



Hervey (John P.) papers

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Summary Information

Repository:	Rockefeller Archive Center
Creator:	Rockefeller Institute for Medical Research
Creator:	Rockefeller University
Creator - aut:	Hervey, John P.
Title:	John P. Hervey papers, Rockefeller University Faculty
ID:	FA166
Date [inclusive]:	1935-1984, undated
Physical Description:	0.44 Cubic Feet
Language of the Material:	English

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Biographical/Historical note

John P. Hervey was a professional electrical engineer who became the Senior Electrical Engineer at the Rockefeller Institute's Jacques Loeb Laboratory in Woods Hole, Massachusetts. He began his career as an assistant professor of biophysics at Cornell Medical College and then became an associate professor at Johns Hopkins University.

Detlev Bronk, president of the RI, hired Hervey in order to strengthen the Electronics Laboratory to better serve the needs of neurophysiologists. Hervey worked in Woods Hole on long-term projects while his assistants, C. Yang and then Robert Schoenfeld (1956), ran the laboratory in New York.

Hervey died on May 19, 1982.

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Arrangement note

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File Plan note

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Revision Description

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Processing Information

Level 1 Processing has been conducted to gain basic intellectual and physical control of the materials and assess immediate preservation needs.

Conditions Governing Access note

This collection is open for research.

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Controlled Access Headings

- Electrical engineering
- Engineering
- Marine Biological Laboratory (Woods Hole, Mass.)
- Medical education
- Neurosciences
- Medical research
- Rockefeller Institute for Medical Research
- Rockefeller University
- Hervey, John P.
- Bronk, Detlev W. (Detlev Wulf), 1897-1975

Physical Characteristics and Technical Requirements

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

Clippings, 1959-1984

Scope and Contents note

Subjects include the Woods Hole Laboratory.

Arrangement note

Not arranged.

Title/Description	Instances
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Clippings, 1959-1984

box 1

folder 1

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Correspondence, 1934-1983

Scope and Contents note

Includes correspondence and memos.

Arrangement note

Arranged in alphabetical order by institution.

Title/Description	Instances	
Cornell University, 1940	box 1	folder 2
Johns Hopkins, 1948-1983	box 1	folder 3
Pennsylvania, University of, 1935-1974	box 1	folder 4
Rockefeller University, 1969-1981	box 1	folder 5
Woods Hole, 1966	box 1	folder 6

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Personal Correspondence, 1949-1984, undated

Physical Description: 0.2 Cubic Feet

Scope and Contents note

Includes correspondence and memos.

Arrangement note

Arranged in alphabetical order by correspondent.

Title/Description	Instances	
Brink, Frank, 1976-1984	box 1	folder 7
Bronk, Detlev and family, 1956-1983	box 1	folder 8
Condolence Letters, 1982	box 1	folder 9
Connelly, Clarence, 1981	box 1	folder 10
Eisenberg, Laurence, 1971-1983, undated	box 1	folder 11
Gasser, Herbert S., 1949-1958, undated	box 1	folder 12
Harper, Harry, undated	box 1	folder 13

Hartline, H.K., 1967-1983	box 1	folder 14
Horsfall, Frank, 1971, undated	box 1	folder 15
Mauro, Alexander, 1982	box 1	folder 16
Oberholzer, Rudi, 1982	box 1	folder 17
Rivers, Thomas, 1958, undated	box 1	folder 18
Schoenfeld, Robert, 1982	box 1	folder 19
Seitz, Frederick, 1968, undated	box 1	folder 20

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Photographs, undated

Scope and Contents note

Includes photographs of Detlev Bronk and John Hervey.

Arrangement note

Arranged in alphabetical order by person.

Title/Description	Instances	
Bronk, Detlev, undated	box 1	folder 21
Hervey, John P., undated	box 1	folder 22

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