



# Toynbee Hall

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## Toynbee Hall: Further Reading

If you would like to know more about history of Toynbee Hall, the settlement movement and the East End of London, this is a select bibliography that will provide you with a starting point for further research. All books and offprints listed here are available through the Barnett Research Centre.

### Histories of Toynbee Hall:

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### Studies of the Settlement Movement:

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Mandy Ashworth, *The Oxford House in Bethnal Green, 100 Years of Work in the Community* (1984)

Katharine Bradley, *Bringing People Together: Bede House, Bermondsey and Rotherhithe 1938 – 2003* (2004)

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Prudence Brown and Kitty Barnes, *Connecting Neighbors: The role of settlement houses in building social bonds within communities* (Chicago, 2001)

Allen F. Davis, *Spearheads for Reform: The Social Settlements and the Progressive Movement 1890 – 1914* (New York, 1967)

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Mark Freeman, "'No finer school than a settlement": the development of the educational settlement movement', *History of Education* xxxi (2002), pp. 245-62. (offprint)

Ruth Gilchrist and Tony Jeffs, *Settlements, Social Change and Community Action: Good Neighbours*, (2001)

John Glasby (ed) *Back to the Future: The history of the settlement movement and its relevance for organisations today* (Birmingham, 2000)

John Glasby, *Poverty and Opportunity: 100 Years of the Birmingham Settlement* (Studley, 1999)

Allan Irving et al, *Neighbours: Three Social Settlements in Downtown Toronto*, (Toronto, 1995)

Elisabeth Malleier, *Das Ottakringer Settlement: Zur Geschichte eines frühen internationalen Sozialprojekts* (Vienna, 2005)

Mary Lynn McCree and Allen F. Davis, *100 Years at Hull-House* (Bloomington, IN, 1990)

Oxford House, *The Oxford House in Bethnal Green, 1884 – 1948* (1948)

Hugh Tours, *Children's Country Holidays Fund: The First 110 Years* (1994)

Peter Watherston, *A Different Kind of Church: The Mayflower Family Centre Story* (1994)

### **Studies of East London life and history**

Ralph J. Finn, *Time Remembered: The Tale of an East End Jewish Boyhood* (1985)

William J. Fishman, *East End 1888: A Year In a London Borough Among the Labouring Poor* (1988)

Rachel Lichtenstein and Iain Sinclair, *Rodinsky's Room* (2000)

Arthur Morrison, *A Child of the Jago* (Suffolk, 1982)

Gilda O'Neill, *My East End, Memories of Life in Cockney London* (Harmondsworth, 2003)\*

Fermin Rocker, *The East End Years*, (1998)

Peter Townsend, *The Family Life of Old People: An Enquiry in East London* (Harmondsworth, 1963)

Jerry White, *Rothschild Buildings: Life in an East End Tenement Block 1887 – 1920* (2003)

David Widgery, *Some Lives! A GP's East End* (1993)

Peter Willmott and Michael Young, *Family and Kinship in East London* (Harmondsworth, 1969)