

## **P404 David Morrison, Poet and Painter**

### **RECORDS' IDENTITY STATEMENT**

Reference number:	P404
Alternative reference number:	Accessions 420, 1067, 1113 and 1117
Title:	David Ralston Morrison, Poet and Painter
Dates of creation:	1968-2014
Level of description:	Fonds
Extent:	6 boxes
Format:	Paper, slides and photographs

### **RECORDS' CONTEXT**

Name of creators: David Ralston Morrison

Administrative history:

Summary:

Librarian, poet, artist and founder-editor of *Scotia Review*, David Morrison made his home in Caithness, where for many years he ran the Wick Festival of Poetry, Folk and Jazz.

Full Biography:

David Morrison was born in Glasgow in 1941, and educated at Glasgow High School for Boys and Hamilton Academy. After leaving school he worked as a library assistant with Lanarkshire County Libraries, then attended Glasgow College of Commerce and Strathclyde University to qualify as a professional librarian. A position in the library of Edinburgh College of Art, when he was 24, afforded him the opportunity to frequent the city's pubs, in the company of John L. Broom, inevitably meeting many of the poets of the time.

In 1965 he and his wife (the 'Glenna' of the poems) moved to Caithness, an area which became his spiritual home. He was appointed County Librarian in 1972, becoming Area Librarian for Caithness and Sutherland by the time he retired.

Morrison's life away from libraries was devoted to literature and the arts. The

term 'literary agitator' seems to sum up his activities. He started the radical literary journal Scotia in 1970; when it was succeeded by Scotia Review in 1972 (which carried the subtitle 'For the Scottish muse and nation', suggested by the poet Tom Scott), Morrison gave warning of his editorial stance, saying that he was confident the Review would be 'an even greater thorn in the flesh of those who wish to deny Scotland her independence on both a political and cultural level'. Both publications included poetry in English and Gaelic, from some of Scotland's leading poets, and literary and political essays and reviews. Latterly, Morrison was assisted by Alan Bold, Tom Scott and others as editorial advisors.

Poetry readings, and poetry and jazz or folk events organised by Morrison alongside the magazines developed into the Wick Festival of Poetry, Folk and Jazz, which ran from 1977 until 1983. Morrison continued as a cultural catalyst in Caithness until his death in 2012.

Morrison's own poetry is collected in *The Cutting Edge: selected poems 1966-2003*, published by Poetry Salzburg, to which Gerry Cambridge has written a critical introduction.

[From The Scottish Poetry Library website]

Custodial history:

## **RECORDS' CONTENT**

Description: Biographical material, photographs, posters, slides and published book of poetry

Appraisal:

Accruals:

## **RECORDS' CONDITION OF ACCESS AND USE**

Access: Open

Closed until:

Access conditions: Available within the Archive searchroom

Copying: Copying permitted within standard Copyright Act parameters

Finding aids: Available in Archive searchroom

### **ALLIED MATERIALS**

Related material: David Morrison papers at the National Library of Scotland

Publication:

Notes:

Date of catalogue: 24 August 2015

<b>Ref.</b>	<b>Description</b>	<b>Dates</b>
<b>P404</b>	<b>David Ralston Morrison, Poet and Painter</b>	<b>1985-1992</b>
<b>P404/1</b>	<b>Correspondence</b>	2001-2012
P404/1/1	Bundle of letters to David Morrison, various correspondents, most only identified by their first names [1 bundle]	2001-2012
<b>P404/2</b>	<b>Photographs</b>	
P404/2/1	Photograph album. Subjects include David Morrison, Edna Morrison, Fionn MacColla, Neil M. Gunn, Robert Maclellan, John Calder, George Gunn, Iain Crichton Smith and Iain Sutherland [1 volume]	c.1968-c.2010
P404/2/2	Photograph album. Subjects include David Morrison, Edna Morrison, Angus Calder, Donald Campbell, Ian C. Smith and Ian Hamilton Finlay [1 volume]	c.1990-c.2010
P404/2/3	Black and white photograph of David Morrison smoking a pipe, possibly as a student [1 photograph, fragile - creased and torn]	c.1970
P404/2/4	Black and white photograph of Neil M. Gunn and David Morrison [1 photograph]	c.1970
P404/2/5	Black and white photograph, "Ewan, [David Morrison] & Robert Maclellan, High Corrie, Isle of Arran" [1 photograph]	c.1970
P404/2/6	Black and white photograph, "The Pharoes Crew"	1979

	Ahoy", a voyage to the Faroes with members of the Wick Society to purchase a Fifie called "Coralie" which proved too damaged to be salvageable. Persons in the photograph: skipper Teddy Sutherland, David Miller, Ducky Sinclair, Geordie Wilson, David Wares, Ronnie Sutherland, Iain Sutherland and Peter Sutherland his son, Jockie Bhan [MacLeod], Willie Grant, Geordie More, David Morrison [1 photograph]	
P404/2/7	Black and white photograph of Barry Cale [or Frank Thompson?] reading at festival [1 photograph]	c.1980
P404/2/8	Black and white photograph of Norman MacCaig with David Morrison [1 photograph]	c.1980
P404/2/9	Black and white photograph of Iain Crichton Smith [1 photograph]	c.1980
P404/2/10	Black and white photograph of Donald Campbell, Beth MacCardle, and David Morrison at festival [1 photograph]	c.1980
P404/2/11	Black and white photograph of David Morrison and George Gunn (photograph by Fergus Mather) [1 photograph]	c.1980
P404/2/12	Black and white photograph of unveiling of plaque to Neil Gunn, High Street, Wick, "Atom of Delight", David Morrison and unidentified man [1 photograph]	c.1980
P404/2/13	Black and white photograph of Phil Ward and band, Mackays Hotel folk club. Persons seated in the photograph: Jackie MacLeod, Drew MacLeod, David Morrison, George Gun, Ian Bain [1 photograph]	c.1980
P404/2/14	Photocopy of black and white photograph of Frank Thomson, poet, David Morrison, Beth McCardle, Sorley MacLean, poet, during Wick Festival [1 photograph]	c.1980
P404/2/15	Photocopy of black and white photograph of David Morrison at the harbour in front of ship "Avalon III" [1 sheet]	c.1980
P404/2/16	Black and white photograph of David Morrison walking along a beach with a dog, carrying a small child [his son Ewan] [1 photograph]	c.1980
P404/2/17	Black and white photograph of David Morrison [1 photograph]	c.1980
P404/2/18	Colour slides of paintings and other works by David	c.1980

	Morrison [19 slides]	
P404/2/19	Packet of colour photographs of David Morrison's paintings, unidentified (written on the back of one: "David Morrison Wild Caithness Series") [1 packet]	c.1980
P404/2/20	Black and white photograph of David Morrison painting a canvas [1 photograph]	c.1990
P404/2/21	Black and white photograph of David Morrison painting a canvas [1 photograph]	c.1990
P404/2/22	Black and white photograph of David Morrison painting a canvas [1 photograph]	c.1990
P404/2/23	Two black and white photograph portraits of David Morrison by Fergus Mather [1 photograph]	c.1990
P404/2/24	Black and white photograph of David Morrison in back garden with some of his sculptures [1 photograph]	c.1990
P404/2/25	Photocopy of colour photograph of David Morrison seated at an indoor event [1 photograph]	c.1990
P404/2/26	Black and white portrait photograph of David Morrison [1 photograph]	c.1990
P404/2/27	Colour photograph of millennium plaque outside Mackay's Hotel, Wick, with David Morrison's poem "Caithness" [1 photograph]	2000
P404/2/28	Black and white photograph of David Morrison sitting in front room [1 photograph]	c.2000
P404/2/29	Black and white photograph of "David Morrison and friends with Norman McCaig" [1 photograph]	c.2000
P404/2/30	Black and white photograph of David Morrison "on his favourite seat overlooking the Harbour and town" [1 photograph]	c.2000
P404/2/31	Colour photograph of David Morrison sitting on a bench and smoking a cigarette [1 photograph]	c.2000
P404/2/32	Black and white portrait photograph by Fergus Mather of David Morrison wearing a hat and smoking a cigarette taken outside [1 photograph]	c.2000
P404/2/33	Colour photograph of David Morrison talking to unknown man, both sitting side by side on sofa [2 copies of 1 photograph]	c.2000

P404/2/34	Colour photographs of millennium plaque outside Mackay's Hotel, Wick, with David Morrison's poem "Caithness" [2 photographs]	2000
P404/2/35	Colour photograph of David Morrison talking to unknown young woman [1 photograph]	c.2000
P404/2/36	Four black and white photographs of David Morrison in Edinburgh [4 photographs]	c.2000
P404/2/37	Packet of colour photographs of paintings by David Morrison, unidentified [14 photographs]	c.2000
P404/2/38	Photographic negatives, mostly David Morrison and his paintings [?] [1 folder]	c.2000
P404/2/39	Colour photograph of David Morrison, framed image of Scotia Review by the National Library of Scotland behind him [1 photograph]	c.2005
P404/2/40	Photocopy of black and white portrait photograph of David Morrison overlooking Wick Harbour [1 photograph]	c.2010
P404/2/41	Four colour photographs of David Morrison talking to Rona Membury, Wick, one overlooking Wick Harbour [4 photographs]	2011
<b>P404/3</b>	<b>Typescripts (Poems and Short Stories)</b>	<b>1992-c.2000</b>
P404/3/1	Bundle of typescripts of short stories and poems and reviews of David Morrison's writings, including "Letter to Ian Hamilton Finlay", "In Memoriam Tom Scott", "Frank's Wake", "The Wake", "Gentleman James", "Crazy Horse" and "Stramash" [1 bundle]	1992-1995
P404/3/2	Bundle of literary and other papers by David Morrison, including a letter to Scott, "The Wake", "Up Wyster" and "Back to Basics 1" also newspaper cutting, "New look for next Scotia Review", n.d. also black and white photograph of painting of David Morrison [1 bundle]	c.2000
<b>P404/4</b>	<b>Typescripts - Poems</b>	<b>1971-2012</b>
P404/4/1	Folder of typescript poems by David Morrison and miscellaneous papers including "Letter to Ian Hamilton Finlay", 1992, photocopy of Essays on Neil M. Gunn edited by David Morrison, 1971, review of The Cutting edge by David Morrison, etc. [1 folder]	1971-c.2010
P404/4/2	Folder labelled "David: Poems", handwritten and typescript poems by David Morrison, also	1972-2011

	photocopies of Tom Scott's poems, "Epistle to David Morrison" and "Second Epistle to David Morrison" in Scotia Review Nos. 1 and 4 [1 folder]	
P404/4/3	Typescript and handwritten poems by David Morrison and photocopies of printed poems [1 folder]	c.1980-c.2002
P404/4/4	Folder of typescript poems and other writings by David Morrison labelled "The Cutting Edge: Collected Poems 1995" including "The Twa Clubs", "Grape and Grain", "Pluscarden Poem", "Brothers", "Five Seasons o' a Lass", and others [1 folder]	1988-2008
P404/4/5	Typescript of poems by David Morrison, "The Twa Clubs" [1 folder]	c.1990
P404/4/6	Typescript poems by David Morrison, "The Wake and Other Stories", including "Up Wyster", pages numbered 1-174, some out of order [1 folder]	c.1990
P404/4/7	Typescript of two poems by David Morrison: "For Christine, Deceased" and "For a Nine Year-Old Birthday Boy" [1 folder]	c.1991
P404/4/8	Typescript poems by David Morrison, "The Cutting Edge: Collected Poems 1995" [1 bundle]	1995
P404/4/9	"Caithness Coronach", collection of poems by David Morrison, cover design and graphics by Fergus Mather [1 folder]	2003
P404/4/10	Folder of A4 sheets, "Collages", poetry by David Morrison, illustrations by Shelagh Swanson, published by Pulteney Press [1 folder]	2007
P404/4/11	Typescript of poems by David Morrison, "Lapping Waves" and "Angelic Poem for Joan Filimore Hooker", Pulteney Press leaflets of each, and two black and white photographs of David Morrison sitting on a bench by the river by Fergus Mather used in the "Lapping Waves" leaflet [1 folder]	2012
<b>P405/5</b>	<b>Typescripts – Prose (Novel and Short Stories)</b>	<b>c.1990-2009</b>
P404/5/1	Folder labelled "Short Stories by David Morrison", including typescripts with handwritten corrections, including: "Joe's Tale", "Day in the Life of a Painter", "Alamein Again", "Jew Lass", "The Wake" (addressed to "Dear Ewan"), and "One Day at a Time" [1 folder]	c.1990
P404/5/2	Typescript short story by David Morrison, "Alamein	c.1990

	Again" 2 copies [1 folder]	
P404/5/3	Typescript short story by David Morrison, "Another Day", addressed to 'Dear Scott' [1 bundle]	c.1990
P404/5/4	Typescript short story by David Morrison, "Another Day" [1 bundle]	c.1990
P404/5/5	Typescript short story by David Morrison, "Back to Basics" [1 bundle]	c.1990
P404/5/6	Typescript short story by David Morrison, "Brothers" [1 folder]	c.1990
P404/5/7	Typescript short story by David Morrison, "Brothers" [1 bundle]	c.1990
P404/5/8	Typescript novel by David Morrison, "Candyman" [1 folder]	c.1990
P404/5/9	Typescripts novel by David Morrison, "Candyman", two versions, each with amendments in pen [1 bundle]	c.1990
P404/5/10	Typescript short story by David Morrison "Crazy Horse" [1 bundle]	c.1990
P404/5/11	Typescript short story by David Morrison, "Day in the Life of a Painter" [1 folder]	2009
P404/5/12	Typescript short story by David Morrison, "Day in the Life of a Painter" [1 bundle]	2009
P404/5/13	Typescript short story by David Morrison, "Don" [1 bundle]	c.1990
P404/5/14	Typescript short story by David Morrison, "Frank's Wake", 2 copies [1 folder]	c.1990
P404/5/15	Typescript short story by David Morrison, "Gentleman James" (2 copies) [1 bundle]	c.1990
P404/5/16	Typescript short story by David Morrison, "Innocent and A Broad" [1 bundle]	c.1990
P404/5/17	Typescript short story by David Morrison, "Innocent and A Broad", several copies [1 folder]	c.1990
P404/5/18	Typescript short story by David Morrison, "Innocence and A Broad" ( <i>sic</i> ) [1 bundle]	c.1990
P404/5/19	Typescript short story by David Morrison, "Jean", 2 copies [1 folder]	c.1990



P404/5/20	Typescript short story by David Morrison, "Jew Lass" [1 folder]	c.1990
P404/5/21	Typescript short story by David Morrison, "Jew Lass" [1 bundle]	c.1990
P404/5/22	Typescript short story by David Morrison, "Joe's Tale", 2 copies [1 folder]	c.1990
P404/5/23	Typescript short story by David Morrison, "Librarian's Lot", 2 copies [1 folder]	c.1990
P404/5/24	Typescript short story by David Morrison, "Librarian's Lot", marked "draft" [1 bundle]	c.1990
P404/5/25	Typescript short story by David Morrison, "Limbo" [1 bundle]	c.1990
P404/5/26	Typescript short story by David Morrison, "Liza" [1 bundle]	c.1990
P404/5/27	Typescript short story by David Morrison, "No Other Gods: a tale of the 1950s" [1 bundle]	c.1990
P404/5/28	Typescript short story by David Morrison, "One Beat behind ... a love story for John", original title crossed out, "The Power of Music ... a poem for John" [1 folder]	c.1990
P404/5/29	Typescript short story by David Morrison, "The Power of Music ... A Love Story for John" [1 bundle]	c.1990
P404/5/30	Typescript short story by David Morrison, "One Day at a Time" or "Tam", 2 copies [1 folder]	c.1990
P404/5/31	Typescript short story by David Morrison, "Ster Jean" [1 folder]	c.1990
P404/5/32	Typescript short story by David Morrison, "The Stones Remain" [1 folder]	24 Apr 1994
P404/5/33	Typescript short story by David Morrison, "Stramash" [1 bundle]	c.1990
P404/5/34	Typescript short story "The Toy Gun: a children's story for reading age 8-10) by [Hugh Ralston crossed out] David Morrison [1 folder]	c.1990
<b>P404/6</b>	<b>Typescripts – Drama</b>	<b>c.1990</b>
P404/6/1	Typescript of "Harbour of Refuge", a one-act play by David Morrison [1 folder]	c.1990

P404/6/2	Typescript of "Up Wyster", a play for voices by David Morrison [1 folder]	c.1990
P404/6/3	Typescript of unnamed play by David Morrison set in the fictional town of Wyster, main character Tam Doull – young librarian – painter [1 bundle]	c.1990
P404/6/4	Typescript play by David Morrison, "Waste ... A Highland Fantasia" [1 bundle]	1988
P404/6/5	Typescript play by David Morrison, "Young Clare: a short television play" [1 bundle]	c.1990
<b>P404/7</b>	<b>Typescripts – Other Writings</b>	<b>1990-2008</b>
P404/7/1	Typescript of article on the history of Stroma [presumably by David Morrison?], 2 copies [1 folder]	c.1990
P404/7/2	Folder, "Robert Ferguson (1750-1774), text by David Morrison, performed by Edna and David Morrison" [1 folder]	c.1990
P404/7/3	Typescript by David Morrison, "Letters To Scott" [1 folder]	1993
P404/7/4	Bundle of typescript pages, "Letters to Ewan" by David Morrison, letters to son Ewan Morrison in the form of a fictionalised memoir, many of the names have been crossed out and alternative names written in pen; also poems from Scotia Review 1973-1976 and other papers at the back [1 folder]	c.1995-2004
P404/7/5	"Letters to Ewan", typescript fictionalised memoir by David Morrison with transcribed correspondence from "Tom" and "Alan", includes photographs of David Morrison with Edna Morrison and Ewan Morrison as a small child, 1970, and with Tom Scott and another. Also CD copy of same work [1 bundle]	2004, 2006
P404/7/6	"Robert Louis Stevenson's Poetry: a journey devised by David Morrison in honour of Angus Calder (1942-2008), poet and scholar of R.L.S.", poems and prose [1 volume, comb-bound with plastic cover]	c.2008
<b>P404/8</b>	<b>Sketches by David Morrison</b>	<b>1988-2006</b>
P404/8/1	Folder of charcoal sketches by David Morrison [6 sheets]	1988-2006
<b>P404/9</b>	<b>Issues of Scotia and Scotia Review</b>	<b>1970-2000</b>
P404/9/1	"Scotia 3", edited by David Morrison, The Spelling of	Mar 1970

	Scots and other observations [1 sheet]	
P404/9/2	"Scotia 12", edited by David Morrison, the meaning of Culture and other observations [1 sheet]	Dec 1970
P404/9/3	"Scotia Review: for the Scottish Muse and Nation", edited by David Morrison [1 booklet]	Dec 1973
P404/9/4	"Scotia Review: for the Scottish Muse and Nation", edited by David Morrison [1 booklet]	Apr 1974
P404/9/5	"Scotia Review: for the Scottish Muse and Nation", edited by David Morrison, Tom Scott Double Issue, with typescript poem, "Phone Call" inserted between the pages, and programme for "The Makar and his Work: a celebration in words and song, poetry of Tom Scott 1918-1995" [1 booklet plus loose pages]	Aug 1976-Nov 1976
P404/9/6	"Scotia Review: for the Scottish Muse and Nation", edited by David Morrison [1 booklet]	Apr 1976
P404/9/7	"Scotia Review 21", winter 1995-96, edited by David Morrison, in honour of Tom Scott 1918-1995 [1 bundle]	1996
P404/9/8	"Scotia Review" No.24", summer 2001, edited by David Morrison [1 bundle]	2001
P404/9/9	"That Day", short story by Donald Campbell, published by Scotia Review Publications [1 bundle]	2000
P404/9/10	"Sic Transit Gloria", short story by John Herdman, published by Scotia Review Publications [1 bundle]	2000
P404/9/11	Printed leaflet, "Good Reading ... Scottish Writing: Scotland's Literary Magazines", published by Scottish Association of Magazine Publishers, includes paragraph on Scotia Review edited by David Morrison [1 sheet]	c.1975
<b>P404/10</b>	<b>The Pulteney Press / Pulteney Pressings</b>	<b>2007-2012</b>
P404/10/1	File on The Pulteney Press: constitution, minutes of meetings, finances, grant applications and publications [1 folder]	2007-2010
P404/10/2	"Pulteney Pressings", poems published by the Pulteney Press, usually 1 sheet of A4 each, a collaboration between poet and artist. Poets include Francis Thompson ("Dragonfly"), Jenny Bruce ("Pulteneytown") John Manson ("Caithness Ploughing 1940") and David Morrison ("Summer of Fourteen", "We Look North and East", "Poem for	2007-2010

	Lena" and "March Munelicht") [1 bundle]	
P404/10/3	<p>"Pulteney Pressings", 1 folded sheet of A4 each, selection of poems or a short story by particular author. Poets include: Andrew Aitken, Lilian Anderson, Jenny Bruce, Robert R Calder, George Gunn, Zorina Ishmail-Bibby, Colin Macdonald, Gail Macdonald, Angus Macmillan, John Manson, David Morrison, Robin Murray, Heather Scott, Jenny Stewart</p> <p>Includes David Morrison's short story, "Alamein Again (Part 1)" and poetry selections, "Angelic Poem for Joan Filimore Hooker", "Lapping Waves", "Peedie Poems" and "Pulteney Haikus" [1 bundle]</p>	2008-2010
P404/10/4	Pulteney Pressings, stories by David Morrison, "Day in the Life of a Painter", "Joe's Tale", "Jean, Another Day and Ster Jean: 3 stories" and "One Day at a Time", published by Pulteney Press [4 booklets]	2009
P404/10/5	Printed leaflet, "Pulteney Pressings: Pulteney Haikus" by David Morrison [1 sheet]	2009
P404/10/6	Pulteney Pressings: "3 generations of poets – Francis Thompson, Rona Membury and Gina Memburey", 1 A4 sheet; "Pulteneytown" by Jenny Bruce, 1 A4 sheet; poems by Andrew Aitken for inclusion, 1 bundle [1 folder]	2010
P404/10/7	Printed leaflet, "Pulteney Pressings: Angelic Poem for Joan Filimore Hooker" by David Morrison [1 sheet]	2012
<b>P404/11</b>	<b>Published Works by David Morrison</b>	<b>1968-1989</b>
P404/11/1	Printed booklet, "The White Hind" by David Morrison, collection of poems, Modern Scottish Poets 1, published by Caithness Books, Thurso [1 printed booklet]	1968
P404/11/2	"The White Hind and Other Poems", poems by David Morrison, Modern Scottish Poets 1, published by John Humphries, Thurso [1 booklet]	1968
P404/11/3	"The White Hind and Other Poems", poems by David Morrison, Modern Scottish Poets 1, published by John Humphries, Thurso [1 small volume]	1968
P404/11/4	"The Clay Yerd", poems by David Morrison [1 volume]	1970
P404/11/5	"White Witch, White Woman", poems by David	1972

	Morrison [1 booklet]	
P404/11/6	"Paddy's Mairket" poems by David Morrison [1 booklet, cover loose]	1973
P404/11/7	"Faroes Ahoy, or – a trip with the Wick Society to the Faroes in search o' the Fife Coralia", poem by David Morrison [1 printed booklet]	1979
P404/11/8	"The Twa Clubs", poems by David Morrison, introduction by Tom Scott, published by Pulteney Press [1 booklet, 2 copies]	1984
P404/11/9	"Up Wyster", poems and a short story/play by David Morrison, published by Pulteney Press [1 small volume]	1989
<b>P404/12</b>	<b>Recordings of David Morrison</b>	<b>1992-c.2000</b>
P404/12/1	Cassette tape: "Waves and Furrows: the poetry of David Morrison read by himself" [1 cassette]	1992
P404/12/2	CD, track 1, "Caithness Cycle, David Morrison, Edna Morrison, Jamie Ross" [1 CD]	c.2000
<b>P404/13</b>	<b>Publications in which David Morrison's work appeared</b>	<b>1966-2009</b>
P404/13/1	Magazine, "Mask", published by the students' association of the University of Strathclyde, includes article by David Morrison "The Use of Scots in Poetry" and two poems, "Wheesht" and "The Dickson Pit Lament" [1 booklet]	Feb 1966
P404/13/2	Magazine "Catalyst: for the Scottish viewpoint", includes David Morrison's poem "Purse or Mind" [1 magazine]	1968
P404/13/3	Magazine "Catalyst: for the Scottish viewpoint", includes article by David Morrison "A Ray of Poetry" [1 magazine]	1968
P404/13/4	Poetry anthology, "Doves For the 70s: poems for those who choose to care", edited by Peter Robins, includes David Morrison's poem, "The White Doo" [1 volume]	1969
P404/13/5	Magazine "Catalyst: for the Scottish viewpoint", includes poem by David Morrison "Sang Fir Ewan (ma son)" [1 magazine]	1970
P404/13/6	Poetry anthology "Contemporary Scottish Verse 1959-1969" edited by Norman MacCaig and	1970

	Alexander Scott, The Scottish Library, includes David Morrison's poems, "Dance, Glenna" and "The Root" [1 volume]	
P404/13/7	Booklet, "Lines Review 38 Supplement", letters on the theme of "The Knitted Claymore" by Alan Jackson, one by David Morrison [1 booklet, cover damaged]	c.1970
P404/13/8	Poetry anthology, "Scottish Poetry 5", edited by George Bruce, Maurice Lindsay and Edwin Morgan, includes David Morrison's poem, "The Salt Sun" [1 volume]	c.1972
P404/13/9	Poetry anthology, "Scottish Poetry 6", edited by George Bruce, Maurice Lindsay and Edwin Morgan, includes David Morrison's poem, "At Harry's Funeral" [1 volume]	c.1973
P404/13/10	Poetry anthology, "Scottish Poetry 8", edited by Maurice Lindsay, Alexander Scott and Roderick Watson, includes David Morrison's poem, "Daft Tam" [1 volume]	1975
P404/13/11	"Northern Lights: contemporary writing in the Highlands and Islands", Scotia Review No. 15 edited by David Morrison and Maggie Cunningham, includes David Morrison's poems "Wick Harbour 1975", "You Were Not There", and "Fionn MacColla" [1 booklet]	Dec 1976
P404/13/12	"Scottish Writing and Writers", includes entry for David Morrison and bibliography [1 volume]	1977
P404/13/13	Magazine, "Resurgence: of small nations, small communities and the human spirit", Number 69. Includes short article by David Morrison, "Faces and Facets of Scotland" [1 magazine]	1978
P404/13/14	Magazine "Catalyst: for the Scottish viewpoint", includes David Morrison's poem "Wards Frae Caithness" [1 magazine]	1989
P404/13/15	Poetry and prose anthology "Painting Poetry Music Interaction" published by Open Circle, includes excerpt from "Lanark" by Alistair Gray and David Morrison's poem "The Inner Light" [1 booklet]	1990
P404/13/16	"The Red Dress", printed short story [by David Morrison?], published in The Idealist [1 folder]	c.1990
P404/13/17	"Agenda: Tom Scott Special Issue", with article by David Morrison, "Tom Scott: a Personal Tribute" [1	1993

	volume]	
P404/13/18	“The Awk Remembered: Sydney Goodsir Smith 1915-1975”, includes article by David Morrison “Memories of Sydney Goodsir Smith” [1 volume]	1995
P404/13/19	Poetry magazine “North Words” Issue 8, includes poem “The Wake” by David Morrison [1 magazine]	c.1995
P404/13/20	Poetry magazine “North Words” Issue 12, includes short story “Another Day” by David Morrison (with Scott corrected in pen to Ewan) [1 magazine]	c.1997
P404/13/21	Poetry anthology, “After the Watergaw”, edited by Robert Davidson, includes David Morrison’s poem, “Seasong” [1 volume]	1998
P404/13/22	Poetry anthology, “Edinburgh: an intimate city”, edited by Bashabi Fraser and Elaine Greig, includes David Morrison’s poem, “Embros” [1 volume]	2000
P404/13/23	Magazine “Epoch: art literature politics philosophy” Vol.2 no.1, includes story by David Morrison “Jew Lass” [1 magazine]	2001
P404/13/24	“Chapman: Scotland’s Quality Literary Magazine”, Centenary Issue Part 1, includes article by David Morrison “Atoms of Delight and Despair” [1 volume]	2002
P404/13/25	Poetry anthology, “The Whisky Muse: Scotch Whisky in Poem and Song”, collected by Robin Laing, includes David Morrison’s poem “Brebster Ceilidh” [1 volume]	2002
P404/13/26	Poetry anthology, “For Angus: poems prose, sketches and music” for Angus Calder, edited by Richard Berengarten and Gideon Calder, includes David Morrison’s poem, “Fir Angus Calder” with letter from Gideon Calder to David Morrison [1 volume, 1 letter]	2009
P404/13/27	“Lallans: the journal o Scots airts an letters” No. 74, includes David Morrison’s poem “Poem fir Adi-2” [1 volume]	2009
<b>P404/14</b>	<b>Other Publications edited by David Morrison</b>	<b>1973-2004</b>
P404/14/1	Photocopy of “Essays on Fionn Mac Colla” edited by David Morrison, published by Caithness Books [1 folder]	1973
P404/14/2	Printed booklet, “Jigs and Reels” edited by David Morrison, winners of a competition for young	1977

	Highland writers sponsored by the Highland Regional Council, published as Scotia Review No.16 [1 printed booklet]	
P404/14/3	Poetry anthology, "Scotia Rampant (For the Scottish Muse and Nation): an occasional publication edited by David Morrison [1 booklet, 10 pages]	2 Apr 1985
P404/14/4	Poetry and prose anthology, "Writers North" edited by David Morrison and Crisdean De Leon, published by Pulteney Press, none of the works by David Morrison [1 booklet]	1986
P404/14/5	"Scotia Now" poetry magazine, edited by David Morrison, issues 1-3, includes new poems by George Gunn [3 magazines]	2003-2004
<b>P404/15</b>	<b>Folders of Biographical Material, Press Cuttings, Material relating to Exhibitions, Performances, etc. including some typescript poems</b>	<b>1969-2014</b>
P404/15/1	Bundle of miscellaneous papers, reviews, letters, press cuttings, and publicity materials for various exhibitions of David Morrison's work [1 folder]	1969-2011
P404/15/2	Bundle of papers relating to exhibitions of David Morrison's work, or events in which he was involved, as well as obituaries following his death in 2012 and biographical articles [1 bundle]	1977-2012
P404/15/3	Folder of papers relating to the life and works of David Morrison: includes photographs of David Morrison, biographies and a curriculum vitae; testimonials from Scottish writers such as Tom Scott and Norman MacCaig; and press cuttings on exhibitions of his works [1 folder]	1985-1992
P404/15/4	Photocopy newspaper cuttings (review of "Up Wyster" from the Sunday Times Scotland, review of "Grape and Grain" from the Northern Times and "Scotia's Darlings" on Scotland's literary magazines), and sheet of four short poems by David Morrison ("Wards Frae a Drunk", "Caithness Haiku", "For Ian Crichton Smith" and "Mairi - 2") [4 sheets]	1988
P404/15/5	Album, collection of newspaper cuttings about, photographs of and publicity material for exhibitions by David Morrison [1 volume]	c.1988-c.2000
P404/15/6	Bundle of newspaper cuttings about David Morrison, typescript poems and one handwritten poem, "Letter to Ian Hamilton Finlay" [1 folder]	c.1990-c.2000



P404/15/7	Folder of newspaper cuttings about and publicity materials for exhibitions by David Morrison [1 folder]	c.1991-2011
P404/15/8	Photocopy of Visitors' Comments Book to exhibition "Up Wyster!" by David Morrison at Inverness Museum March-April 1991 [1 volume, comb-bound]	1991
P404/15/9	Papers relating to "The Makar and His Works" a celebration in words and song of the poetry of Tom Scott 1918-1995, presented by David Morrison, Nancy Nicolson and Edna Morrison including two poems by Tom Scott; also newspaper cuttings [1 folder]	c.1995
P404/15/10	Folder of press cuttings relating to David Morrison and Scotia Review, typescript poem "For a Nine-Year Old Birthday Boy", and publicity material for Scotia Review events [1 folder]	1998-2001
P404/15/11	"David Morrison 4.8.1941-1.9.2012: Poet, painter and writer, a celebration of his work" – information sheets as part of an exhibition of his work at the St Fergus Gallery, Wick, in 2014, with two colour photographs of the exhibition and colour photographs of his paintings [1 bundle]	2014
<b>P404/16</b>	<b>Other Publications, Not By David Morrison</b>	<b>1964-2003</b>
P404/16/1	Printed booklet, "The Ripening Field" by David Ross, a collection of poems published by M Macdonald, Edinburgh. Photograph of author inside front cover [1 printed booklet]	1964
P404/16/2	Printed booklet, "Stories Short and Tall" by John Henderson, inscribed by the author to David and Edna Morrison [1 printed booklet]	1979
P404/16/3	"History of The Wick Carnegie Public Library from its formation in 1891 – Present" by Robert Bain, introduction by Graham Nichols [1 comb-bound volume]	2003