

Ford Foundation records, Ford Foundation Fund files

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Summary Information

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Material:

English.

Scope and Contents note

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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Immediate Source of Acquisition note

Ford Foundation archive was deposited at RAC in 2011. Ford Foundation records, correspondence, reports, program files and officers papers were transferred to, and accessioned by, RAC beginning in 2011. Accessions continue as necessary.

Conditions Governing Access

Records more than 10 years old are open for research with select materials restricted as noted. Brittle or damaged items are available at the discretion of RAC.

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