

North Carolina Book Publishers

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Think of North Carolina and publishing is probably one of the final images to come to mind. However, as this survey indicates, there is a flourishing publishing business in the state. This list of North Carolina publishers was compiled both to benefit librarians and to help publicize book publishers in the state. The information was gathered in 1980 directly from each publisher through a questionnaire. Journal and newspaper publishers were included only if they also published monographs.

Publishing in North Carolina is often an individualistic undertaking. While four presses published more than twenty titles, thirty-six publishers issued less than six titles in 1980, and only eleven published more than ten titles. Many of the smaller publishers operate out of their own homes.

Three publishers started in the 1920's (Duke, 1921; UNC, 1922; N. C. Division of Archives and History, 1924) but the majority of publishers are new. Two-thirds of the publishers were founded after 1969; forty-five percent of all North Carolina publishing firms are less than six years old.

While some specialize in North Caroliniana, others are subject oriented. Areas of publication are listed as they were supplied by the publishers.

The information on the following chart, compiled in 1980, is listed as follows:

Name
Address
Phone
Date Organized
Specialties
Titles Published in 1980

Acorn Press
1010 Wyldwood Drive
Durham, NC 27704
919-471-3842
1980
General
Titles published in 1980: 1

Acorn Press

Aerial Photography Services

2300 Dunavant Street
Charlotte, NC 28203
704-333-5143
1960

Pictorial Books

Titles published in 1980: 3

Appalachian Consortium Press

202 Appalachian Street
Boone, NC 28607
704-262-2064
1973

Books and recordings on the Appalachian Region; most of the books are non-fiction

Titles published in 1980: 2

Avera Press

Route 2, Box 28A
Wendell, NC 27591
919-365-6963
1977

Southern History, Civil War

Titles published in 1980: 7

Bakke Press

Route 3, 119-A
Hillsborough, NC 27278
919-929-2086
1974

Poetry

Titles published in 1980: 0

**Barnyard Press**

Route 6, Box 102
Shelby, NC 28150
704-487-1469
1974

Children's Books and Needlework publications

Titles published in 1980: 1

Briarpatch Press

Box 2482
Davidson, NC 28036
704-892-7644
1974

Local writers, poetry, regional (& local) history

Titles published in 1980: 5

Camberleigh & Hall Publishers

Box 18914 North Hills Station
Raleigh, NC 27619
1979

20th Century American History

Titles published in 1980: 1

Campbell University Press

Campbell University
Box 116
Buies Creek, NC 27506
919-893-4111
1980

Titles published in 1980: 1

**Carcosa**

P. O. Box 1064
Chapel Hill, NC 27514
919-929-2974
1972

Science-fiction/fantasy

Titles published in 1980: 1

Carolina Academic Press

P. O. Box 8795
Durham, NC 27707
919-688-5155
1973

Asia, Politics

Titles published in 1980: 22

**Carolina Biological Supply Company**

2700 York Road
Burlington, NC 27215
919-584-0381
1975

High School and College Text, Filmstrips, Audiovisuals, and Supplementary materials in the Biological Science

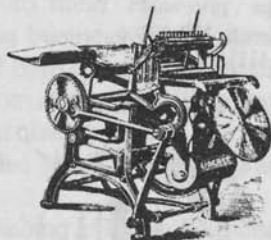
Titles published in 1980: 25

The Carolina Wren Press, Inc.

300 Barclay Road
Chapel Hill, NC 27514
919-967-8666
1976

Poetry, plays, and fiction primarily by N. C. writers. Women and black writers prominent.

Titles published in 1980: 5



Celo Press

Route 80
Burnsville, NC 28714
704-675-5393
1963

Death Education

Titles published in 1980: 2

Classical Publication

P. O. Box 13294
Greensboro, NC 27405
1977

Scholarly works, fiction, non-fiction art, history

Titles published in 1980: 7

DOCUMENTARY PUBLICATIONS



Documentary Publications

Route 12, Box 480
Salisbury, NC 28144
704-637-0398
1970

Scholarly area studies, political science and history

Titles published in 1980: 8

Duke University Press

P. O. Box 6697 College Station
Durham, NC 27708
919-684-2173
1921

Scholarly books & Journals

Titles published in 1980: 20



East Woods Press

820 East Boulevard
Charlotte, NC 28203
704-334-0897
1977

Outdoor books, travel guidebooks, cookbooks

Titles published in 1980: 10

EVEREST PUBLISHING COMPANY

Everest Publishing Co.

2686 Century Station
Raleigh, NC 27602
919-787-8009
1977

Self-help books

Titles published in 1980: 0

Fleetwood Publications

Route 1, Box 127 B
Todd, NC 28684
919-877-4695
1980

Titles published in 1980: 1

DUKE



Gallopade Publishing Group

1208 Fairway Terrace
Rocky Mount, NC 27801
919-446-1712
1979

*Juvenile regional titles, juvenile mysteries,
how-to books, civic image books, corporate
publications*

Titles published in 1980: 3

Ginseng Press

Route 2, Box 1105
Franklin, NC 28734
704-369-9735
1978

How-to books

Titles published in 1980: 1



Hexagon Company

474 Windsor Road
Asheville, NC 28804
704-253-8463
1972

*Regional Books of Western North Carolina
and North Georgia*

Titles published in 1980: 3

Hinshaw Music, Inc.

400 West Franklin Street
P. O. Box 470
Chapel Hill, NC 27514
919-929-0337
1975

Music

Titles published in 1980: 100

The Hurricane Company

P. O. Box 426
Jacksonville, NC 28540
919-353-4201
1977

Fiction, Poetry

Titles published in 1980: 0



The Jackpine Press

1878 Meadowbrook Drive
Winston-Salem, NC 27104
919-725-8828
1975

Poetry

Titles published in 1980: 1

The Jargon Society

Highlands, NC 28741
Distributed by
GNOMON Distribution
P. O. Box 106
Frankfort, KY 40602
502-223-1858
1951

Poetry, photography, Festschrifts

Titles published in 1980: 4

J.F.B.

JOHN F. BLAIR, Publisher
1406 Plaza Drive
Winston-Salem, N.C. 27108

John F. Blair, Publisher

1406 Plaza Drive
Winston-Salem, NC 27103
919-768-1374

1954

General

Titles published in 1980: 6

**Johnson Publishing Company of
North Carolina**

P. O. Box 217
Murfreesboro, NC 27855
919-398-3664
1963

*North Carolina and southern history
and folklore*

Titles published in 1980: 3

Lollipop Power, Inc.

P. O. Box 1171
Chapel Hill, NC 27514
919-929-4857
1970

Non-sexist, non-racist, children's books
Titles published in 1980: 0

Lorien House

P. O. Box 1112
Black Mountain, NC 28711
704-669-9992
1969

Solar Energy, Poetry
Titles published in 1980: 3

Lumbee Publishing Company

P. O. Box 1075
Pembroke, NC 28372
919-521-2826
1973

Lumbee Indians
Titles published in 1980: 0

MANHATTAN, LTD.**Publishers****Manhattan, Ltd. Publishers**

P. O. Box 18601
Raleigh, NC 27619
919-833-2121
1976

Christian literature
Titles published in 1980: 3

McFarland & Co., Publishers

Box 611
Jefferson, NC 28640
919-246-4460
1979

General reference & scholarly monographs
Titles published in 1980: 14

McGrath Publishing Co.

Box 9001
Wilmington, NC 28402
919-763-3757
1967

Roman Catholic Books
Titles published in 1980: 12

Meadowcreek Publications

P. O. Box 384
Concord, NC 28025
704-786-8855
1977

Titles published in 1980: 0

Media, Incorporated

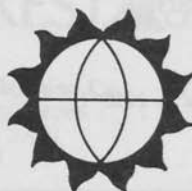
402 Edwardia Drive
Greensboro, NC 27409
919-855-6880
1975

General
Titles published in 1980: 0

Megabild Press

P. O. Box 341
Walkertown, NC 27051
919-595-2368
1977

Children's books
Titles published in 1980: 0

**Meridional Publications**

Rt. 2, Box 28A
Wake Forest, NC 27587
919-556-2940
1977

School multimedia programs, Elementary and Junior High Trade.
Titles published in 1980: 3

Metascience Foundation, Inc.

P. O. Box 747
Franklin, NC 28734
704-524-5103
1979

Metaphysical and Occult topics
Titles published in 1980: 2

N. C. Division of Archives and History

109 East Jones Street
Raleigh, NC 27611
919-733-7442
1924

North Carolina History
Titles published in 1980: 10

Press for Privacy
195 Crepe Myrtle Circle
Winston-Salem, NC 27106
919-723-3928
1976
Poetry
Titles published in 1980: 1

Sparks Press

Sparks Press
900 W. Morgan Street
P. O. Box 26747
Raleigh, NC 27611
919-834-8283
1954
Landscape, Plants
Titles published in 1980: 6

Puddingstone Press
P. O. Box 67
Banner Elk, NC 28604
704-898-4655
1969
Western North Carolina
Titles published in 1980: 2

RED CLAY BOOKS

Red Clay Books
6366 Sharon Hills Road
Charlotte, NC 28210
704-552-1211
1963
Poetry, Short Stories, Essays
Titles published in 1980: 4

St. Andrews Press
St. Andrews Presbyterian College
Laurinburg, NC 28352
919-276-3652, ext. 218
1972
Poetry
Titles published in 1980: 4

Sir Walter Press
P. O. Box 2021
Durham, NC 27702
919-286-0521
1976
Regional and Local History, Gift Books
Titles published in 1980: 1

TarPar Ltd.
P. O. Box 3
Kernersville, NC 27284
919-993-2037
1974
Cookbooks
Titles published in 1980: 0

Unicorn Press, Inc.
P. O. Box 3307
Greensboro, NC 27402
1966
Titles published in 1980: 12

The University of North Carolina Press
P. O. Box 2288
Chapel Hill, NC 27514
919-966-3561
1922
American history, Southern studies, regional
studies French, Latin American & European
history, armed forces & society studies
classics, religion, political science
Titles published in 1980: 68



Webb-Newcomb Company, Inc.

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308 N.E. Vance Street

Wilson, NC 27893

919-291-7231

1975

*Children's, Religious, Adult, Poetry,
Motivational Books.*

Titles published in 1980: 5

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