery, Tradd, Warren, and Zig Zag Alley. Additional archive files, mostly photographs and plans, pertain to projects in Camden, Columbia, Florence, and several other cities and towns in South Carolina including Mount Pleasant, Beaufort, Sumter, and Georgetown.

Records also include a company history, biographical information about Hugh and Mary Palmer Dargan, and notes about the company archives.

**Preferred citation:** Dargan Landscape Architects. Records, 1986-2002. (207.00) South Carolina Historical Society. Landscape architecture firm. Hugh Dargan, a landscape architect, is a native of Darlington County, S.C. His wife, Mary Palmer Dargan, a native of Nashville, Tenn., received her master's degree in Landscape Architecture from Louisiana State University in 1981. The Dargans practiced in Charleston, S.C. for 12 years and in 1993 moved to Atlanta, Ga., where the company is now headquartered. The Dargans taught a course on landscape design offered through the Dept. of Continuing

Education at the University of South Carolina in Columbia, South Carolina for several years.

**Note:** Photographs and slides removed to the Visual Materials Collection.

**Search terms:**

Dargan, Hugh Graham.  
Dargan, Mary Palmer.  
Dargan Landscape Architects -- Records and correspondence.  
Hugh Dargan Associates.  
Unitarian Church (Charleston, S.C.)  
Gardens -- South Carolina.  
Gardens -- South Carolina -- Camden.  
Gardens -- South Carolina -- Charleston.  
Gardens -- South Carolina -- Charleston -- Design.  
Gardens -- South Carolina -- Columbia.  
Gardens -- South Carolina -- Florence.  
Landscape architectural drawing -- South Carolina.  
Landscape architecture -- South Carolina.  
Landscape gardening -- South Carolina.  
Landscape gardening -- South Carolina -- Charleston.  
Blessing Plantation (Berkeley County, S.C.)  
Camden (S.C.)  
Charleston (S.C.)  
Columbia (S.C.)  
Florence (S.C.)  
Clippings.  
Letters (correspondence)  
Negatives.  
Photographs.  
Plans (drawings)  
Slides.

**Collection Outline:**

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    207.01.04 Project Files - Camden  
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**Container listing (manuscripts & project files – see separate finding aid for architectural drawings):**

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207.01.01 Company History and Biographies

207.01.01 (B) 01-01 Biographical Information on Hugh and Mary Palmer Dargan

207.01.01 (C) 01-01 Company History

207.01.02 Company Archives Records

207.01.02 (A) 01-01 "How HDA Archives Were Compiled: The Process"

207.01.02 (A) 01-02 HDA Archive Database printout

207.01.02 (A) 02 List of photographs located at HAD

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207.01.02 (A) 04 South Carolina Archive flat files lists

207.01.02 (M) 01 Miscellaneous: drawings of landscape architectural details

207.01.03 Project Files (Arranged alphabetically first by street or area name, then by street number)

207.01.03 (Anson St., 42)

207.01.03 (Anson St., 72)

207.01.03 (Archdale St., 4) Unitarian Church

207.01.03 (Archdale St., 19)

207.01.03 (Archdale St., 26)

207.01.03 (Ashley Plaza) Townhouse Square Apartments

207.01.03 (Ashley River Rd., 4110)

207.01.03 (Beaufain St., 110)

207.01.03 (Bedon's Alley, 4)

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207.01.03 (Bedon's Alley, 11)

207.01.03 (Blessing Plantation)

207.01.03 (Broughton St., 28)

207.01.03 (Calhoun St., [326] ) Ambulatory Care Facility

207.01.03 (Cedarhurst Blvd.) Cedarhurst Apartments

207.01.03 (Chapel St., 36)

207.01.03 (Church St., 20)

207.01.03 (Church St., 26)

**BOX 2**

207.01.03 (Church St., 31)  
207.01.03 (Church St., 33)  
207.01.03 (Church St., 39)  
207.01.03 (Church St., 42)  
207.01.03 (Church St., 39)  
207.01.03 (Church St., 42)  
207.01.03 (Church St., 44)  
207.01.03 (Church St., 45)  
207.01.03 (Church St., 55) Benjamin Phillips House  
207.01.03 (Church St., 58)

### **BOX 3**

207.01.03 (Church St., 59)  
207.01.03 (Church St., 69)  
207.01.03 (Church St., 87) The Heyward-Washington House  
207.01.03 (Church St., 107)

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207.01.03 (Church St., 131)  
207.01.03 (Church St., 132)  
207.01.03 (Deer Ridge)  
207.01.03 (East Bay St., 99-101)  
207.01.03 (Gibbes St., 2)  
207.01.03 (Gibbes St., 5)  
207.01.03 (Gibbes St., 8)  
207.01.03 (Gibbes St., 45)  
207.01.03 (Gibbes St., 61)  
207.01.03 (Greenhill St., 3)  
207.01.03 (Greenhill St., 4)

### **BOX 5**

207.01.03 (Hasell St., 30)  
207.01.03 (Hutton Ct., 1)  
207.01.03 (King St., 17)  
207.01.03 (King St., 27)  
207.01.03 (King St., 41)  
207.01.03 (King St., 46)  
207.01.03 (King St., 80)  
207.01.03 (King St., 81)  
207.01.03 (Ladson St., 5)  
207.01.03 (Ladson St., 9)  
207.01.03 (Lamboll St., 12)

207.01.03 (Laurens St., 49)  
207.01.03 (Legare St., II)  
207.01.03 (Legare St., 15)  
207.01.03 (Legare St., 19)

## **BOX 6**

207.01.03 (Legare St., 27-29)  
207.01.03 (Legare St., 32)  
207.01.03 (Legare St., 38)  
207.01.03 (Meeting St., 23)  
207.01.03 (Meeting St., 36)  
207.01.03 (Meeting St., 39)  
207.01.03 (Meeting St., 43)  
207.01.03 (Meeting St., 51)  
207.01.03 (Meeting St., 54)  
207.01.03 (Meeting St., 58)  
207.01.03 (Meeting St., 64)  
207.01.03 (Murray, 46)  
207.01.03 (Murray, 52)  
207.01.03 (Murray, 70)

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207.01.03 (Murray, 90)  
207.01.03 (Murray, 106)  
207.01.03 (New St., 21)  
207.01.03 (Orange St., 3)  
207.01.03 (Orange St., 8-10)  
207.01.03 (Portside Way, 2263)  
207.01.03 (Rebellion Lane, 62)  
207.01.03 (Rutledge Ave., 40)  
207.01.03 (Savage St., 20)  
207.01.03 (Short St., 12)  
207.01.03 (Smith St., 67)  
207.01.03 (Society St., 28)

## **BOX 8**

207.01.03 (Society St., 58)  
207.01.03 (Society St., 62)  
207.01.03 (Society St., 64)  
207.01.03 (Society St., 70)  
207.01.03 (South Adger's Wharf, 16)  
207.01.03 (South Battery, 22)

207.01.03 (South Battery, 58)

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207.01.03 (South Battery, 58)  
207.01.03 (South Battery, 64)  
207.01.03 (South Battery, 135)  
207.01.03 (State St., 25)  
207.01.03 (State St., 42)

**BOX 10**

207.01.03 (Tradd St., 7)  
207.01.03 (Tradd St., 41)  
207.01.03 (Tradd St., 70)  
207.01.03 (Tradd St., 143)  
207.01.03 (Village Square) Village Square Apartments  
207.01.03 (Warren St., 64)  
207.01.03 (Washington Square Park)  
207.01.03 (Weims Ct., 2)  
207.01.03 (Wentworth St., 10)  
207.01.03 (Wentworth St., 16-18)  
207.01.03 (Wentworth St., 98)  
207.01.03 (Wentworth St., 216)  
207.01.03 (Zig Zag Alley, 0)

**BOX 11**

207.01.04 Project Files Camden (arranged by client name)

207.01.04 (Bailey)  
207.01.04 (Chapman) 1822 Fair St.  
207.01.04 (Cushman) Cooks Ct.  
207.01.04 (Daniels) Town Pond, Mulberry Plantation  
207.0 1.04 (Davis) 1704 Fair St.  
207.01.04 (DuPont) Red Bank Farm  
207.01.04 (Eisler) 7 Carter St.  
207.01.04 (Francklyn) Phoenix Farm, Red Fox Rd.  
207.01.04 (Gay)  
207.01.04 (Hill) 101 Jumelle Springs  
207.01.04 (Miller) Fire Tower Farm  
207.01.04 (Shaw) 413 Chestnut St.  
207.0 1.04 (Sheheen) 1707 N. Mill St.  
207.01.04 (Young) 16 Htmt Cup Lane

207.01.05 Project Files Columbia (arranged by client name)

207.01.05 (Brailsford) 3030 Charleston Hwy.  
207.01.05 (Brannon) 1128 Glenwood Ct.  
207.01.05 (Burnside) Cedar Ridge Farm  
207.01.05 (Cain) 733 Sweet briar Rd.  
207.01.05 (Carter) 1439 Medway Rd.  
207.01.05 (Chapman)  
207.01.05 (Chase)  
207.01.05 (Davidson) 7502 Hunt Club Dr.  
207.01.05 (Floyd)  
207.01.05 (Folsom) 1135 Glenwood Ct.  
207.01.05 (Foster)-01 3822 Cassina Rd.

## **BOX 12**

207.01.05 (Hampton) 937 Sugar Mill Rd.  
207.01.05 (Hampton Preston) Hampton Preston Garden  
207.01.05 (James) 4755 Heath Hill Rd.  
207.01.05 (Jordan) 404 Oakbrook Place  
207.01.05 (Kerekas)  
207.01.05 (Kinder) 1410 Cambridge Lane  
207.01.05 (Knorr) 15 Dennis Lane  
207.01.05 (Lide) 1400 Sherwood Rd.  
207.01.05 (Lukas)  
207.01.05 (Manning) 128 Holliday Rd.  
207.01.05 (Miller) 611 LaBruce Lane  
207.01.05 (Morrison) 2625 Stratford Rd.  
207.01.05 (Penninger) 135 Saluda Aye.  
207.01.05 (Pope) 930 Hampton Hill Rd.

## **BOX 13**

207.01.05 (Richardson) 6101 Martha's Glen  
207.01.05 (Roach) 4646 Pine Grove Ct.  
207.01.05 (Robinson)-01 1716 Catawba  
207.01.05 (Robinson)-02 1730 Enoree Ave.  
207.01.05 (Rosewood) Rosewood Baptist Church  
207.01.05 (Sapp)  
207.01.05 (Shaw) 2531 Canterbury Rd.  
207.01.05 (Stoneridge) Stoneridge Building, Greystone Blvd.  
207.01.05 (Walker) 3700 Cassina Rd.

207.01.06 Project Files - Florence  
207.01.06 (Bozard) 1700 Cherokee Rd.  
207.01.06 (Bryant)  
207.01.06 (Buyck) 1439 Cherokee Rd.  
207.01.06 (Creedman) 510 Rosewood Dr.

207.01.06 (Deberry) 517 Fairway Dr.  
207.01.06 (Dunlap) 1411 Lazar Place  
207.01.06 (Francis Marion) Francis Marion College  
207.01.06 (Greenburg) 2109 Fernleaf

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207.01.06 (Holmes)  
207.01.06 (Jackson) 1419 S. Deberry  
207.01.06 (Jones) 512 Oleander Dr.  
207.01.06 (Lee) 521 Fairway Dr.  
207.01.06 (Lewis) 806 Juanita Dr.  
207.01.06 (McLain)  
207.01.06 (Philips) 1135 Mimosa Dr.  
207.01.06 (Richardson) I 109 Wentworth Dr.  
207.01.06 (Smith) 518 Oleander  
207.01.06 (Stith) 1004 Gregg Ave.  
207.01.06 (Whisenhunt) 510 Oleander Rd.

207.01.07 Project Files – Miscellaneous South Carolina Cities  
207.01.07 (Aldrich) 302 Old Georgetown Road, Manning  
207.01.07 (Alessandro) 50 W. Liberty St., Sumter  
207.01.07 (Battery Park) Battery Park Competition, Mt. Pleasant  
207.01.07 (Bearden) 532 Twin Dr., Spartanburg  
207.01.07 (Bland)  
207.01.07 (Box) 1320 Lafayette West, Georgetown  
207.01.07 (Carter)

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207.01.07 (Choi)  
207.01.07 (Clarkson)  
207.01.07 (Clarkson) 1370 Walcora Rd., Sumter  
207.01.07 (Coastal Carolina) Conway  
207.01.07 (Cochran) 63 Adams Circle, Beaufort  
207.01.07 (Cranford) 1910 Farrow Dr., Rock Hill  
207.01.07 (Dargan) 1013 S. Charleston Rd., Darlington  
207.01.07 (Few) 201 McIver St., Greenville  
207.01.07 (Hill) Brays Island  
207.01.07 (Holman) 1203 Briarwood Ave., Anderson  
207.01.07 (Howard) Pawley's Island  
207.01.07 (Jones) Huspa Plantation, Beaufort  
207.01.07 (Kaiser) Spring Valley Center  
207.01.07 (Langley) 302 Bennett St., Mt. Pleasant  
207.01.07 (Marwick) 5528 Stoneview Dr., Johns Island  
207.01.07 (MCBrier) 155 Gascoigne Bluff, Bluffton

207.01.07 (McDaniel) 102 Rutherford St., Summerville

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207.01.07 (Miller)-01 674 Hobcaw Bluff Dr., Mt. Pleasant  
207.01.07 (Miller)-02 208 Old Postern Rd., Summerville  
207.01.07 (Morrison) Yeaman's Hall, Hanahan  
207.01.07 (Nickles) 515 Dunlap, Hartsville  
207.01.07 (Norwood) 105 Chamberlain Ct., Greenville  
207.01.07 (Oliver) Chapin  
207.01.07 (Patterson) Laurens  
207.01.07 (Phipps) Bolin Hall, Ridgewood  
207.01.07 (Reeves) Georgetown  
207.01.07 (Rosefiled) 2780 Creekside Dr., Sumner  
207.01.07 (Rossetti) Bermuda Bluff House, Beaufort  
207.01.07 (Ryan) 680 Spivey Creek Rd., Landrum  
207.01.07 (Schaeufele) Laurens  
207.01.07 (South Trust) South Trust Bank, Mt. Pleasant  
207.01.07 (Swenson) Kiawah Island  
207.01.07 (Williams) 603 Craven St., Beaufort  
207.01.07 (unknown) "Unknown South Carolina Homes

**BOX 17**

207.01.08 Recent additions to collection (includes digital plans- on disc in .pdf format)

207.01.08 (Charleston Museum) 350 Meeting St., Charleston - Joseph  
Manigault House  
207.01.08 (Clark, Barry)  
207.01.08 (Rogers, Frank M. -"Buzz") Emerald Lake, Florence  
207.01.08 (Taylor, Helen) 624 Springlake Rd., Columbia