



Ford Foundation records, Education Program, Office Files of Frank Bowles

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Summary Information

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Abstract:	The Education Program Papers of Frank Bowles were transferred to the Ford Foundation Archives in 1982. The papers consist of correspondence, inter-office memoranda, and reports. They are divided into two series: Conference Files and Correspondence Files. Arrangement within each series maintains the original order established by Bowles' office. The papers included .3 cubic foot of The Fund for the Advancement of Education material. These files, which Bowles generated during his tenure as President of the Fund, have been incorporated with the TFAE record group.

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Biographical / Historical

Frank Bowles, Ford Foundation Program Advisor in the Middle East and Africa office of the International Division, was a member of the Foundation staff from 1963 until 1969. During this period, he held the following positions:

• October 1963, Director, Education Program • January 1967, Advisor to the President, International Education, Office of the President • November 1969, Program Advisor, MEA, International Division

Prior to Bowles' career with the Ford Foundation, he held the following positions:

• 1948-1963, College Entrance Examination Board, Director and President • 1960-1962, UNESCO-IAU, Director, International Study of University Admissions • 1954, University of Puerto Rico, Consultant on the organization of the Graduate School • 1952-1953, TFAE, Director of project studying citizenship education in the Armed Forces • 1947, University of Puerto Rico, Special Assistant to the Chancellor • 1930-1942, 1945-1948, Columbia University, Assistant to the Director; Acting Director; and Director, University Admissions

Frank Bowles was born November 20, 1907. He received his B.A. and M.A. degrees in 1928 and 1930 respectively, from Columbia University. He was awarded ten honorary doctoral degrees.

Mr. Bowles died in 1975.

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Scope and Contents

These papers, which consist of six boxes of correspondence, inter-office memoranda, and reports, are concerned with the Education Program for the years 1963 to 1968.

The papers, which are broad in scope, include material related to educational conferences, meetings, or activities attended by Bowles; and correspondence with Foundation colleagues, and individuals in academic, grantee, and other organizations involved in or with FF educational activities.

Mr. Bowles, whose role in the Foundation's Education Program was diverse, is reflected by the papers, accessioned reports, and speeches.

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Arrangement

The Education Program Papers of Frank Bowles are divided into two series:

I. Conference Files, 1963-1968 II. Correspondence Files, 1962-1968

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Immediate Source of Acquisition

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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Related Materials

Separated Materials

Staff and consultant reports and publications have been pulled and accessioned into the Ford Foundation Archives. A cross-reference sheet located within the folders denotes accessioned material. A list of titles removed from the papers is appended to this register. Papers not related to FF activities have been removed.

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Collection Inventory

Conference Files, 1963-1968

Scope and Contents

Series I, Conference Files (1963-1968), Contains material as it relates to FF sponsored travel Bowles undertook in his capacity as Director of the Education Program and Advisor to the President for International Education.

Arrangement

These files are arranged in reverse order of travel taken. Within each folder, the papers are arranged in reverse chronological order.

Title/Description	Instances	
Compton and Merritt Colleges, [Educational Activities], November 1968, 1968 December - October	box 1	folder 1
Puerto Rico - Establishment of a Center of Experimental Studies for Educational Development, October 6-8, 1968, 1968 December - July	box 1	folder 2
Beirut and Paris - FF Seminar on University Administration (Beirut), Abidjan Conference (Paris), July 27 - August 8, 1968, 1968 October - July	box 1	folder 3
Amsterdam - Center for the Study of Education in Changing Societies, July 15-22, 1968, 1967 October - August	box 1	folder 4
Ethiopia - Haile Sellassie I University, April 1968, 1968 March - February	box 1	folder 5
Villa Serbelloni - Anglo American Conference, March 17-21, 1968, 1968 March - 1967 September	box 1	folder 6
Chicago - Cleveland Conference, November 29 - December 2, 1967, 1967 November - 1965 March	box 1	folder 7
Vienna - Conference on Ministers of Education of European Member States on Access to Higher Education, November 1967, 1968 January - 1967 March	box 1	folder 8
Washington, D.C. - American Council on Education, October 11-13, 1967, 1967 October - September	box 1	folder 9
Williamsburg, Va.- International Conference on the World Crises in Education, October 5-9, 1967, 1968 May - 1967 June	box 1	folder 10
Montreal - Expo 67, September 1967, 1967 October - September	box 1	folder 11
Yugoslavia - Yugoslav Elementary and Secondary Schools, June 27- July 5, 1967, 1967 October - January; 1966 June	box 1	folder 12
Belgium - Ghent Conference, June 5-9, 1967, 1968 October; 1967 October - June	box 1	folder 13

Ankara, Istanbul, Cairo, Paris, [Educational Activities], May 1967, 1967 August - 1966 November	box 1	folder 14
Puerto Rico - [Educational Activities], March 13-16, 1967, 1967 March - 1966 November	box 1	folder 15
Europe - [Educational Activities], February 1-24, 1967, 1967 March - 1966 September	box 1	folder 16
Netherlands - The University in Developing Nations, December 15-21, 1966, 1967 March - 1964 July	box 1	folder 17
Paris and London - Organization for Co-operation and Development, December 3-7, 1966, 1966 December - October	box 1	folder 18
Samoa - [Educational Activities], October 4-12, 1966, 1968 August - 1966 May	box 1	folder 19
North Chili, N.Y. - Council for Advancement of Small Colleges, September 1966, 1966 September - August	box 1	folder 20
Europe - International Institute for Educational Planning, June 5-23, 1966, 1966 July - May	box 1	folder 21
Magnolia, Ma. - Conference on Innovation in Higher Education, May 19-23, 1966, 1966 May - April	box 1	folder 22
California and Oklahoma, May 9-13, 1966, 1966 June - April	box 1	folder 23
Ethiopia - Haile Sellassie I University, February 19 - March 2, 1966, 1967 September - 1966 January	box 1	folder 24
Tokyo, Taiwan, New Delhi - [Educational Activities], September 1965, 1966 December - 1965 November	box 1	folder 25
Tokyo, Taiwan, New Delhi - [Educational Activities], September 1965, 1965 October - 1964 November	box 2	folder 26
Chile (Postponed), 1965 August - April	box 2	folder 27
Suffern, N.Y. - Staff Meeting, Motel on the Mountain, August 16-17, 1965, 1965 August	box 2	folder 28
Mississippi - [Educational Activities], July 25-26, 1965, 1965 October - July	box 2	folder 29
Cambridge, England - [University Problems], June 27-30, 1965, 1966 November - 1965 January	box 2	folder 30
London - Matching Grants to Universities, February 18-23, 1965, 1965 March - February	box 2	folder 31
Washington, D.C. - [Educational Activities], January 18-22, 1965, 1965 March - 1964 December	box 2	folder 32
Trinidad and Jamaica - Conference on Teacher Training, July 20-25, 1964, 1964 August - March	box 2	folder 33
Aspen, Co. - Humanities Conference, Aspen Institute for Humanistic Studies, May 26-31, 1964, 1964 June - April	box 2	folder 34

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Correspondence Files, 1962-1968

Arrangement

These folders are arranged in alphabetical order. Within those files which are arranged alphabetically by name of organization or subject matter, the correspondence is arranged in reverse chronological order.

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EA-EV, 1967-1968	box 2	folder 42
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Ferguson, Alan (Personnel), 1964 March - 1968 July	box 2	folder 46
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