



# Ford Foundation records, Ford Foundation Fund files

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## Summary Information

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## Scope and Contents note

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The Ford Foundation Fund files consist of correspondence, summaries of grant actions, charts, listing grant totals, excerpts from dockets and minutes of Trustees meetings, reports, budgets and recommendations, all of which reflect the Foundation's grant-related activities from 1949-1973, with the bulk of the records documenting 1950-1960.

The files provide important background material on the operations of the Foundation from its earliest grant making days through the early 1970s.

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## Arrangement note

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