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Abstract: The Roxanne Dunbar-Ortiz papers document her scholarship, professional work, and activism re: indigenous rights (international and national), indigenous peoples in the United States, the Miskitu Indians in Nicaragua, class and racial politics, and feminism. The collection contains correspondence; writings; research files on the Miskitu Indians; subject files; personalia; and audiovisual materials.

Language of Material: In English, Spanish, and Miskito.

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Restrictions on Access

Cartons 1-9, boxes 1, 2, and 4, and Oversize Box 1 are open for research. Box 3 includes restricted information and is closed to researchers until 2054.

Accruals

Future additions are expected.

Immediate Source of Acquisition

The Roxanne Dunbar-Ortiz papers were given to The Bancroft Library between 2004 and 2019 by Roxanne Dunbar-Ortiz.

Alternate Forms Available

There are no alternative forms of this collection.

Biographical / Historical

Activist, historian, and memoirist, Roxanne Dunbar-Ortiz is Professor Emerita of Ethnic Studies at California State University East Bay. She was born in San Antonio, Texas in 1938 and grew up in Central Oklahoma. After receiving her Ph.D. in History at UCLA in 1974, Dunbar-Ortiz taught in the newly-established Native American Studies Program at California State University, Hayward (now CSU East Bay) and helped found the departments of Women's and Ethnic Studies there. She has been active in the international indigenous movement for decades and is known for her lifelong commitment to national and international social justice issues. Dunbar-Ortiz has written extensively about indigenous rights, indigenous peoples in the United States and Central America, racial politics, 1960s social movements, and feminism.

Preferred Citation

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System of Arrangement

Arranged to the folder level.

Processing Information

Processed by Marjorie Bryer in 2019.

Related Collections

Bernard Nietschmann papers (BANC MSS 2010/195)

Scope and Content of Collection

The Roxanne Dunbar-Ortiz papers document her scholarship, professional work, and activism re: indigenous rights (national and international), indigenous peoples in the United States, the Miskitu Indians in Nicaragua, class and racial politics and racism, and feminism.

The collection is divided into 6 series: Correspondence; Writings; Research Files on the Miskitu Indians; Subject Files; Personalia and Biographical Materials; and Audiovisual Materials.

Original folder titles were retained. Folders are variously labeled "Miskito" and "Miskitu." Dunbar-Ortiz typically used the latter term, as that is the Miskitu peoples name for themselves.

Separated Materials

Digital materials have been transferred to the Digital Collections Unit of The Bancroft Library.

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Physical Characteristics and Technical Requirements

Access to audio-visual materials may be restricted due to technical limitations.

Subjects and Indexing Terms

Miskito Indians -- Government relations.

Miskito Indians -- History.

Miskito Indians -- Wars.

Miskito Indians -- Civil Rights

Miskito Indians -- Nicaragua

Miskitu (Indigenous community : North)

Miskitu (Indigenous community : South)

Tasba Pri (Nicaragua)

Indians, Treatment of -- Nicaragua.

Nicaragua -- Politics and government -- 1979-1990.

Dakota Indians.

Indians of North America -- History.

Indians of North America -- Colonization.

Feminists -- United States.

Rural poor -- Oklahoma.

Dunbar-Ortiz, Roxanne, 1939- -- Archives.

Series 1. Correspondence 1965-2018

Physical Description: Carton 1; Carton 2, folders 1-9

Scope and Content Note

Incoming and outgoing personal and professional correspondence; includes some subject file material. Please note that correspondence can be found in other series.

Carton 1,
Folder 1-2

Allen, Chude Pamela, includes "When the Spirit" 1995-2004

Carton 1,
Folder 3-8

Brachet, Jean-Louis (Juan Luis Brachet Ize/"Switi") 1965-1969, 1992-1993, undated**Scope and Content Note**

Dunbar-Ortiz's ex-husband. Letters from the 1960s are photocopies.

Carton 1, Folder 9
Carton 1,
Folder 10-13
Carton 1,
Folder 14-15

Buck, Marilyn 1999-2004**Burke, Ronnie, including "Inventory," "Pandemonium," and letters to Michelle la Relle [Michelle Callarman?] 1995-2000****Callarman, Michelle (daughter) 1989-2005**

Carton 1,
Folder 16
Carton 1,
Folder 17

Calloway, Colin G., includes Review of His Book, "The American Revolution in Indian Country" 1995-1996**Carlsson, Brent 1986-1987**

Carton 1,
Folder 18-20

Dad/Family, including Barbara (Sister) and Maurice (Brother - re: Red Dirt) 1990-2005, undated

Carton 1, Folder 21	Feminist Press 1995
Carton 1, Folder 22	Firestone, Shulamith 1998-2012
Carton 1, Folder 23	J circa 2003
Carton 1, Folder 24	Legassick, Martin, and Audrey Rosenthal Letters (photocopies) 1966-1967
Carton 1, Folder 25	Linebaugh, Peter 2003-2004
Carton 1, Folder 26	Lloyd, Rees 1971
Carton 1, Folder 27	McDaniel, Wilma 2000-2005
Carton 1, Folder 28	Miskitu Indian-Sandinista Relations 1981-1983
Carton 1, Folder 29	Miskitu Indians - Miscellaneous Correspondence 1985-1988
Carton 1, Folder 30	Oklahoma University Press 2005-2009
Carton 1, Folder 31-32	Ortiz, Simon J. circa 1976-2000
Carton 1, Folder 33	Publishers, includes Contracts 2011-2018
Carton 1, Folder 34	Randall, Margaret 1993-2005
Carton 1, Folder 35	Regie's Letters (photocopies) 1968
Carton 1, Folder 36	Rudd, Mark [Raskolnikov?] 1990-1998
Carton 1, Folder 37	South Africa/David Barkham 1992-1998
Carton 1, Folder 38	Sutton, Imre 1997-2000
Carton 1, Folder 39	Sympathy Cards - Uncle Fred's Death 2009
Carton 1, Folder 40	Thaxton, Rob circa 2004-2009
Carton 1, Folder 41	Wilson, Brian 1995-1997
Carton 1, Folder 42	Womack, John (Jack), Lee Smith, Blurbs, Sandy, Verso 1996-1998
Carton 1, Folder 43	Writer Friends 1987-1997, undated
Carton 1, Folder 44-51	Personal and Professional Correspondence circa 1974-1998
Carton 2, Folder 1-9	Personal and Professional Correspondence 1999-2017, undated

Series 2. **Writings 1967-2018**

Physical Description: Carton 2, folders 10-41; Carton 3, folders 1-24 ; Cartons 4-6; Oversize Box 1, folder 6

Scope and Content Note

Includes book projects,; articles, conference materials, lectures, talks, journals, notebooks, and planners.

Carton 2,
Folder 10-11

Blood on the Border: A Memoir of the Contra War 2004-2006

Carton 3, Folder 1-20	<p>The Great Sioux Nation: Sitting in Judgment on America 1973-1978, 2011</p> <p>Scope and Content Note</p> <p>Consists of documents re: United States v. Consolidated Wounded Knee Cases, including the defendants' supplemental memorandum, appearances, a brief, motions to Dismiss, the trial transcript, memoranda of law, and an appeal. There are also minutes from a special conference on international law and the International Working Group on Treaties; a Wounded Knee outline and trial chronology; Dunbar-Ortiz's Sioux Hearing testimony; Sioux treaty correspondence (subpoenas); clippings; photographs; contracts and correspondence with Moon Press and Anne Kent Rush; notes; and correspondence with Vine Deloria, Jr. and others.</p>
Carton 2, Folder 12-16	<p>An Indigenous People's History of the United States - Beacon Press circa 2004-2017</p> <p>Scope and Content Note</p> <p>Includes clippings, drafts (with various working titles), notes, proposals, research materials, and publicity. The folder labeled "Scotch-Irish Project" seems to be related to this book.</p>
Carton 2, Folder 17 Carton 2, Folder 18-27	<p>Loaded: A Disarming History of the Second Amendment - Review, Related Article, and Interview Questions 2018</p> <p>Norther 1990-2002, undated</p> <p>Scope and Content Note</p> <p>Includes notes, datos y ideas, drafts, timeline, historical contextualization, manuscripts, and meeting notes.</p>
Carton 2 , Folder 28-35	<p>Outlaw Woman: A Memoir of the War Years 1983-2005</p> <p>Scope and Content Note</p> <p>Includes drafts, "Wendy's work," correspondence and emails, newspaper clippings, and research materials.</p>
Carton 2 , Folder 36-38 Carton 2, Folder 39-41 Carton 4, Folder 1-12	<p>The Quest for Miskito Autonomy in Nicaragua 1989</p> <p>Red Dirt-Related - Okies, Radical History Review Article, Okie Scholars circa 1993-1997</p> <p>Red Dirt: Growing Up Okie 1997-2005, undated</p> <p>Scope and Content Note</p> <p>Includes reviews, materials about the Red Dirt Rangers, fan letters, Verso catalogs, information about readings, newspaper clippings, a book proposal, notes, and a broadside.</p>
oversize_box 1 , Folder 6	<p>Red Dirt Broadside 1997</p>
Carton 4, Folder 13 Carton 4, Folder 14-15 Carton 4, Folder 16	<p>Unforgetting the War Against Mexico/ Mexican War, includes Book Proposal, Notes 1973-2018</p> <p>Poems/Poetry/Dream 1970-1974, 1989, undated</p> <p>"The Movement" and the Working Class, Working Paper/Letter Sent Out circa 1972</p> <p>Writings and Conference Materials re: Indigenous People in the United States, Across the Americas, and Worldwide; Human Rights; International Law; and the Miskitu Indians in Nicaragua</p>
Carton 4, Folder 17 Carton 4, Folder 18 Carton 4, Folder 19	<p>Red Paper - Second International Indian Treaty Conference June 1976</p> <p>"Colonialism, Underdevelopment, and the Liberation Process: Putting the Role of Women in Perspective..." NEH Seminar 1978</p> <p>Talk with Louis Neckar at United Nations Conference on Racism August 1978</p>

Carton 4, Folder 20	Traditional and Hard-to-Find Information Required by Members of American Indian Communities..., with Simon Ortiz October 1978
Carton 4, Folder 21	Human Rights and Educational Responsibility Conference October 1978
Carton 4, Folder 22	The Labor Situation in the Navajo Reservation, Southwest Labor Conference April 1979
Carton 4, Folder 23	Human Rights, Affirmative Action and the Need for Minority Education - Keynote Speech April 1980
Carton 4, Folder 24	Technology and Chronology in the Rewriting of American Indian History October 1980
Carton 4, Folder 25	Requirements for a "New History" of Native American and U.S. Relations December 1980
Carton 4, Folder 26	University of New Mexico - Publications/Lectures - Native American Studies 1980-1981
Carton 4, Folder 27	Position Papers re: Miskitu Indians, includes Primary Source Documents 1980-1982
Carton 4, Folder 28	Problems in the Enjoyment of Human Rights by Indigenous Peoples - International Forum on Human Rights February 1981
Carton 4, Folder 29	Indigenous Peoples in the International Framework: Problems in Their Access to Human Rights - NGO Conference on Indigenous People and the Land September 1981
Carton 4, Folder 30	Survey of Protective Measures, Institutions, Initiatives, and Organizations in Reference to Indigenous Populations of the Americas December 1981
Carton 4, Folder 31	Working Paper on Behalf of the International Indian Treaty Council December 1981
Carton 4, Folder 32	United Nations/Human Rights (Fragment) circa 1981
Carton 4, Folder 33	The Indigenous Question and the Miskito People in Nicaragua January 1982
Carton 4, Folder 34	Navajo Times Op-Ed circa 1982
Carton 4, Folder 35	The Indian Situation in Central America circa 1982
Carton 4, Folder 36	Critique of the Allegations of Human Rights Violations against the Miskitu People of Nicaragua October 1983
Carton 4, Folder 37	Genocide or Accident of Circumstance? November 1983
Carton 4, Folder 38	Protection of American Indian Territories in the U.S.: Applicability of International Law circa 1983
Carton 4, Folder 39	A Panel Discussion on U.S. Intervention in Central America March 1984
Carton 4, Folder 40	American Indians: Fundamental Issues April 1984
Carton 4, Folder 41	Miskitus - News Releases August 1984
Carton 4, Folder 42	Recourses in International Law for Indigenous Peoples October 1984
Carton 4, Folder 43	Chart - Indigenous - Anti-Indigenous - Indigenista 1984
Carton 4, Folder 44	The Developing Indian Policy in Nicaragua - A Five-Year Review 1984
Carton 4, Folder 45	Proposal for Two-Day Mini Conference on the Miskitu Issue in Nicaragua 1984
Carton 4, Folder 46	Nicaragua Was Our Home - Film Review 1984
Carton 4, Folder 47	International Human Rights Law Applied to the Miskitu Situation in Nicaragua (Excerpt from Indians of the Americas) 1984

Carton 4, Folder 48	What Some People Won't Do to Get Their Picture in the New York Times, with Chokie Cottier circa 1984
Carton 4, Folder 49	The Miskitu People and the Nicaraguan Revolution: A Viewpoint April 1985
Carton 4, Folder 50	Interview with Roxanne Dunbar-Ortiz - Albuquerque Journal/Navajo Times April 1985
Carton 4, Folder 51	Study of International Law Norms Applicable to the Development of Constitutional Autonomy...Inter-American Indigenous Congress November 1985
Carton 4, Folder 52	Proposal for International Symposium on Autonomy for the Atlantic Coast of Nicaragua circa 1985
Carton 4, Folder 53	Miskitu Indians - Background (Fragment) circa 1985
Carton 4, Folder 54	Report of Trip to Canada/New York Times Letter 1985, 1989
Carton 4, Folder 55	Indigenous Women of the Atlantic Coast of Nicaragua (Fragment) March 1986
Carton 4, Folder 56	Miskitu Tasbaika 1986
Carton 4, Folder 57	Nicaraguan Miskitu Refugee Repatriation May 1987
Carton 4, Folder 58	Lectures - Refugee Studies Programme, Queen Elizabeth House Lecture Series May 1987
Carton 4, Folder 59	The Uprooting of a People: Miskitu Indian Refugees September 1987
Carton 4, Folder 60	Papers on the Displacement of the Indigenous in Central America circa 1987-2004
Carton 4, Folder 61	Clarification of Some Commonly Held (in the USA) Myths regarding Lenin's Views on the National Question undated
Carton 4, Folder 62	Indigenous Self-Determination - Independent Commission on Humanitarian Issues undated
Carton 4, Folder 63	International Human Rights and Indigenous Peoples of the Americas/Draft - International Covenant on Indigenous Nations and Peoples undated
Carton 4, Folder 64	Radical Royalty, Reaganomics and Resistance in the 1980s undated
Carton 4, Folder 65	"That All Rise Up": Indians in the Guatemalan Revolution undated
Carton 4, Folder 66	"Most of you know that the social processes in Central America are so intense..." undated
Carton 4, Folder 67	Refugees [Magazine] - History/Famous Refugees 1987-1988
Carton 4, Folder 68	Racial Politics in the 1990s 1990
Carton 4, Folder 69	Miscellaneous Notes on the '60s circa 1990-1999
Carton 3, Folder 20	[Jules] and Jewell January 1993
Carton 3, Folder 21	Notepad - includes Autobiographical Writings 1995
Carton 4, Folder 70-71	The Proof of Whiteness: More than Skin Deep - the Making and Unmaking Whiteness Conference, University of California, Berkeley 1995-1999
Carton 4, Folder 72	My Mother, Outlaw Belle Starr 1996, undated
Carton 3, Folder 22	Haunted by a Princess, August 1981-August 1997 circa 1997
Carton 4, Folder 73-74	Wilma McDaniel/University of Oklahoma/Oklahoma State 1997-2009
Carton 4, Folder 75	Audrey [Rosenthal] in South Africa, 1967 (Play) 1998-2000

Carton 4, Folder 76	Finding Family: Smoking Out Okies in San Diego County 1998
Carton 3, Folder 23	"No such destiny was on my mind..." - Notepad circa 1998
Carton 4, Folder 77	Literacy Plus Talk, Hayward Public Library 1998
Carton 4, Folder 78-81	Lucy Parsons: Freedom, Equality & Solidarity, includes Gale Aherns Introduction circa 1998-2003
Carton 5, Folder 1-2	James Joyce (Words as Swords: James Joyce, Premature Anti-Colonial Revolutionary?) 1999
Carton 5, Folder 3	National Liberation, the Nation-State, and Indigenous Self-Determination, Latin American Studies Association (LASA) Proposal 1999
Carton 5, Folder 4	Not Telling: Secrecy, Lies and History, South Africa Research, Soros 1999
Carton 5, Folder 5	Review of Isabell Allende's "My Invented Country" 2003
Carton 5, Folder 6	Women Remember 1968 2008
Carton 5, Folder 7	Marxism Against Racism Project 2016
Carton 5, Folder 8	The American Trial undated
Carton 5, Folder 9	Heroes undated
Carton 5, Folder 10	The Pueblo Indians of Northern New Mexico: A Historical Study of Land Tenure and Nationhood undated
Carton 5, Folder 11	Spiro Agnew, Billy the Kid, and Me undated
Carton 5, Folder 12-14	Miscellaneous Writings 1968-2010 Scope and Content Note Includes reviews, notes, essays, poetry, a proposal, articles, information about readings and talks, clippings, correspondence, publishers' administrative and financial records, and "Where Have All the Farmers Gone?"
Carton 5, Folder 15-16	Reviews of Dunbar-Ortiz's Books/Reviews by Dunbar-Ortiz, Articles circa 1980-2003
Carton 8, Folder 17	Seminar on Racism in the U.S. - Planning Committee/Sub-Committee on Racism, Racial Discrimination, Apartheid and Colonialism 1983-1984
Carton 5, Folder 18-21	Conferences, Panels, Talks, Public Lectures, Colloquia, Proposals 1983-2018
Carton 5, Folder 22-23	Publicity for Gigs and Publications 1997-2000
Carton 5, Folder 24	Miscellaneous Newspaper Clippings 2011-2013
Carton 5, Folder 25-39	Journals/Notebooks 1978-1985 Scope and Content Note These are diaries and notebooks that contain logistical and contact information and notes. Most are labeled with dates and places; they were kept in chronological order. Titles include Resistance - Power for the Powerless - Notes on a Phase; Albuquerque; Nicaragua Libre; San Francisco; Summer in Strausbourg; ICIHI Notes; Rome; 8th Trip to Nicaragua Libre.
Carton 6, Folder 1-23	Journals/Notebooks 1986-2018, undated Scope and Content Note Includes Bennington; San Francisco; War Diary; Nine Months of My Life, to accompany the revision and publication of Red Dirt; Notes toward a Feminist Memoir; for Valerie; Norther days; University of Toledo; a memory book (a gift from her nephew); and 80th Year of Life.
Carton 3, Folder 24	Notepad - Red Dirt, Ethnic Studies 1002, Itineraries, Notes, Contacts undated
Carton 6, Folder 25	Planners/Calendars 1981-1984, 2011

Series 3. **Research Files on the Miskitu Indians 1969-2009**

Physical Description: Carton 3, folder 25; Cartons 7-8; Carton 9, folders 1-7; Boxes 1-2; Oversize Box 1, folders 1-5

Arrangement

Original order was maintained. Dunbar-Ortiz arranged the materials by subject matter and theme, not by date or author. Primary and secondary materials are intermixed.

Scope and Content Note

Contains newspaper clippings, reports, and statements and position papers regarding the Miskito Indians in Nicaragua compiled for the preparation of "La cuestión miskita en la revolución nicaragüense" (1986) and "The Miskito Indians of Nicaragua," (1988). Primary and secondary sources are intermixed. Includes some writings by Dunbar-Ortiz and some correspondence.

Carton 7, Folder 1

Excelsior, American Indian Movement (AIM) Doc, Miscellaneous, Correspondence circa 1981-1982

Carton 7, Folder 2

Isolation and Alternatives for the Miskito People 1981-1982

Carton 7, Folder 3

Indigenous Rights - Assorted 1981-2002

Carton 7, Folder 4

December 1983 Trip and Contrás at CHR 1983-1984

Carton 7, Folder 5

Brooklyn Rivera - My Report to Borge/North American Indian Resolution 1984-2004

Carton 7, Folder 6

Chronology of US-Nicaragua [Relations] to 1983 circa 1983-1984

Carton 7, Folder 7

Berman/Lindner/Cocaine/Contrás OK (Articles) 1996

Carton 7, Folder 8

Jose Barreiro Article 1984

Carton 7, Folder 9

Rudy Reyser Remarks 1987

Carton 7,

Glenn Morris Articles circa 1988

Folder 10

Carton 7,

Armstrong Wiggins Testimony, Organization of American States (OAS) 1984

Folder 11

Carton 7,

Q&A - Report on Miskitus (Indigenous World) undated

Folder 12

Carton 7,

Sent to Frank Newman (Correspondence) 1981

Folder 13

Carton 7,

RDO - English Version of Book on Miskitus ["Self-Determination and Indigenous Autonomy in Nicaragua"] circa 1985, 2003

Folder 14

Carton 7,

Institute for Economic and Social Research (INIES) Book [on Miskitus] [Project Autonomy for the Atlantic Coast of Nicaragua] 1985

Folder 15

Carton 7,

News Articles on Miskitus - Early Times 1982-1983

Folder 16

Carton 7,

Miskitos - Joe Ryan 1977-1989

Folder 17

Carton 7,

National Indian Youth Council (NIYC) 1985-1987

Folder 18-19

Carton 7,

Rivera - Working Group-Geneva 1987

Folder 20

Carton 7,

Refugee Studies, etc. 1987

Folder 21

Carton 7,

Nietschmann, Bernard Q., includes Letter, East Bay Express, "Managua Rose" 1983-1984

Folder 22-24

Carton 7,

DeVoss, David, includes "Time" Article 1984-1987

Folder 26

Carton 7,

My Response to Hector Diaz-Polanco re: Miskitus circa 1985

Folder 27

Carton 7,

Jimmy Durham 1980

Folder 28

Carton 7,

Reports by Gonzales, Navajo Times 1984

Folder 29

Carton 7,

Indian Law Resource Center (ILRC), Wiggins, Brooklyn, Russell 1981-1982

Folder 30

Carton 7, Folder 31	ILIFF Trip (Iliff School of Theology) 1984
Carton 7, Folder 32	1983 CIA Torture Manual, North, Contras 1983-2000
Carton 7, Folder 33-35	Autonomy/Autonomy Conference/Comisión Nacional de Autonomia..., Hans Peter Buvollen/Robin Schneider circa 1985-1988
Carton 7, Folder 36	Karen Parker Report on Miskitus 1983
Carton 7, Folder 37	United Nations High Commission on Refugees (UNHCR) on Miskitus 1985-1986
Carton 7, Folder 38	Herzog Letter, Script 1984-1985
Carton 7, Folder 39	National Lawyers' Guild/Miskitus 1983-1984
Carton 7, Folder 40	Attacks on Me 1983-1989
Carton 7, Folder 41	[Petosky Mess], with Gilbert Ortiz Correspondence 1984-1985
Carton 7, Folder 42	Francia Serpi 1983-1984
Carton 7, Folder 43	Maya, Dagmar, 7th Generation, Akwesasne 1985
Carton 7, Folder 44	Spanish [language] - Yatama, et al. circa 1988-1989
Carton 7, Folder 45	1984 Correspondence - Kinzu, Hector, Gilberto, OAS 1984
Carton 7, Folder 46	Canadian Action for Nicaragua 1985
Carton 7, Folder 47	Humanitarian Aid to Nicaragua 1985
Carton 7, Folder 48	Late 80s - Miskito Opposition/Ted Kennedy Support 1989
Carton 7, Folder 49	Dutch Article 1987
Carton 7, Folder 50	Oxfam Report on Miskitus 1986
Carton 7, Folder 51-53	Honduras - First Trip, November 1984, Miskito Research, Anaya/CIA 1984-1987
Carton 7, Folder 54	Articles on [Nice, Klein], etc., includes Dunbar-Ortiz Writings 1984-1986
Carton 7, Folder 55	Moravian's Packet, [Supporting Anti-Sandinistas] 1979-1985
Carton 7, Folder 56-57	Indigenous World and Newspaper Clippings, includes Articles on the Miskitu Natives of Nicaragua 1984-1996
Carton 7, Folder 58	Treaty Council News (TCN)-Inter-Treaty Council (IITC)/Minorías étnicas denuncian genocido 1977-1984
Carton 7, Folder 59	Marxism and Indians/Comapnero [in] Spanish and English circa 1981-1989
Carton 7, Folder 60	Negroponte/Reich, G.W. Bush, Felix Rodriguez 1985-2001
Carton 7, Folder 61	Post-Sandinista Reports 1991
Carton 8, Folder 1-3	Thanksgiving - Peace Ship/Peace House 1985-1987
Carton 8, Folder 4	Ward Churchill Statement of Support 1986
Carton 8, Folder 5	Penny Lernoux 1984-1986
Carton 8, Folder 6	World Court - Nicaragua v. USA 1985-1987, 2004
Carton 8, Folder 7	Co-Evolution Quarterly, Articles and Correspondence 1984

Carton 8, Folder 8	Centro de Investigaciones y Documentación de la Costa Atlántica (CIDCA) Document, Trabil Nani 1982, 1984
Carton 8, Folder 9	Rights for the Miskito Natives in a Post-Sandinista Government 1985-1987
Carton 8, Folder 10-11	World Council of Indigenous Peoples (WCIP) Reports on Nicaragua and Other Documents 1985-1988
Carton 8, Folder 12-15	Indigenous World Association (IWA) 1983-1990 Scope and Content Note Dunbar-Ortiz was co-director of the IWA. These files contain materials regarding the Indigenous Peoples in International Law Project; issues of "Indigenous World"/"El Mundo Indigena"; and materials on Miskitu autonomy, the United Nations Working Group on Indigenous Populations, and Benjamin Lindner.
Carton 8, Folder 16-18	United Nations - Human Rights - Discrimination - Working Group on Indigenous Populations 1985-1988
Carton 8, Folder 19	Working Group on Indigenous Population - Geneva 1985-1987
Carton 8, Folder 20	Project Navajo Self-Determination Proposal May 1983
Carton 8, Folder 21-22	United Nations Committee on Human Rights (UNCHR), including Miskito Refugees 1981-1987
Carton 3, Folder 25	United Nations High Commission on Refugees (UNHCR) - Guatemala - (International Conference on Central American Refugees (CIREFCA) 1989
Carton 8, Folder 23	Consejo Indio de Sud America/Indian Council of South America (CISA) 1984-1986
Carton 8, Folder 24	Project for Funding - Sandinistas 1985
Carton 8, Folder 25	Natural Resource [illegible] Mosquitia 1985
Carton 8, Folder 26-27	"Envío" 1981-1986
Carton 8, Folder 28	Amnesty and Rights for Moskito Natives 1988
Carton 8, Folder 29-30	Hans Petter Buvollen circa 1985-1992
Carton 8, Folder 31	Recovery and Aid in Nicaragua circa 1987-1993
Carton 8, Folder 32	Reconstruction of Miskito Communities 1983-1988
Carton 8, Folder 33	Miscellaneous Articles - Miskitus circa 1983-1987
Carton 8, Folder 34	Sandinista Propaganda 1983-1988
Carton 8, Folder 35	Left Press circa 1984-1990
Carton 8, Folder 36	Version Taquigrafica de la Mesa Redonda sobre la Exmibal 1969
Carton 8, Folder 37-38	Publications 1970-1990 Scope and Content Note Includes the Bulletin of the Nicaragua Center for Community Action (NICCA), Avances, Sunrise, Principles and Policies..., Tierras Lateríticas, Black Scholar, Indian War and Peace with Nicaragua, Wiñay Marka, and Indians in the Crossfire.
Carton 8, Folder 39	Los Carlitos - Spanish Textbook undated
Carton 8, Folder 40	Congressional Testimony - War between Honduras and Nicaragua Winter 1983

Carton 8, Folder 41	Conference Pamphlets - Indigenous Populations in the Americas 1974-1987
Carton 8, Folder 42	Maps of Honduras/Nicaragua 1980, undated
Carton 8, Folder 43-48	Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) Request and United States State Department Documents 1981-1986
Carton 9, Folder 1	The Miskito Natives as a Proxy for U.S. Interests (Clippings, Correspondence, David DeVoss) 1984
Carton 9, Folder 2	Miskito Natives Fleeing to Honduras - Newspaper Articles 1985-1986
Carton 9, Folder 3-4	External Resources on the [State] of the Miskito Natives circa 1983-2005
Carton 9, Folder 5	United Nations (U.N.) Seminar - Indigenous Populations Protection December 1981
Carton 9, Folder 6	Miskitu in Nicaragua - an Information Packet 1984
Carton 9, Folder 7	Indigenous Peoples Issues and Resources - Miskitus Declare Independent Nation of Moskitia in Nicaragua 2009
box 1 , Folder 1-5	Newsclippings 1980-1983
box 1, Folder 6-10	Position Papers and Statements by Others 1979-1983, undated
	Scope and Content Note
	Includes primary and secondary source materials. There are documents from the MISURASTA, the Sandinistas, and the Moravian and Episcopal churches, including interviews, reports, articles, proposals, communiques and press releases, projects, conference papers, testimony, and speeches. Most materials are about Nicaragua but some are about Honduras.
box 2 , Folder 1	Primary Source Documents/Writings and Statements by Others 1981-1983
box 2, Folder 2	Comisión Interamericana de Derechos Humanos November 1983
box 2 , Folder 3	Fuerza Democratica Nicaragüense (FDN) circa 1983
box 2 , Folder 4	Indian Law Resource Center circa 1983
box 2 , Folder 5	Fact-Finding Mission to Honduras/Women's Commission to Central America 1983-1984
box 2 , Folder 6	Press Releases, Communiques, Secondary Sources 1984-1985
box 2, Folder 7	Calendario Miskito 1985
box 2 , Folder 8	El Movimiento Indigena en la Costa Atlantica de la Nicaragua en la Decade del 70 y Su Contexto July 1985
box 2 , Folder 9	Ninth Inter-American Indian Conference October-November 1985
box 2, Folder 10	Primary Source Documents 1986-1988, undated
oversize_box 1 , Folder 1	Newspaper Clippings 1985-1988
oversize_box 1, Folder 2	"Barricada Internacional," International Weekly of the Sandinista Liberation Front 1982-1990
oversize_box 1 , Folder 3	"El Nuevo Diario" 1982-1985
oversize_box 1, Folder 4	"Akwasasne News," "Americans Before Columbus," and "The Wree-View of Women for Racial and Economic Equality" circa 1983-1989
oversize_box 1 , Folder 5	"Indigenous World" 1982-1984

Series 4. **Subject Files 1969-2014**

Physical Description: Carton 3, folder 26; Carton 9, folders 8-45; Box 3

Arrangement

Arranged alphabetically by subject.

Scope and Content Note

Includes professional activities and teaching materials.

Carton 9, Folder 8
Carton 9, Folder 9

American Indian Movement Summit/The Edgewood Declaration 1993-1994
American Indian Movement (AIM) v. Vernon and Clyde Bellecourt (Vernon and Clyde Bellecourt Case Brief) circa 1994

Carton 9, Folder 10	Anarchists 1998-1999
Carton 9, Folder 11	Articles to Read circa 1984-2008
Carton 9, Folder 12	Conferences - Native American and Indigenous Studies Association Meeting/International Indian Treaty Council 2014
Carton 9, Folder 13	Ethnic Studies 3800 - The Peoples of Central America, California State University, Hayward 1990-2005
Carton 9, Folder 14	Gulf War 1998
box 3, Folder 1-3	Gutiérrez, Ramón, "When Jesus Came, the Corn Mothers Went Away" 1984-1993 Conditions Governing Access Includes restricted readers' reports and drafts and is closed to researchers until 2054
Carton 9, Folder 15-16	Imperialism (U.S.) circa 2004-2006
Carton 9, Folder 17	International Workers of the World (IWW)/Wobblies 1997-1998
Carton 9, Folder 18	Charles H. Kerr Publishers/Rosemont/Race Traitor 1997-1998
Carton 9, Folder 19	Mad Bear undated
Carton 9, Folder 20	Menchu, Rigoberta/[illegible] Report 1998-1999
Carton 9, Folder 21	Missionaries 1987
Carton 9, Folder 22	Movement Generation/Prisoners 2005-2009
Carton 9, Folder 23	Ms./Alpert 1991-1992
Carton 9, Folder 24	Murray, James 1998
Carton 9, Folder 25	Occupy Oakland 2011-2012
Carton 9, Folder 26-30	Oklahoma, includes Photographs 1997-1999
Carton 9, Folder 31	Oklahoma - Socialists/Charles H. Kerr circa 2008
Carton 9, Folder 32	Radical Women, Music, White Privilege, San Francisco History 1999, undated
Carton 9, Folder 33	SDS/Helen Garvey/BDRG/Mike Foley 1993, undated
Carton 9, Folder 34-35	Solanas, Valerie/"Up Your Ass" 1993-2000
Carton 9, Folder 36	United States History/History of Indigenous Peoples 2010-2012
Carton 3, Folder 26	Upside Down Culture Collective circa 2003
Carton 9, Folder 37	Veteran Feminists of America (VFA), Jacqui Cebellos 1997
Carton 9, Folder 38	White Supremacy New Wave Movie, Don Kalish, Indonesia Coup, James Agee - Miscellaneous Info 2000
Carton 9, Folder 39-40	Women's Liberation and Women's Rights - Clippings and Articles circa 1969-1993
Carton 9, Folder 41-45	Writings by Others 1998-2016

Series 5. **Personalia and Biographical Information 1976-2018**

Physical Description: Carton 9, folders 46-47; Box 4, folders 1-7; Oversize Box 1, folder 6

Arrangement

Arranged chronologically.

Carton 9,
Folder 46-47
box 4, Folder 1
oversize_box 1,
Folder 6
box 4, Folder 2-3
box 4, Folder 4
box 4, Folder 5
box 4, Folder 6
box 4, Folder 7

Career Documents circa 1976-1995

Biographical Information circa 1981-1984

**International Institute of Human Rights/International Training Centre for University
Human Rights Teaching - Certificates, Diploma 1983**

Billy Budd - Student Paper/MFA, Mills College 1992-1994

Central High School 1992-1994

True Oklahoma 2011

Miscellaneous Personalia 2013, undated

Heyday History Award 2018

Series 6. **Audiovisual Materials 1982-2015, undated**

Physical Characteristics and Technical Requirements

Access to audio-visual materials may be restricted due to technical limitations.

Scope and Content Note

Analog audiovisual material consists of 7 microcassettes and 4 compact cassettes (audiotapes). Six of the microcassettes appear to be interviews for Dunbar-Ortiz's 1998 San Diego Reader article, "Finding Family: Smoking Out Okies in San Diego County." Names on the tapes include Doug, Paula, [Jim French], Christian, Darryl, and Jim Heck. One tape has no label. The audiotapes are labeled Miskitu; Beethoven/[Niea Wasson] home audio/film; CUNY; and Hazel Lou.

Digital audiovisual material consists of 13 DVDs and seven CDs. The DVDs are labeled as follows: Cointelpro 101, final cut (2005); Roxanne Dunbar-Ortiz Book Shop Talk (2006); Near & Far with Richard Kemp: Author Roxanne Dunbar-Ortiz (2006); Roxanne's Hometown Tour (2007); Roxanne & Fred's Red Dirt Tour (2007); Remembering Wilma Elizabeth McDaniel: Poet & Oklahoma Dust Bowl Emigrant (2007); Left Forum Videos (2010); She's Beautiful When She's Angry, Festival Cut (2013); KPFA Lecture (2014); An Interview with Roxanne Dunbar-Ortiz, Spotlight on Oklahoma Oral History Project (2015); Outlaw Woman (undated); Roxanne Dunbar-Ortiz, Blood on the Border: A Memoir of the Contra War (undated); and Young Patriots (undated).

CDs are labeled as follows: Judi Part 2, Ward and Roxanne (1988); Write on 4 Corners (2008); Interview with Dr. Roxanne Dunbar-Ortiz (2010); KPFA presents Roxanne Dunbar Ortiz, An Indigenous People's History of the U.S. (2014); Roxanne interview at KPOO (2014); and Dunbar-Ortiz and Ward on Nicaragua (undated). One CD is not labeled.

Separated Materials

Digital audiovisual materials transferred to the Digital Collections Unit of The Bancroft Library.

box 4, Folder 8-9

Audiotapes and Microcassettes 1982-1983, 1998, undated