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Background
The 25th Anniversary Celebration was organized to observe the 25th anniversary of the 1960 California State Legislature's authorization for the establishment of a college in the South Bay area of Los Angeles County. This campus was later named the California State University Dominguez Hills. The Anniversary was celebrated during the academic year of 1985/86 with a number of continuing events including lecture series, concerts, school showcase weeks. The year was climaxed in April 1986 with the Silver Salute Dinner.

A Steering Committee was established in January 1984 to coordinate the development and implementation of a program of events for the celebration. The 1984 members included the following people:

prominently mentioned in these papers
Dr. Hansonia Caldwell, Chair of the Committee
Dr. Margaret Blue, alumna
John Briner, staff
Dr. Richard Butwell, CSUDH President, honorary
Dr. Donald Gerth, honorary
Dr. Judson Grenier, faculty
Vera Bilbrew, alumna
Dr. Leo Cain, honorary
Dr. Lois Chi, emeritus
Honorable Ralph Dills, Legislator
Dr. Peter Ellis, faculty
Dr. Lyle E. Gibson, honorary
Dr. Marvin Laser, emeritus
Dr. Donald MacPhee, Administration
Blair McDonald, student
Gilbert Smith, Univ. Advisory Board

After September 1985, additional committee members included:

prominently mentioned
Robert Beverly, State Senator
Katy Geissert, Univ. Advisory Board
Dr. Harold Charnofsky, faculty
Ellen Gerry, Univ. Academic Senate
John Hollaway, student
Dr. David Karber, Administration
Dennis McCarbery, alumnus
Dr. Milo Milfs, emeritus
Lisa Stevens, student
Dr. Kosaku Yoshida, faculty

A Task Force was created by the Committee in October 1984 to coordinate the planning of the anniversary celebration. The original members included:

prominently mentioned
Dr. Hansonia Caldwell, Chair of Task Force
Dr. Sharon Bassett, Administrative Fellow
Dr. Joe Braun, Ascc. Dean of Extended Education
Margaret Coda-Messerle, Administration
Larry Gray, Student Development
Arnold Haskin, faculty
Nancy Lichina, Alumni Affairs/University Relations
Fran Pullera, University Relations
Sue Carberry, faculty
Dr. James Cooper, faculty
Raul Aceves, University Relations

Later additions to the Task Force included:

Margaret Blue
Victoria Hwang
Larry McClelland
R. Bruce Parham, University Archivist
Cindy Q. Young, Director of Development
Names also prominently mentioned in these papers are:
- Louis D. Armand, President, Associated Students
- Dr. Joan Fenton, Dean, Social and Behavioral Sciences
- Kenneth W. Finley, Asst, V.P. University Relations
- Pamela Hammand, Director of Public Affairs and Publications
- Robert Jones, University Relations
- Douglas W. Spangler, Asst. V.P., University Relations.

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Scope and Content
These files consist mainly of correspondence, memorandum, lists, calendars, flyer and circulars, invitations, minutes and agendas, budgets, programs, and scripts relating to the planning and implementation of the 25th Anniversary of the California State University Dominguez Hills. Topics covered include research and planning, lectures and conferences, arts events, concerts, memorabilia, campus history, and the Silver Salute dinner.

These papers originated from the files of Dr. Hansonia Caldwell, chair of the 25th Anniversary Steering Committee and the Anniversary Task Force. Additional papers were added from the files of R. Bruce Parham, University Archivist at C.S.U. Dominguez Hills to 1985.

These papers were originally received in an unorganized state within several unlabeled folders, a notebook, and several unfilled pieces. They have been organized according to major themes: Commission and Task Force, calendar of events, events, and the Silver Salute dinner. Items discarded from the collection include samples of anniversary invitations, programs, and handouts from other campuses; draft budgets and calendar of events; personal notes of meetings; and campus and systemwide newsletter and newspapers.

Papers within these folders are arranged chronologically.

Additional anniversary information can be located within 1985/86 editions of the Dominguez Weekly, Dominguez Hills Magazine, CSU Stateline, and This Month At Dominguez Hills.

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1 budget request, Univ. Art Gallery (n.d.)
1 budget, Intellectual Life Comm. (n.d.)
1 proposed budget, with funding sources (n.d.)
2 budgets, draft (n.d.)

Folder 7
Public Relations, corresp., 1984-1985,
Physical Description: 18 items.

11 corresp., sponsors
1 corresp., guest speakers, not accepted, 12 Dec. 1984
1 proposal, Effective School Conference, 5 Dec. 1984
3 corresp., general
1 memorandum, on public relations, 2 Aug. 1985
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Folder 8
The Community Awards criteria and biographical sketch, n.d.

1 criteria
1 biographical sketch, Dr. Claudia Hampton

Folder 9
Calendar, poster of school year 1985/86,
Physical Description: 2 items.

2 calendar of events posters

Folder 10
Calendar of Events, 1985/86,
Physical Description: 5 items.

2 calendar, genl. events, working copies, 1985/86
2 lists of events by date, with time and location
1 list of events, music dept.

Folder 11
Calendar, memorandum on events, 1985,
Physical Description: 9 items.

9 memorandum (calendar of events and schedules also contained in memo of 8/28/85)

Folder 12
Events, corresp. and newsletters, 1984 and 1985-1986,
Physical Description: 9 items.

6 corresp.
2 newsletters
1 memorandum, 1984?

Folder 13
Events, circulars and flyers, 1985-1986,
Physical Description: 29 items.

27 circulars and flyers
1 invitation, violin recital, 4 Nov. 1985
1 program, concert, 5 Mar. 1986

Folder 14
Lectures, correspondence and handouts, 1985-1986,
Physical Description: 14 items.

2 corresp.
1 contract (copy), Patricia A. Russell
1 memorandum on Bob E. Leach
1 newspaper articles on Alex Haley
3 invitations
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|          | 1 list of events, by date, with time and location |
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|          | 10 memorandum |
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|          | 1 News Release, Dr. Grant Venerable, 28 Oct. 1985 |
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|          | 1 program, American Society of University Composers |
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|          | Physical Description: 3 items. |
|          | 1 memorandum |
|          | 1 news release, draft |
|          | 1 program |
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|          | Physical Description: 2 items. |
|          | 1 handout |
|          | 1 announcement, draft |
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|          | Physical Description: 1 item. |
|          | 1 announcement |
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|          | Physical Description: 5 items. |
|          | 1 calendar, Feb. 1986 |
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| Folder 23 | Charter Day, memorandum and correspondence, 1985-1986, |
|          | Physical Description: 12 items. |
|          | 9 memorandum |
|          | 1 corresp. |
|          | 1 invitation |
|          | 1 speech (copy) by Allan W. Ostar, 29 Apr 1986 |
Folder 24

**Women and Scholarship Conference, announcements, May 1986,**
Physical Description: 2 items.

1 mailer
1 announcement

Folder 25

**Library Program, memorandum, 1985 and 1986,**
Physical Description: 6 items.

4 memorandum
1 flyer, Lounge Lizards
1 invitation

Folder 26

**Alumni Activities, 1985 and 1986,**
Physical Description: 5 items.

3 memorandum
1 list of panelists, 19 Nov. 1985
1 remarks, copy, on annv. planning

Folder 27

**25th Annv. Proclamations, 1986,**
Physical Description: 9 items.

1 congradulatory letter, Silver Salute (original), 19 Apr. 1986
6 copies of letters and proclamations
1 corresp. on proclamation format
1 desk memo, congradulations

Scope and Content Note
(At the time of this typing, the original proclamations and other related items can be
found in the President's and Vice Presidents's offices on the fifth floor of the ERC
Building.)

Folder 28

**Campus History and Traditions, memorandum, 1984, 1985, and 1986,**
Physical Description: 8 items.

8 memorandum (1/16/85 contains a list of campus traditions)

Folder 29

**25th Annv. Logos and Memorbilia, memorandum and correspondence, 1983-1985,**
Physical Description: 11 items.

1 logo, n.d.
4 corresp.
6 memorandum

Folder 30

**25th Annv. Dinner Planning Comm., agendas and minutes, 1986,**
Physical Description: 8 items.

6 minutes and agendas
1 report, Annv. Dinner Program Comm.
1 report, final results, 3 June 1986

Folder 31

**Dinner Planning Comm., memorandum, 1986,**
Physical Description: 15 items.

14 memorandums
1 list of comm. members, draft

Folder 32

**Dinner Planning Comm., corresp., 1984, 1985, and 1986,**
Physical Description: 27 items.

1 list of CSUDH events, Milestones
15 corresp.
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Carson Community Center, corresp., 1985,
Physical Description: 6 items.

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Silver Salute Program. 19 Apr. 1986.
Physical Description: 2 items.

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Physical Description: 3 items.

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Silver Salute, dinner script,
Physical Description: 2 items.

Folder 37
Silver Salute, speakers remarks,
Physical Description: 3 items.

Folder 38
Silver Salute, thank you correspondence, 1986,
Physical Description: 18 items.

Folder 39
Silver Salute, newspaper articles, 1986,
Physical Description: 1 item.

Folder 40
Newspaper Articles, 1985-1986,
Physical Description: 13 items.

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