
Guide to the Jean Walton Papers

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Descriptive Summary

Title: Jean Walton Papers

creator: Walton, Jean, 1914-2006

Dates: 1962-1999

Abstract: The Jean Walton Papers consists of articles, correspondence, and periodicals used to inform the establishment of the Women's Studies program at The Claremont Colleges and chronicles the history of Intercollegiate Women's Studies of The Claremont Colleges.

Extent: 4.6 linear feet (9 boxes)

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Collection Number: h2009.10

Languages: Languages represented in the collection: English

Physical Location: Special Collections, Honnold/Mudd Library. Claremont University Consortium.

Restrictions on Access

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Acquisition Information

The Jean Walton Papers were donated by the Intercollegiate Women's Studies of The Claremont Colleges in March 2009.

Processing Information

Arranged and Processed by Tanya M. Kato, 2009. The books in the collection were separated and cataloged in the online catalog. The newspaper clippings were photocopied and deaccessioned. Duplicate items were also deaccessioned.

Accruals

No additions to the collection is anticipated.

Biographical Note

A native of George School, Pennsylvania, Dr. Jean B. Walton graduated with a BA degree from Swarthmore College in 1935 with Highest Honors. She earned a MA degree from Brown University and a PhD from the University of Pennsylvania. She taught mathematics at the University of Pennsylvania after serving as the acting Dean of Women at Swarthmore College. Dr. Walton arrived in Claremont, California in September 1949 to serve as Dean of Women at Pomona College (1949-1969). She also served as Dean of Students (1969-1976) and Vice President for Student Affairs (1976-1979). With Professor Harry Carroll, she was instrumental in founding Pomona's Education Abroad Program, which she administered for many years. A Fulbright Lectureship in Counseling and Guidance in Tokyo, 1955-1956, and a consultancy with the Danforth Foundation seven years later, enabled Dr. Walton to further her interest in the education of women. In 1972, as a result of her suggestions, Pomona College President David Alexander established a Commission on the Education of Women to make recommendations about equal employment opportunities for women on the Pomona College faculty and to develop curriculum responsive to the needs of women students. In 1975, for her contribution to the success of a new interdisciplinary course dealing with changing sex roles in contemporary society, Dr. Walton received the Wig Award for Distinguished Teaching. Dr. Walton has held high elected office with the California Association of Women Administrators and Counselors and the National Association of Women Deans, Administrators, and Counselors. In 1974, she received the prestigious Scott Goodnight Award from the National Association for Student Personnel Administrators for her outstanding performance as dean. At the time of her retirement, some of her former students established the Jean B. Walton Scholarship Fund in her honor, and in 1981, a new residential lounge on the Pomona College campus was named Walton Commons, in recognition of her many years of distinguished service. A cofounder of the Intercollegiate Women's Studies program, Dr. Walton acted as its first coordinator and played a major role in the program for many years.

Scope and Contents of the Collection

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Series Arrangement

Series 1 Research Files, 1962 - 1998

Series 2 Periodicals, 1972 - 1999

Subject Headings

The following terms have been used to index the description of this collection

Walton, Jean, 1914-2006

Claremont Colleges

Women in education

Women scholars

Women school administrators

Women's studies

Women's studies--Periodicals

Series 1: **Research Files, 1962 - 1998**

box 1, folder 1	Women's Studies Speeches, 1972 - 1984
box 1, folder 2	Women's Studies Speeches, 1982 - 1983 and Undated
box 1, folder 3	Speeches, 1971 - 1983
box 1, folder 4	Women's Studies of The Claremont Colleges -- Correspondence, 1977 - 1997
box 1, folder 5	Women's Studies of The Claremont Colleges -- Correspondence and printed material, 1972 - 1998 and Undated
box 1, folder 6	Women's Studies of The Claremont Colleges -- Events, 1983 - 1995 and Undated
box 2, folder 1	Correspondence, 1981
box 2, folder 2	Correspondence, 1984
box 2, folder 3	Correspondence, 1984
box 2, folder 4	Women's Studies - Pomona, 1964 - 1979 and Undated
box 2, folder 5	Radcliffe College, 1980 - 1984
box 2, folder 6	Simon's Rock Early College, 1978 - 1982
box 2, folder 7	Wellesley College Center for Research on Women -- Annual Reports, 1983 - 1985
box 3, folder 1	Abigail Stewart, 1974 - 1980
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box 3, folder 3	Blythe Clinchy and Claire Zimmerman, 1975 - 1982
box 3, folder 4	Carol Gilligan, 1977 - 1984
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box 3, folder 6	Jacob Orlosfsky, 1977 - 1978 and Undated
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box 4, folder 4	Pace-CUES and Quality of Effort, 1962 - 1979 and Undated
box 4, folder 5	Sex Role Stereotypes and Self Concepts, Vogel et al., 1968 - 1970 and Undated
box 4, folder 6	Printed Material, 1972 - 1981 and Undated
box 5, folder 1	Project on the Status and Education of Women Sex Discrimination, 1971 - 1985 and Undated
box 5, folder 2	Project on the Status and Education of Women -- Printed Material, 1972 - 1977
box 5, folder 3	Project on the Status and Education of Women -- Guides and Resources, 1974 - 1991
box 5, folder 4	Project on the Status and Education of Women -- Field Evaluation Drafts, 1980
box 5, folder 5	Project on the Status and Education of Women -- The Campus Climate and The Classroom Climate, 1982 - 1986

Series 2: **Periodicals, 1972 - 1999**

box 6, folder 1	<i>About Women on Campus, Vol. 1, No. 1, Winter 1991 - Vol. 4, No. 4, Fall 1995</i>
box 6, folder 2	<i>About Women on Campus, Vol. 5, No. 1, Winter 1996 - Vol. 8, No. 2, Spring 1999</i>
box 6, folder 3	<i>NAWE News, Vol. 19, No. 4, June 1990 - Vol. 24, No. 4, June 1995</i>
box 6, folder 4	<i>NAWE News, Vol. 25, No. 1, September 1995 - Vol. 28, No. 1, Spring 1999</i>
box 7, folder 1	<i>National Women's Studies Association Newsletter, Vol. 1, No. 1, Winter 1982 - Vol. 2, No. 4, Fall 1984</i>
box 7, folder 2	<i>National Women's Studies Association Newsletter, Vol. 3, No. 1, Winter 1984 - Vol. 3, No. 3, Summer 1985</i>
box 7, folder 3	<i>National Women's Studies Association Newsletter, Vol. 4, No. 2, Spring 1986 - Vol. 5, No. 4, Fall 1987</i>
box 7, folder 4	<i>NWSAction, Vol. 1, No. 1, Spring 1988 - Vol. 3, No. 4, Winter 1990</i>
box 7, folder 5	<i>NWSAction, Vol. 4, No. 1, Spring 1991 - Vol. 6, No. 2, Spring 1995</i>
box 7, folder 6	<i>NWSAction, Vol. 7, No. 1, Fall 1995 - Vol. 9, No. 2, Summer 1998</i>
box 8, folder 1	<i>On Campus With Women, No. 5, November 1972 - No. 29, Winter 1981</i>
box 8, folder 2	<i>On Campus With Women, No. 30, Spring 1981 - Vol. 16, No. 4, Spring 1987</i>
box 8, folder 3	<i>On Campus With Women, Vol. 17, No. 1, Summer 1987 - Vol. 21, No. 3, Winter 1992</i>
box 9	<i>National NOW Times, Vol. XXII, No. 3, July/August/September 1989 - Vol. XXV, No. 3, April 1993; Radcliffe News, January 1984 - Summer 1990; The Wingspread Journal, Winter 1981/1982</i>