



# Rockefeller University records, Special Events and Activities, 75th Anniversary Planning Committee

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## Summary Information

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<b>Repository:</b>	Rockefeller Archive Center
<b>Creator:</b>	Rockefeller University
<b>Creator:</b>	Rockefeller Institute for Medical Research
<b>Title:</b>	Rockefeller University records, Special Events and Activities, 75th Anniversary Planning Committee
<b>ID:</b>	FA880
<b>Date [inclusive]:</b>	1972-1976
<b>Physical Description:</b>	3.08 Cubic Feet 7 boxes
<b>Physical Description:</b>	7 boxes.
<b>Language of the Material:</b>	English

### Preferred Citation note

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## Biographical / Historical

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A 75th Anniversary Planning Committee was established at the University to make plans for events to mark the University's 75-year history.

The University Council sponsored an International Conference "Beyond Tomorrow - Trends and Prospects in Medical Science" for a group of invited guests and faculty. It was held on Monday March 8, 1976 in Caspary Auditorium. This was a day-long program which included lunch and a reception. The addresses by a distinguished group of speakers and panelists were published in April 1977.

The Anniversary Planning Committee arranged a Reunion Program for June 6, 7, 8, 9, 1976 to precede and include the 1976 June 9 Convocation activities. The program included a full day of colloquia, laboratory visits and discussion groups in each of ten scientific fields. A reunion plenary session was held

in Caspary Auditorium on June 8, 1976 and in April 1977 the addresses were published under the title Institute to University.

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## Scope and Contents

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Minutes and planning correspondence Programs, publicity. Publications Tapes of Addresses.

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### Revision Description

### Conditions Governing Access

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## Controlled Access Headings

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- Medical sciences
- Vivisection
- Genetics
- Cell and biomolecular sciences
- Medical care
- Medical research
- China
- Biology -- Research
- Medicine, Preventive
- DNA
- McCarty, Maclyn
- Seitz, Frederick
- MacLeod, Colin M. (Colin Munro)
- Avery, Oswald Theodore
- Rockefeller University
- Rockefeller Institute for Medical Research

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## Physical Characteristics and Technical Requirements note

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

Brittle or damaged items, or materials otherwise in need of preservation care, may be closed to researchers at the discretion of the RAC Head of Archival Services/Head of Reference.

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## Collection Inventory

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Title/Description	Instances	
75th Anniversary Planning Committee, 1972-1976		
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Beyond Tomorrow. Correspondence, guest list, program (2 cop.) and news clippings, 1976 March 8	box 1	folder 1
Reunion. Correspondence and program, 1976 June 6-9	box 1	folder 2

Souvenir booklets	box 1	folder 3
Scientific Instruments. Catalog of instrument exhibit		
An Anniversary Album. Catalog of pictures used in historical exhibition "Emendation and Correction" to Sci. Instrum., 2nd ed. (1 p.)		
News stories	box 1	folder 4
MD p. 52, 62, 1976 August		
New Yorker p. 28-29, 1976 April 5		
Center Focus v. 1, no.40, 1976 June 7		
Booklet Publications		
"Beyond Tomorrow - Trends and Prospects in Medical Science"	box 1	
"Institute to University"	box 1	
Tapes of Addresses called: Beyond Tomorrow, Trends and Prospects in Medical Science, 1976 March 8		
<u>Conditions Governing Access:</u>		
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Gerald Edelman, concluding portion on Reel 2	box 1	reel 1
<u>Conditions Governing Access:</u>		
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Clinical Investigation and Medical Education: Pressures for Choice and Change	box 1	reel 2
<b>Scope and Contents note</b>		
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Science and Technology for world problems: Opportunities and constraints. Question period continues on Reel 4 (side 2 is blank)	box 1	reel 3
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Future directions in Biomedical Research	box 1	reel 4
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Patrick Haggerty

Lewis Thomas

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Also "The Pursuit of Excellence"

Frederick Seitz and David Rockefeller

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Tapes of Addresses called: Institute to University, 1976 June 8

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Simon Flexner and the birth of the Institute	box 1	reel 1
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James Thomas Flexner

Saul Benison

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Oswald T. Avery and the Evolution of Modern Biomedical Science

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reel 2

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Maclyn McCarty

René Dubos

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Detlev W. Bronk and the Transition from Institute to University

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Keffer Hartline and Frank Brink

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Dedication of the Detlev W. Bronk Laboratory Building

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Patrick E. Haggerty

box 1

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Notes of meetings, discussions preliminary plans and ideas kept by the Ad Hoc Planning Committee for an Anniversary commemoration, 1972 December-1973 October	box 2	folder 1
Consideration of oral histories including a transcription of interview with Barney Lupinek	box 2	folder 2
Notes of Continuity Committee, 1974 December-1975 May	box 2	folder 3
Note of Planning Committee, 1974 June-1975 November	box 2	folder 4
Notes of Planning Committee, 1974 September-December	box 2	folder 5
Expense Records	box 2	folder 6-10
Records of the International Symposium held on March 8, 1976 resulting in publication "Beyond Tomorrow" Invitation lists, 1976 March 8	box 3	folder 1
Lists for Trustees and Council Members to contact	box 3	folder 2
Correspondence with panelists	box 3	folder 3-4
Clippings and press articles	box 3	folder 5
Press materials	box 3	folder 6
Biographies of speakers	box 3	folder 7
Letters of appreciation	box 3	folder 8
Records, plans and lists for Reunion Program held in June 1976 before and after Convocation Ideas for Reunion, 1976 June	box 4	folder 1
Notes of Reunion Planning Committee	box 4	folder 2-4
Reunion invitations	box 4	folder 5

Invitation lists as compiled by various laboratories	box 4	folder 6-8
Texts of addresses "Beyond Tomorrow"	box 5	folder 11
Texts of addresses "Institute to University"	box 5	folder 2
Distribution of the two published volumes	box 6	folder 1-4
Special edition for Carl Pforzheimer who made a contribution to finance publication of addresses	box 6	folder 5
Extra copies of "Beyond Tomorrow" program booklet	box 7	folder 1
Notes	box 7	folder 2

### **Scope and Contents note**

(includes correspondence, "Beyond Tomorrow" booklet, and memos).