



Rockefeller University records, Special Events and Activities, Visit to China

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Summary Information

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Biographical / Historical

A group of Rockefeller University scientists made a trip to China, May 5 to May 22, 1977 to learn the situation as it exists in 1977 at a group of universities and research institutions in that country. The trip was made by a 20 person delegation. Arrangements for the trip involved two years of planning, arranged at the request of Dr. Seitz.

The officers and faculty members of the University on the delegation were: Purnell W. Choppin, M.D., Zanvill A. Cohn, M.D., James G. Hirsch, M.D., Maclyn McCarty, M.D., William Trager, Ph.D., Bruce Merrifield, Ph.D., Rodney W. Nichols, Floyd Ratliff, Ph.D., Frederick Seitz, Ph.D., Norton Zinder, Ph.D.

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Conditions Governing Access

Collection is open for scholarly research, with select items restricted as noted.

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- Medical sciences
- Medical research
- Vivisection
- Cell and biomolecular sciences
- Genetics
- Biology -- Research
- China

- McCarty, Maclyn
- Rockefeller University
- Avery, Oswald Theodore
- Seitz, Frederick
- Rockefeller Institute for Medical Research
- MacLeod, Colin M. (Colin Munro)

Physical Characteristics and Technical Requirements note

Materials requiring specialized equipment for access (film, audio, video, slides) may be closed to research dependent on availability of the applicable equipment

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Collection Inventory

| Title/Description | Instances | |
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| Report on a visit to the People' Republic of China | box 1 | folder 1 |

Scope and Contents note

Consists of three parts:

(I) Summary and Highlights.

(II) Technical Reports and Analyses by: Robert B. Oxnam, Maclyn McCarty M. D., Purnell Choppin, M. D., Zanvil Cohn, M. D., James Hirsch, M. D., Bruce Merrifield, William Trager, Floyd Ratliff, Norman Zinder.

(III) Additional materials including notes on tape-recordings, Press accounts, notes on artistic and cultural performances, biographical sketches of members of delegation.

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| Diary of N.D. Zinder | box 1 | folder 2 |
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Scope and Contents

1-1A Tongue twisters. 1-2A-B Mme Hsieh. 2-3A Performance Nanking School of Arts. 2-3B Performance plus Middle School. 2-4A Nanking Middle School (Sun, Moon, Stars). 3-4B Nanking and Soochow. 3-5A Barefoot Dr. and Machine Tool Factory-Shanghai. 3-5B Hospital and 2nd Medical

College Shanghai. 4-6A Continued Medical College Shanghai.
4-6B Institute Experimental Biol. Shanghai. 4-7A Institute
Experimental Biol. Shanghai. 5-7B Institute Experimental
Biol. 5-8A "Small Sund Society" and Institute Biochemistry.
5-8B Institute Biochemistry Shanghai.