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Summary Information

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Abstract:	<p>The papers of David Bell, Vice President of the Ford Foundation's International Division from 1966 to 1981, document his activities at the Ford Foundation and those of the International Division during this period. They were sent to the Foundation's Archives in July 1981 by Alice Maloney, who served as Secretary and Executive Assistant to Mr. Bell for the duration of his tenure. The papers consist primarily of correspondence, memoranda, and Bell's rough notes summarizing meetings and conferences attended. They are divided into six series. The series' order is based on substance and size. Arrangement of files within a series corresponds closely to the original order established by Ms. Maloney. The papers are particularly rich in the following areas: - the activities of the International Division: the Office of the Vice President and the overseas field offices (Series I) - the annual meetings of the Board of Trustees and its subcommittees (Series II) - the activities of the international agricultural center system, including the Consultative Group on International Agricultural Research (Series IV) - the Foundation's Population Program (Series V)</p>

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Biographical / Historical

David E. Bell, Executive Vice President of the Ford Foundation's International Division, was a member of the Foundation staff from June 1966 until his retirement in August 1981. During this period, he held the following positions:

- March 1969, Executive Vice President, International Division
- June 1966, Vice President, International Division

David Bell was born on January 20, 1919. He received his B.A. degree with highest honors from Pomona College of Claremont, California, in 1939, and was elected Phi Beta Kappa. In 1941, he earned an M.A. in Economics from Harvard University.

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

- 1942, Budget Examiner, U.S. Bureau of the Budget
- 1945-51, Assistant to the Chief, Fiscal Division, The White House
- 1951-53, Administrative Assistant to the President, The White House
- 1954-57, Field Supervisor, Pakistan Planning Board Project, IIE - Harvard University, Pakistan
- 1957-60, Lecturer, Economics; Secretary, Graduate School of Public Administration, Harvard University
- 1961-62, Director, U.S. Bureau of the Budget
- 1962-66, Administrator, Agency for International Development

After his retirement from the Foundation, Mr. Bell joined the Faculty of the Harvard University School of Public Health.

Mr. Bell's personal papers have been donated to the John F. Kennedy Presidential Library. Other papers are at the Harry Truman Presidential Library.

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Scope and Contents

David Bell's papers document his Foundation activities from 1966 to 1981, particularly in the following areas:

- the International Division: the Office of the Vice President and the overseas field offices;
- the Board of Trustees and its subcommittees;
- the International Agricultural Center system, including the Consultative Group on International Agricultural Research and the International Food Policy Research Institute;
- the Foundation's Population Program.

They reflect Bell's involvement with policy development and implementation, program and budget planning and administration, administrative procedures, and meetings and conferences for the following programs in the International Division: Office of the Vice President (OVP), Asia and the Pacific (AP), Europe and International Affairs (EIA), Latin America and the Caribbean (LAC), and Middle East and Africa (MEA).

The papers contain materials on a review (the Overseas Development Self-Study, or "Operation Janus", initiated by F. Champion Ward) and reorganization of the Foundation's international activities into programs based upon geographical areas. There is also material on the planning and implementation of the 1979-1980 Program Reviews in preparation for the second Foundation-wide program reorganization.

For Ford Foundation International Division meetings and conferences from 1966 to 1979, the papers contain lists of participants, agenda, notes for discussion, and notes or memoranda summarizing the proceedings. There is also material on the planning and administration of special programs such as the International Division Programs for Women for the years 1975 to 1980. Other topics of special interest include Bell's meetings with the Chinese delegation of December 1980 and the Ford Foundation Pakistan Reviews of 1969 and 1979.

Bell maintained a flow of correspondence with Foundation colleagues and Trustees, Heads of State, ex-USAID colleagues, and grantee and other philanthropic organizations. Of special interest is the correspondence between Bell and such individuals as McGeorge Bundy, Henry Ford II, Alexander Heard, Soedjatmoko, and Patricia Ward, and such organizations as the Council on Foreign Relations, the Overseas Development Council, and several agencies of the United Nations.

For the meetings of the Ford Foundation Board of Trustees and its International, Executive, Finance, and Communications Committees for the years 1966 to 1980, the papers contain lists of participants, agenda, notes for discussion, and notes and/or memoranda summarizing the discussions. Of particular interest: the Special Board Review Meetings of 1976, and the Board of Trustees Meeting in India (1978).

During Bell's tenure, the Foundation was instrumental in the development of eight international centers for agricultural research. The papers are rich in material on five of the eight centers: the International Rice Research Institute (IRRI), the International Institute of Tropical Agriculture (IITA), the Centro Internacional de Agricultura Tropical (CIAT), the International Maize and Wheat Improvement Center (CIMMYT), and the International Crops Research Institute for the Semi-Arid Tropics (ICRISAT). The papers document the centers' growth, their program planning and administration, and meetings and conferences from 1966 to 1981. There are lists of participants, agenda, notes for discussion, and Bell's notes summarizing the proceedings.

Most of the agricultural center material is related to: the activities of the Consultative Group on International Agricultural Research (CGIAR) and its Task Force on International Assistance for National Agricultural Research (ISNAR) for the years 1971 to 1976; the annual meetings of the International Centers Week for the years 1970 to 1979; the Ford and Rockefeller (Bellagio) Meetings on Agriculture and Development (1969-1970, 1975); and the activities of the International Food Policy Research Institute (IFPRI) for the years 1974 to 1979, as it sought and gained entry into the CGIAR system. Other topics of interest include the respective roles of CGIAR and the United Nations and Agricultural Organization (FAO) in agricultural development (1978), and the review of donor support to CGIAR and the centers (1979-1980).

The Population Program expanded considerably during Bell's tenure. The papers contain material on program planning, administration, and evaluation for this period. For the Ford and Rockefeller (Bellagio) Conferences on Population and Development from 1968 to 1979, the papers contain lists of participants, agenda, notes for discussion, and notes summarizing the proceedings. There is also material on the collaborative discussions with the Rockefeller Foundation on Roy O. Greep and Marjorie Koblinsky's "Reproduction and Human Welfare: A Challenge to Research" (1976); the subsequent meetings with Joseph Califano to discuss alternatives to abortion (1977); and a review of Ford Foundation field staff comment on Sol Chafkin's Health/Nutrition/Population (H/N/P) proposal to the Foundation (1978-1981).

Finally, Bell retained material on selected Foundation procedures, divisions and offices of the Foundation other than the OVP/ID, selected subject areas in which grants were made, and selected surveys and studies. Of particular interest is the material on the Tax Reform Act of 1969 and the ID follow-up; and the Task Forces on Finance, Procedures, and FAPs (Foundation-Administered Projects).

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Arrangement

The papers of David Bell are divided into six series:

- I. International Division Files
- II. General Correspondence Files
- III. Trustee Meeting Files
- IV. Agriculture Files
- V. Population Files
- VI. Subject Files

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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

Some groups of papers have been removed and placed with the appropriate collections within the Ford Foundation Archives:

- Files of F. F. Hill/F. Champion Ward/W. P. Gormbley
- International Division Budget Papers
- International Division Program Review Papers
- Ford Foundation Conference Papers
- Minutes and Dockets of Trustee Meetings

- Staff and consultant reports and publications.

Their locations have been noted on cross-reference sheets. A list of titles of reports removed from the papers is appended to this register. Papers not related to Ford Foundation activities have been pulled and discarded.

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Collection Inventory

International Division Files, 1966-1981

Scope and Contents

Series I, International Division Files (1966-1981), is the most extensive. It contains material on the activities of the Office of the Vice President (OVP), International Division; its re-organization in 1966, and its administrative policies. There is extensive material on the program planning and administration of the Division's overseas field offices in the four program areas in effect at that time: AP, EIA, LAC, and MEA (Asia and Pacific, Europe and International Affairs, Latin America and the Caribbean, and Middle East and Africa). The substantial Budget sub-series includes material on the Program and Budget Reviews of 1979 and 1980. There are also files on the annual meetings and conferences of the International Division, and on the Overseas Development Self-Study of 1966-1967 ("Operation Janus").

Arrangement

This series is divided into the following five sub-series:

- A. Office of the Vice President Files (1 box)
- B. Field Office Files (4 boxes)
- C. International Division Meetings and Conference Files (2 boxes)
- D. International Division Budget Files (4 boxes)
- E. Overseas Division Self-Study Files (0.5 boxes)

Office of the Vice President Files, 1966-1980

Arrangement

This sub-series is further divided into two sections. The first section consists of general material on the organization of the International Division. It is arranged chronologically. Within each folder, the correspondence is arranged in reverse chronological order.

The second section consists of files on International Division administration and special programs. It is arranged alphabetically by folder title. Within each folder, the correspondence is arranged in reverse chronological order.

Title/Description	Instances	
International Division - Organization, 1966-1980	box 1	folder 1
Ford Foundation Reorganization, 1966	box 1	folder 2
ID Organization - Europe and Far East, 1967-1968	box 1	folder 3
ID Organization (Zeidenstein/Nelson), 1968-1970	box 1	folder 4
Office of the Vice President/Int'l Division (General), 1966-1980	box 1	folder 5
ID Committee on Women, 1975-1980	box 1	folder 6
ID Control Unit - (ID Grant-Making), 1966-1980	box 1	folder 7
ID Control Reports, 1974-1981	box 1	folder 8
ID - Delegation of Authority, 1966-1980	box 1	folder 9
ID - Discretionary Awards, Travel and Study, 1967-1980	box 1	folder 10
ID/OVP - Education, 1969-1979	box 1	folder 11
ID/FF Programs for Women, 1975-1980	box 1	folder 12
ID - Rosters, 1967-1976	box 1	folder 13

Field Office Files, 1966-1981

Arrangement

This sub-series is further divided into four sections: the Asia and Pacific (AP), Europe and International Affairs (EIA), Latin America and the Caribbean (LAC), and Middle East and Africa (MEA) programs of the International Division. Within each section, the folders are arranged alphabetically, and within each folder, the material is arranged in reverse chronological order.

Title/Description	Instances	
International Division - Asia and Pacific (ID/AP), 1967-1970	box 2	folder 14
International Division - Asia and Pacific (ID/AP), 1971-1979	box 2	folder 15
ID/AP - Afghanistan, 1969	box 2	folder 16
ID/AP - Bangladesh, 1971-1974	box 2	folder 17
ID/AP - Burma, 1971	box 2	folder 18
ID/AP - China, 1978-1979	box 2	folder 19
ID/AP - China, 1980	box 2	folder 20
ID/AP - China China Conference, CSCPRC - 9/8/80, 1980	box 2	folder 21
ID/AP - India, 1967-1974	box 2	folder 22
ID/AP - India, 1975-1980	box 2	folder 23

ID/AP - Indonesia, 1966-1979	box 2	folder 24
ID/AP - Japan (and other East Asia), 1967-1971	box 2	folder 25
ID/AP - Japan (and other East Asia), 1972-1975	box 2	folder 26
ID/AP - Malaysia, 1974-1975	box 2	folder 27
ID/AP - Malaysia Review, April 15, 1970, 1970	box 2	folder 28
ID/AP - Pakistan, 1967-1978	box 3	folder 29
ID/AP - Pakistan, Pakistan Review, Sept. 1969, 1969-1970	box 3	folder 30
ID/AP - Pakistan, Pakistan Review, Dec. 1979, 1979-1980	box 3	folder 31
ID/AP - Philippines, 1966-1981	box 3	folder 32
ID/AP - Sri Lanka, 1966-1974	box 3	folder 33
ID/AP - Thailand, 1967-1975	box 3	folder 34
ID/AP - Vietnam, 1972-1975	box 3	folder 35
International Division - Europe and International Affairs (ID/EIA), 1966-1979	box 3	folder 36
ID/EIA - Arms Control Meeting, Jan. 1979, 1978-1979	box 3	folder 37
ID/EIA - Canada, 1967-1979	box 3	folder 38
ID/EIA - Ford Foundation Strategy Towards Europe, 1972-1973	box 3	folder 39
ID/EIA - Greece, 1968-1971	box 3	folder 40
ID/EIA - Information and Discussion Papers, 1966-1968	box 3	folder 41
ID/EIA - Paris Office, 1969-1975	box 3	folder 42
ID/EIA - Southern Europe, 1968-1975	box 3	folder 43
ID/EIA - USSR and Eastern Europe, 1967-1975	box 3	folder 44
International Division - Latin America and the Caribbean (ID/LAC), 1966-1980	box 3	folder 45
ID/LAC - Other Latin America, 1979	box 3	folder 46
ID/LAC - Argentina, 1971-1976	box 3	folder 47
ID/LAC - Brazil, 1970-1974	box 4	folder 48
ID/LAC - Caribbean, 1966-1980	box 4	folder 49
ID/LAC - Central America, 1979	box 4	folder 50
ID/LAC - Chile, 1972-1979	box 4	folder 51
ID/LAC - Colombia, 1966	box 4	folder 52
ID/LAC - Mexico, 1974-1978	box 4	folder 53
ID/LAC - Peru, 1969	box 4	folder 54

ID/LAC - Venezuela, 1967	box 4	folder 55
International Division - Middle East and Africa (ID/MEA), 1966-1978	box 4	folder 56
ID/MEA - Africa General, 1969-1980	box 4	folder 57
ID/MEA - Congo and other West Africa, 1967-1971	box 4	folder 58
ID/MEA - East and Central Africa, 1976-1979	box 4	folder 59
ID/MEA - Ghana, 1966-1967	box 4	folder 60
ID/MEA - Nigeria, 1967-1977	box 4	folder 61
ID/MEA - North Africa (Former Tunis Office), 1968-1971	box 4	folder 62
ID/MEA - South Africa, 1969-1980	box 4	folder 63
ID/MEA - Middle East (General), 1966-1977	box 4	folder 64
ID/MEA - Middle East Review, June, 1972, 1972	box 4	folder 65
ID/MEA - Lebanon and Beirut Office - Regional, 1966-1976	box 4	folder 66
ID/MEA - Iran (Former Office), 1967-1979	box 4	folder 67
ID/MEA - Iraq, 1966	box 4	folder 68
ID/MEA - Jordan, 1962-1966	box 4	folder 69
ID/MEA - Turkey, 1967-1979	box 4	folder 70
ID/MEA - UAR, 1967-1979	box 4	folder 71

International Division Meetings and Conference Files, 1968-1979

Arrangement

This sub-series is further divided into two sections: International Division divisional meetings and conferences, and International Division meetings and conferences on selected subjects. Within each section, the folders are arranged chronologically, and within each folder, the correspondence is arranged in reverse chronological order.

Title/Description	Instances	
ID Conference - Nairobi, 1968	box 5	folder 72
ID Conference - Nairobi, June 1968 - Summary Notes, 1968	box 5	folder 73
ID Conference - Mexico City, Dec. 1969, 1969-1970	box 5	folder 74
ID Conference - New Delhi, Oct. 1971 - General, 1966-1971	box 5	folder 75
ID Conference - New Delhi, Oct. 1971 - Discussion Paper - FF Staff Comments, 1971	box 5	folder 76
ID Conference - New Delhi, Oct. 1971 - Discussion Paper - Outsiders' Comments, 1971-1972	box 5	folder 77
ID Conference - New Delhi, Oct. 1971 - Summary Notes, 1972	box 5	folder 78
ID Conference - New York, Sept. 1973 - General, 1973		

	box 5	folder 79
ID Conference - New York, Sept. 1973 - Agenda and Summary, 1973-1974	box 5	folder 80
ID Conference - New York, Sept. 1975 - General, 1975	box 5	folder 81
ID Conference - New York, Sept. 1975 Agenda and Rapporteurs' Reports, 1975	box 5	folder 82
ID Conference - New York, Mar. 1979 - General, 1978-1979	box 6	folder 83
ID Conference - New York, Mar. 1979 - Agenda, Summary Papers, 1978-1979	box 6	folder 84
ID Conference - New York, Mar. 1979 - Principal Agenda Papers, 1979	box 6	folder 85
ID Conference - New York, Mar. 1979 - Follow-on, 1979	box 6	folder 86
ID/A&P: Asia Meeting on Education Singapore - Oct. 1970, 1970	box 6	folder 87
ID/MEA: Africa Program Review, New York - Nov. 1970, 1970	box 6	folder 88
Nigeria Board Meeting (postponed) June 1974, 1973-1974	box 6	folder 89
ID Education Conference Oct., 1979, 1979	box 6	folder 90

International Division Budget Files, 1967-1981

Arrangement

This sub-series is further divided into the following sections: general files on the ID Budget, ID Budget Program Review files, and Bell's notes on selected subjects re: ID Budget/Program Reviews. Within each section, the folders are arranged chronologically. Within each folder, the correspondence is arranged in reverse chronological order.

Title/Description	Instances	
Resource Base Allocations - FY 1968, 1967-1969	box 6	folder 91
International Division Budget - FY 1969, 1968-1969	box 6	folder 92
International Division Budget - FY 1970, 1968	box 6	folder 93
International Division Budget - FY 1970, 1969 January-April	box 6	folder 94
International Division Budget - FY 1970, 1969 June-October	box 6	folder 95
International Division Budget - FY 1970, 1970	box 7	folder 96
International Division Budget - FY 1971, 1970	box 7	folder 97
International Division Budget - FY 1971, 1971-1972	box 7	folder 98
International Division Budget - FY 1972, 1971	box 7	folder 99
International Division Budget - FY 1972, 1972-1973	box 7	folder 100
International Division Budget - FY 1973, 1972	box 7	folder 101

International Division Budget - FY 1973, 1973	box 7	folder 102
International Division Budget - Planning and Evaluation Agenda - General, 1971-1973	box 7	folder 103
International Division Budget - Planning and Evaluation Agenda - ID Responses, 1972	box 7	folder 104
International Division Budget - FY 1974, 1972-1973	box 8	folder 105
International Division Budget - FY 1974, 1974 January-March	box 8	folder 106
International Division Budget - FY 1974, 1974 April-October	box 8	folder 107
International Division Budget - "Papers on 1980 Budget", 1974	box 8	folder 108
International Division Budget - FY 1975, 1974	box 8	folder 109
International Division Budget - FY 1975, 1975	box 8	folder 110
International Division Budget - FY 1976, 1976-1977	box 8	folder 111
International Division Budget - FY 1977, 1977 January-March	box 8	folder 112
International Division Budget - FY 1977, 1977 April-December	box 9	folder 113
International Division Budget - FY 1978, 1977-1979	box 9	folder 114
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International Division Budget - FY 1979, 1979 January-April	box 9	folder 116
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International Division Budget Dependent Organizations, 1971	box 9	folder 123
International Division Budget Endowment Grants, 1967-1977	box 10	folder 124
International Division Budget Foundation Size, 1972	box 10	folder 125
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International Division Program Reviews - POP, 1979-1980	box 10	folder 135
Division Reserve - Current, 1977-1981	box 10	folder 136
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OM Issues - Oct./Nov. Meeting, 1980	box 10	folder 138
OVP Meeting - 9/30/80, 1979-1980	box 10	folder 139
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Thomas' Program Review Meetings July 1979, 1979	box 10	folder 141
Thomas' Program Review Meetings Oct. /Nov. 1980, 1980	box 10	folder 142

Overseas Division Self-Study Files, 1966-1967

Arrangement

This sub-series is arranged according to the order in which it was originally received and consists of material on the OD Self-Study - "Operation Janus". Within each folder, the correspondence is arranged in reverse chronological order.

Title/Description	Instances	
OD Self-Study - General, 1966-1967	box 10	folder 143
OD Self-Study - Ideas, 1966-1967	box 10	folder 144
OD Self-Study - Log, 1966-1967	box 10	folder 145
OD Self-Study - Representatives' Replies, 1966-1967	box 10	folder 146
OD Self-Study - "Outsiders'" Replies, 1966	box 10	folder 147
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General Correspondence Files, 1966-1980

Scope and Contents

Series II, Correspondence (1966-1980), contains correspondence generated by Mr. Bell during his years at the Foundation. Correspondents include Foundation colleagues and Trustees, Heads of State, ex-USAID colleagues, and grantee and other philanthropic organizations.

Arrangement

This series is divided into the following two sub-series:

A. Alphabetical Files (3 boxes)

B. Chronological Files (7 boxes)

Alphabetical Files, 1966-1981

Scope and Contents

These files consist of Bell's selected incoming and outgoing correspondence with Ford Foundation trustees and colleagues, grantee and membership organizations, and other donor organizations.

Arrangement

These files are arranged alphabetically. Within each folder, correspondence is arranged in reverse chronological order.

Title/Description	Instances	
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Canadian International Development Research Centre (IDRC), 1969-1979	box 11	folder 158
Council on Foreign Relations (CFR), 1970-1977	box 11	folder 159
CFR - Committee on Procedures, 1971-1972	box 11	folder 160
CFR - Nominating Committee, 1972-1973	box 11	folder 161
CFR - Nominating Committee, 1974	box 11	folder 162
CFR - Discussion Group on Foreign Aid Policy, 1966-1967	box 11	folder 163
CFR - Discussion Group on Foreign Aid Policy, 1967-1978	box 11	folder 164
CFR - Special Discussion Group: Vietnam's Post-Conflict Problems, 1967	box 11	folder 165

CFR - Latin American Advisory Group (Nelson Rockefeller), 1969	box 12	folder 166
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CFR - Study Group on American Aid Policy, 1970	box 12	folder 168
CFR - Study Group on Transfer Of Technology, 1976-1977	box 12	folder 169
Dahrendorf, Ralph, 1975-1978	box 12	folder 170
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Education and World Affairs (EWA), 1966-1974	box 12	folder 172
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Ford, Henry II, 1966-1977	box 12	folder 174
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Wald, Patricia M., 1974	box 13	folder 204
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Wyzanski, Charles E., 1969-1972	box 13	folder 206

Chronological Files, 1966-1980

Scope and Contents

These files consist of Bell's routine outgoing correspondence ("chrons") with Ford Foundation trustees and colleagues, grantee and membership organizations, other donor organizations, heads of state, and ex-USAID colleagues.

Arrangement

These files are arranged chronologically. Within each year, they are arranged alphabetically.

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NIE - NIM, 1966	box 14	folder 221
PA - PR, 1966	box 14	folder 222
RE - RO, 1966	box 14	folder 223
SC - SU, 1966	box 14	folder 224
TA - TR, 1966	box 14	folder 225
Umali, D. C., 1966	box 14	folder 226
WA - WO, 1966	box 14	folder 227
YO - ZU, 1966	box 14	folder 228
Addressee, multiple, 1967	box 14	folder 229
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BA - BU, 1967	box 14	folder 231
CA - CU, 1967	box 14	folder 232
DA - DU, 1967	box 14	folder 233
ED - EU, 1967	box 14	folder 234
FA - FU, 1967	box 14	folder 235
GA - GR, 1967	box 14	folder 236
HA - HU, 1967	box 14	folder 237
IL - IN, 1967	box 14	folder 238
JA - JO, 1967	box 14	folder 239
KA - KU, 1967	box 14	folder 240
LA - LY, 1967	box 14	folder 241
MA - MY, 1967	box 14	folder 242
McC - McR, 1967	box 14	folder 243
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- A. International Agricultural Center Files (2.5 boxes)
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International Agricultural Center Files, 1966 - 1980

Scope and Contents

The first section of this subseries consists of general material on the administration and program development of five international agricultural centers. The second section of this subseries consists of files on each agricultural center.

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This sub-series is further divided into two sections. The first section is arranged chronologically. Within each folder, the correspondence is arranged in reverse chronological order.

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Scope and Contents

The first section of this subseries consists of material on the organization of the Consultative Group for International Agricultural Research (CGIAR) and the procedures of its committee meetings. The second section of this subseries consists of material on the formation and committee meetings of the CGIAR's Task Force on International Assistance for National Agricultural Research (ISNAR).

Arrangement

This sub-series is further divided into two sections. Within each section, the folders are arranged chronologically. Within each folder, the correspondence is arranged in reverse chronological order.

Title/Description	Instances	
Consultative Group on International Agricultural Research - General, 1971 - 1973	box 28	folder 712
Consultative Group on International Agricultural Research - General, 1974 - 1979	box 28	folder 713
IBRD Consultative Group Meetings, Jan. 14-15, 1971, 1971	box 28	folder 714
IBRD Consultative Group Meetings, May 19, 1971, 1971	box 28	folder 715
IBRD Consultative Group Meetings, Dec. 3, 1971, 1971	box 28	folder 716
IBRD Consultative Group Meetings, Nov. 1-3, 1973, 1973	box 28	folder 717
CGIAR - Subcommittee on Center Review Procedures, 1973 - 1974	box 28	folder 718
CGIAR Meeting, Oct. 30-31, 1974, 1974	box 28	folder 719
CGIAR Review Committee, Mar. 18, 1976, 1975 - 1976	box 28	folder 720
CGIAR Review Committee, July 22-23, 1976, 1976	box 28	folder 721
CGIAR Review Committee, Sept. 14-15, 1976, 1976	box 28	folder 722
CGIAR Meeting, Oct. 27-29, 1976, 1976	box 28	folder 723
CGIAR Task Force on International Assistance for National Agricultural Research, 1977	box 29	folder 724
CGIAR Task Force on International Assistance for National Agricultural Research, 1978	box 29	folder 725
CGIAR/ISNAR Task Force - Nairobi, June 1978, 1978	box 29	folder 726
ISNAR Committee Meeting - Geneva, Feb. 15- 16, 1979, 1978 - 1979	box 29	folder 727
ISNAR and CG Meetings - Paris, May 2-4, 1979, 1979	box 29	folder 728
CGIAR-ISNAR Committee Meetings, Oct. 26, 1979, 1978 - 1979	box 29	folder 729

Agriculture Meeting and Conference Files, 1969 - 1980

Scope and Contents

The first section of this subseries consists of material on the annual meetings of International Centers Week. The second section of this subseries consists of material on Ford and Rockefeller Foundation Conferences on Agriculture and Development.

Arrangement

This sub-series is further divided into two sections. Within each section, the folders are arranged chronologically. Within each folder, the correspondence is arranged in reverse chronological order.

Title/Description	Instances	
International Centers Week - Sept. 28 - Oct. 2, 1970, 1969 - 1970	box 29	folder 730
International Centers Week - Oct. 5-8, 1971, 1970 - 1971	box 29	folder 731
International Centers Week - July 31 - Aug. 4, 1972, 1972	box 29	folder 732
International Centers Week - Aug. 1973, 1973	box 29	folder 733
International Centers Week - 1974, 1974 - 1975	box 29	folder 734
International Centers Week - 1975, 1975	box 30	folder 735
International Centers Week, July 28-30, 1976, 1976	box 30	folder 736
International Centers Week, Sept. 1977, 1977	box 30	folder 737
International Centers Week, Nov. 6-10, 1978, 1978 - 1979	box 30	folder 738
International Centers Week, Oct. 29 - Nov. 2, 1979, 1979 - 1980	box 30	folder 739
FF/RF Meetings re: Agricultural Institutes, Mar. 10-14, 1969, 1969	box 30	folder 740
Bellagio Conference on Agricultural Development, April 23-25, 1969, 1969	box 30	folder 741
International Agricultural Institutes Meetings, Oct. 27-31, 1969, 1969	box 30	folder 742
Post-Bellagio Agricultural Group, 1968, 1970	box 30	folder 743
Bellagio Conference on Agriculture, April 9-10, 1970, 1970	box 30	folder 744
Bellagio Agricultural Group, Dec. 3-4, 1970, 1970	box 30	folder 745
World Food Outlook, Possible Institute - UN Conferences, 1973 - 1974, 1976	box 30	folder 746
Meeting on Social Science Research and Rural Development, April 29-30, 1975, 1975	box 30	folder 747

International Food Policy Research Institute (IFPRI) Files, 1974 - 1979

Scope and Contents

This sub-series consists of material on the organization, administration, and periodic meetings of the International Food Policy Research Institute (IFPRI).

Arrangement

This sub-series is arranged in chronological order. Within each folder, the correspondence is arranged in reverse chronological order.

Title/Description	Instances	
International Food Policy Research Institute - Ottawa, Sept. 1974, 1974	box 31	folder 748
International Food Policy Research Institute (IFPRI) - General, 1974 - 1979	box 31	folder 749
IFPRI - Washington, Jan. 1975, 1975	box 31	folder 750
IFPRI - Washington, May 1975, 1975	box 31	folder 751
IFPRI - Board of Trustees Meeting, July 1975, 1975	box 31	folder 752
IFPRI - Board of Trustees Meeting, July 1975 - Summary, 1975	box 31	folder 753
IFPRI Executive Committee, Dec. 1975, 1975	box 31	folder 754
IFPRI Trustees Meeting, Feb. 1976, 1976	box 31	folder 755
IFPRI Executive Committee, July 1976, 1976	box 31	folder 756
IFPRI Board Meeting, Sept. 1976, 1976	box 31	folder 757
IFPRI Executive Committee, Oct. 1976, 1976	box 31	folder 758
IFPRI Board Meeting, Feb. 1977, 1976 - 1977	box 31	folder 759
IFPRI Search Committee, June 1977, 1976 - 1977	box 31	folder 760
IFPRI Board of Trustees Meeting, Sept. 1977, 1977	box 31	folder 761
IFPRI Board of Trustees Meeting, Feb. 1978, 1978	box 31	folder 762
IFPRI Executive Committee, May 1978, 1978	box 31	folder 763
IFPRI, Ottawa, Aug. 1978, 1978	box 31	folder 764
IFPRI Board of Trustees Meeting, Sept. 1978, 1978	box 31	folder 765
IFPRI Board Meeting, Rome, Feb. 1979, 1978 - 1979	box 31	folder 766
IFPRI - Kate Hathaway, 1978 - 1979	box 31	folder 767
IFPRI Meeting - Mar. 1979, 1979	box 31	folder 768
IFPRI Board of Trustees, June 1979, 1979	box 31	folder 769
IFPRI Board of Trustees, Sept. 1979, 1979	box 31	folder 770

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Population Files, 1966 - 1981

Scope and Contents

Series V, Population Files (1966-1981), contains material on the program planning, evaluation, and administration of the Population Program. It includes extensive material on some principal grantee organizations and on Ford and Rockefeller (Bellagio) Conferences on Population and Development.

Arrangement

This series is divided into the following two sub-series:

A. Ford Foundation Population Program Files (2 boxes)

B. Meetings and Conferences (1 box)

Ford Foundation Population Program Files

Scope and Contents

The first section of this subseries consists of material on the program planning, administration, and evaluation of the Population Program. The second section of this subseries consists of files on grantee organizations.

Arrangement

This subseries is further divided into two sections. The first section is arranged chronologically. Within each folder, the correspondence is arranged in reverse chronological order. The second section is arranged alphabetically. Within each folder, the correspondence is arranged in reverse chronological order.

Title/Description	Instances	
Ford Foundation Population Program, 1966 - 1969	box 32	folder 771
Ford Foundation Population Program, 1970 - 1976	box 32	folder 772
Ford Foundation Population Program, 1977 - 1980	box 32	folder 773
Population - General, 1975 - 1979	box 32	folder 774
Greep Review and Follow-up, 1976 - 1977	box 32	folder 775
Califano Meeting (21 June 1977), 1977	box 32	folder 776
Health, Nutrition, and Population (HNP), 1978 - 1981	box 32	folder 777
Population Information Paper (Dec. 1979), 1979	box 32	folder 778
Institute for Human Reproduction, 1966 - 1970	box 33	folder 779
International Centre for Diarrhoeal Disease Research, Bangladesh (ICDDRDB), 1976 - 1980	box 33	folder 780
ICDDRDB Meeting - Geneva (Feb. 1979), 1978 - 1979	box 33	folder 781

International Population Research Institute, 1970 - 1971	box 33	folder 782
The Population Council, 1966 - 1977	box 33	folder 783
The Population Council, 1978 - 1981	box 33	folder 784
United Nations Fund for Population Activities, 1967 - 1975	box 33	folder 785
World Health Organization (WHO) Expanded Program, 1971 - 1979	box 33	folder 786

Meetings and Conferences, 1968 - 1980

Scope and Contents

The first section of this subseries consists of material on Population Conferences funded by the Ford Foundation. The second section of this subseries consists of material on the Bellagio Population Conferences funded by the Rockefeller Foundation, attended by Mr. Bell and to which he contributed papers.

Arrangement

This subseries is further divided into two sections. Within each section, the folders are arranged chronologically. Within each folder, the correspondence is arranged in reverse chronological order.

Title/Description	Instances	
Ford Foundation Population Meeting, Lake Como, Italy, 1968	box 34	folder 787
Ford Foundation Population Meeting, Elsinore, Denmark, 1972	box 34	folder 788
Ford Foundation Population Meeting, Cali, Colombia, 1974	box 34	folder 789
Ford Foundation Conference - Social Science Research on Population and Development, 1974	box 34	folder 790
Meeting on Public Sector Involvement in Reproductive Sciences, 1977	box 34	folder 791
Ford Foundation Population Meeting, Bangkok, Thailand, 1978	box 34	folder 792
Bellagio I Population Conference, 1969 - 1970	box 34	folder 793
Bellagio Population Group - Interim Committee, 1970	box 34	folder 794
Bellagio II Population Conference, 1971	box 34	folder 795
Bellagio III Population Conference, 1970 - 1976	box 34	folder 796
Possible Bellagio IV Population Meeting, 1975 - 1976	box 34	folder 797
Bellagio IV Population Conference, 1976 - 1977	box 34	folder 798
Bellagio Conference: Health and Population in Developing Countries, 1977 - 1978	box 34	folder 799
Bellagio Conference: Health and Population in Developing Countries, 1978 - 1980	box 34	folder 800
Bellagio Meeting on Development Research, 1973 - 1976	box 34	folder 801

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Subject Files, 1966-1981

Scope and Contents

Series VI, Subject Files (1966-1981), contains material on selected Foundation procedures, divisions and offices of the Foundation other than the Office of the Vice President/International Division, selected subject areas in which grants were made, selected surveys and studies.

Arrangement

This series consists of material on selected subject areas in which grants were made, divisions of the Foundation other than the OVP/ID, internal Foundation procedures, selected surveys and studies. It is arranged alphabetically. Within each file, the correspondence is arranged in reverse chronological order.

Title/Description	Instances	
CIA Orphans - CIA Orphans and All That, 1967	box 35	folder 802
CIA Orphans - Representatives' Responses, Sutton Memo 3/15/67, 1967	box 35	folder 803
CIA Orphans - Rusk Committee, 1967	box 35	folder 804
Cleaveland Grants - National Affairs, 1967	box 35	folder 805
Cultural Grants, 1967 - 1974	box 35	folder 806
Environmental Grants, 1971 - 1974	box 35	folder 807
Evaluation of Grants, 1966 - 1979	box 35	folder 808
Foundations (Other), 1967 - 1981	box 35	folder 809
Human Rights - Human Rights and Intellectual Freedom, 1975 - 1981	box 36	folder 810
Human Rights - Indochinese Refugees, 1979 - 1980	box 36	folder 811
Human Rights - Migration and Refugees, 1979 - 1980	box 36	folder 812
Human Rights - Princeton Seminar on Human Rights, Foreign Policy and the Media, 1978	box 36	folder 813
International Economic Order - Planning Agenda, 1972 - 1980	box 36	folder 814
International Economic Order - Working Group, 1977 - 1978	box 36	folder 815
Language and Linguistics Survey, 1966 - 1968	box 36	folder 816
Libraries, 1971 - 1975	box 36	folder 817
National Affairs Division, 1967 - 1977	box 36	folder 818
Office of the Secretary, 1966 - 1980	box 36	folder 819
Outside Affiliation and Remuneration, 1980	box 36	folder 820

"Pay As You Earn", 1970 - 1971	box 36	folder 821
Task Force - FAPs, 1970	box 37	folder 822
Task Force - FAPs, 1971	box 37	folder 823
Task Force - FAPs, 1972 - 1973	box 37	folder 824
Task Force - Financial Reporting and Accounting, 1971 - 1973	box 37	folder 825
Task Force - Foundation Procedures, 1972 - 1974	box 37	folder 826
Tax Reform Act of 1969 - Foundation Executives' Meeting, 1969	box 37	folder 827
Tax Reform Act of 1969 - ID Follow-up, 1969 - 1970	box 37	folder 828
Tax Reform Act of 1969 - ID Follow-up, 1971 - 1972	box 37	folder 829
Tax Reform Act of 1969 - ID Follow-up, 1973 - 1974	box 37	folder 830
Urbanization Study, 1970 - 1971	box 37	folder 831

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