



Ford Foundation records, Project and Event Photographs, Accession 2018:033

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Summary Information

Repository:	Rockefeller Archive Center
Creator:	Ford Foundation
Title:	Ford Foundation records, Project and Event Photographs, Accession 2018:033
ID:	FA1441
Date [inclusive]:	1960-2002
Physical Description:	1.7 Cubic Feet 4 boxes (2 legal document containers and 2 letter document containers)
Language of the Material:	English .

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Biographical / Historical

The Ford Foundation was chartered by Henry and Edsel Ford in 1936 "to receive and administer funds for scientific, educational and charitable purposes, all for the public welfare", and initially served the Ford family's charitable interests in the Detroit area. Following the deaths of Edsel Ford (1943) and Henry Ford (1947), the Foundation was propelled to the forefront of philanthropy as the largest American foundation in terms of both endowment and yearly expenditures, and with an international scope to its major program areas. During the Foundation's first twenty years its major programs were in international economic development, primary and higher education, educational and public broadcasting, behavioral sciences, civil liberties, urban development, fine arts and the humanities. The Ford Foundation also partnered with the Rockefeller Foundation in supporting agricultural development in South America, Africa, and Southeast Asia. Since the 1970s, the Foundation has also pioneered programs in women's rights, energy policy, micro-financing in under-developed countries, establishing human rights groups, and improving international HIV/AIDS education.

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Scope and Contents

The collection contains prints, slides, and negatives from Ford Foundation program events and projects, including the Operation Life Community Development's grand opening, artwork from Black and Hispanic art museums, the Program Associates Farewell Reception, and visits to the Philippines.

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Arrangement

Arranged as received from the Ford Foundation.

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Conditions Governing Access

Open for research with select materials restricted as noted. Brittle or damaged items are available at the discretion of RAC.

Immediate Source of Acquisition

This material was transferred to RAC in 2018 by the Ford Foundation and ingested by RAC as Accession 2018:033.

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Controlled Access Headings

- Philippines
- Art museums -- United States
- Arts and culture
- Photographs

Collection Inventory

Title/Description	Instances	
Operation Life Community Development Corporation's Grand Opening, 1988 March	box 1	folder 1
Scope and Contents Grant No.: 08400723		
Operation Life Medical Center and Business Office Building's Grand Opening, 1982 September 7	box 1	folder 2
Scope and Contents Grant No.: 08400723		
Support for Black and Hispanic Art Museums - The Ohio Historical Society, 1993-1994	box 1	folder 3
Scope and Contents Grant No.: 09351000		
Support for Black and Hispanic Art Museums - Mexican Fine Arts Center Museum, 1991	box 1	folder 4
Scope and Contents Grant No.: 09101052		
Support for Black and Hispanic Art Museums - Morgan State University, 1991	box 1	folder 5
Scope and Contents Grant No.: 09101054		
Support for Black and Hispanic Art Museums - Fisk University, 1991-1992	box 1	folder 6

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Grant No.: 09101048

Support for Black and Hispanic Art Museums - The Mexican Museum, 1989	box 1	folder 7
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Grant No.: 08900644

Support for Black and Hispanic Art Museums - Commonwealth Corporation, 1994-1995	box 1	folder 8
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Grant No.: 09400902

Support for Black and Hispanic Art Museums - Institute of Puerto Rican Culture, 1991-1992	box 1	folder 9
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Grant No.: 09101051

Support for Black and Hispanic Art Museums - Educational Testing and Assessment, 1992-1995	box 1	folder 10
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Grant No.: 09290006

Support for Black and Hispanic Art Museums - North Carolina Central University, 1991-1994	box 1	folder 11
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Grant No.: 09101059; Also includes box records related to Ford Archive/photocopy logs

Program Associates Farewell Reception - Prints, 2002 June 13	box 2	folder 12
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Program Associates Farewell Reception - Prints (Duplicates), 2002 June 13	box 2	folder 13
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Program Associates Farewell Reception - Negatives, 2002 June 13	box 2	folder 14
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Media, Arts, and Culture Group Pictures, 1994	box 2	folder 15
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Photographs - Former President of the Philippines Corazon C. Aquino, undated	box 2	folder 16
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Photographs - Philippines I, 1960-2000	box 3	folder 17
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Photographs - Philippines II (3 folders), 1960-2000	box 3	folder 18-20
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Photographs - Philippines III (4 folders), 1960-2000	box 3	folder 21
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	box 4	folder 22-24
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Event at Makati Shangri-La

Photographs - Philippines IV, 1960-2000

box 4

folder 25