

Ford Foundation records, Africa and Middle East Program, Regional Director, Office Files of Timothy Bork

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Summary Information

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Creator - aut: Bork, Timothy J.

Creator: Ford Foundation

Title: Ford Foundation records, Africa and Middle East Program, Regional

Director, Office Files of Timothy Bork

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Date [inclusive]: 1986-1996

Physical Description: 10.8 Cubic Feet

Language of the

Material:

English.

Biographical / Historical

Timothy Bork has worked as a lawyer, diplomat, and foundation executive. From 1993 to 1996, he was Regional Director of the Ford Foundation's Africa and Middle East Programs.

Prior to joining the Ford Foundation, Bork worked for almost 20 years at the United States Agency for International Aid (USAID). One of his positions at USAID was Mission Director in South Africa. Within that position, he was responsible for USAID's implementation of the Comprehensive Anti-Apartheid Act (CAA).

Bork earned a B.A. from Lake Forest College, a law degree from the University of Georgia Law School, and a M.A. in international law from Georgetown University.

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Scope and Contents

Contains subject files, organizational files, program planning and reviews, operations files, and strategy papers and reports.

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Arrangement

The Africa and Middle East Program Office Files of Timothy Bork are divided into the following nine boxes:

- 1. Memos, Strategy Papers and Reports, 1994-1996
- 2. Subject Files, 1991-1995
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- 4. People Files, Subject Files, 1994-1996
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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.

Processing Information

Level 1 Minimal Processing has been conducted to establish basic intellectual and physical control of the material and assess immediate preservation and conservation needs. Material remains as received, in original folders and storage boxes.

Conditions Governing Access

Records are open for research with select materials restricted as noted. Brittle or damaged items are available at the discretion of RAC. Researchers interested in accessing digital media (floppy disks, CDs, DVDs, etc.) or audiovisual material (audio cassettes, VHS, etc.) in this collection must use an access surrogate. The original items may not be accessed because of preservation concerns. To request an access surrogate be made, or if you are unsure if there is an access surrogate, please contact an archivist.

Collection Inventory

Title/Description	Instances		
Memos, Strategy Papers and Reports, 1994-199	96		
Title/Description	Instances		
Women and political liberalization: (a) Memo from A. Wadia to Tim Bork and others entitled, "Proposed Consultancy on Women and political liberalization in Africa and the Middle East, (b) Draft of above paper	box 1 (SK#38713)	folder 1	
Strategy paper on building the Institutional capacities of const. Building for Africa Grantees, 1996 August	box 1 (SK#38713)	folder 2	
AME Draft Paper on Media Development in Africa (Scope of work, memos included), 1995 September	box 1 (SK#38713)	folder 3	

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Africa and Middle East Program Review Meeting, 1995 March	box 1 (SK#38713)	folder 7
Scope of work and memos on AME Consultancy on Higher Education in Africa (Marcum Report), 1994-1995	box 1 (SK#38713)	folder 8
Papers relating to U.S. National Summit on Africa - FF Internal discussion, 1995 May-1996 January	box 1 (SK#38713)	folder 9
Summary of AME work in Higher Education in Africa by Ashton, 1993	box 1 (SK#38713)	folder 10
Summary of Culture Programming in Africa and Middle East	box 1 (SK#38713)	folder 11
AME Program Strategy Paper - Improving the US Policy Environment for Africa's Renewed Development, 1996 September	box 1 (SK#38713)	folder 12
Hopes on the Horizon (notes, memos), 1995 April-1996 March	box 1 (SK#38713)	folder 13
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Report on Higher Education, 1991	box 3 (SK#38716)	folder 9
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Working Group on Higher Education: Dakar, 1991 June 26-27	box 3 (SK#38716)	folder 12
Higher Education Meeting - Harare, 1991 May 16	box 3 (SK#38716)	folder 13
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Africare - Winrock, 1993 October 1	box 5 (SK#38718)	folder 5
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