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Summary Information

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Biographical / Historical

In the early 1970s, the Ford Foundation's archives staff began to identify and catalog individual reports, policy and programming documents, and program evaluations in an effort to create an internal lending-library of useful documents. Many of the Catalogued Reports were physically culled from the former Foundation officers' and staff's archival collections of 'office files'. When those collections of 'office files' were later processed, and finding aids created, an appendix of "Reports Removed" (or, Reports Transferred") was added to the finding aids. By 1977 the collection included more than 3,500 reports, and by 1979 some 5,000 reports had been cataloged. Duplicated copies of the reports were also created on microfiche, and later microfilm.

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Scope and Contents

The Ford Foundation's Catalogued Reports collection includes policy and programming documents, program evaluations, and periodic program status reports produced by Foundation officers and staff, as well as consultants and grantees. Some published material produced by Ford Foundation grants is also included in the collection. The collection also includes some of the Ford Foundation's own publications, such as the Annual Reports and newsletters.

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Arrangement

As received. The Catalogued Reports are arranged numerically by an arbitrary call number assigned during cataloging, from 1 to approximately 20,000.

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Publication Statement

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Immediate Source of Acquisition

The Ford Foundation records were deposited at Rockefeller Archive Center in 2011. This material was transferred to RAC in 2016 as Accession 2016:065.

Conditions Governing Access

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

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Related Materials

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For other collections of Ford Foundation Catalogued Reports, please refer to the following finding aids (arranged by Report Number): [FA739A Ford Foundation records, Catalogued Reports, Reports 1-3254](#) [FA739B Ford Foundation records, Catalogued Reports, Reports 3255-6261](#) [FA739C Ford Foundation records, Catalogued Reports, Reports 6262-9286](#) [FA739D Ford Foundation records, Catalogued Reports, Reports 9287-11774](#) [FA739E Ford Foundation records, Catalogued Reports, Reports 11775-13948](#) [FA739F Ford Foundation records, Catalogued Reports, Reports 13949-17726](#) [FA739G Ford Foundation records, Catalogued Reports, Reports 17727-19980](#)

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On-Farm Research in Eastern India (Report 012764)	box 51761
Conditions Governing Access: Conditions Governing Access Report is restricted from access.	
Creating Learning Partnerships: An Analysis of Problems and Prospects for Institutional Learning (Reports 012762)	box 51761
Conditions Governing Access: Conditions Governing Access Restricted from access.	
A Review of the Ford Foundation's Cultural Grantmaking in Asia v. 6 (Report 012594), 1994 January	box 51761
The Challenge for the Decade of the 90's: A Survey of Trends and Issues Related to Refugees, Asylees, Migrants and the Internally Displaced (Report 012310), 1992	box 51761

The Challenge for the Decade of the 90's: A Survey of Trends and Issues Related to Refugees, Asylees, Migrants and the Internally Displaced v. 7 (Report 012310), 1992	box 51761
Evaluation of Evaluation: The Case of Follow-Through (Report 010366), 1978	box 51761
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Challenging the Assumptions: An Analysis of the Role of Evaluation in the Ford Foundation's Work in Forestry v. 11 (Report 010865), 1985	box 51761
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