Guide to the James T. Watkins Papers SC0209

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Biographical/Historical Sketch
Watkins received his A.B. (1929), A.M. (1934) and PhD. (1941) from Stanford; Professor of Political Science at Stanford (1946-1973; emeritus, 1973-1982).
Description of the Collection
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Subjects and Indexing Terms
Athletics
Stanford University -- Student housing.
Watkins, James T. (James Thomas)
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Stanford University. Department of Political Science

Papers 1939-1979
Separated Materials note
Materials from Boxes A (Miscellaneous material, 1921-1972), B (Football programs, 1961-1978), and C (Stanford Sports, circa 1961) were put in the 4-digit section.

box 1  Letters of recommendation for students and others, A-K 1951-1971
box 2  Letters of recommendation for students and others, L-Z 1951-1971
box 3  Activities Inaugurated 1946-1968
Scope and Contents note
Institute of World Affairs; Institute of International Relations; Speeches given; U.N. Secretary Summer Intern Program; World Affairs Council, Japanese Peace Settlement; Commonwealth Club, Japanese Peace Settlement; Northern California Political Science Association; American Studies Seminar.

box 4  Activities Inaugurated 1915?-1969
Scope and Contents note
PS 400 Incident; Goheen Committee; Watkins Department Chairmanship; Religion at Stanford; In Pont summer conference; Woodrow Wilson Fellowship Committee (State); Political Science Building (20), plans; Stanford Today, Tomorrow; Liquor on Campus; Sobley Affair

box 5  Activities Inaugurated 1959-1965
Scope and Contents note
Danforth fellowship; Mark X (Mark X plus P); Stanford Alumni Conferences; Committee on Financial Awards (external); Chaparral incident; Black Reports on Stanford Grading; PACE; ASSU Constitutional Revision; Student Affairs Committee; Bunzel incident; Rothburn group; (PA) Mayor’s Charter Review Committee.

box 6  Activities Inaugurated 1966-1973
Scope and Contents note
Watkins Political (?); Fulbright committee (State); ROTC; Political science department, 50th anniversary celebration; Oscar Nelson lighting recommendation; Lyman inaugural dinner; Political science department, Watkins retirement dinner; Conservative persuasion.

box 7  Personal folders, A-M Undated
box 8  Personal folders, N-Z Undated
box 9  Miscellaneous course materials 1946-1953
Scope and Contents note
Miscellaneous studies in constitutional development of the UN, eight volumes

box 10  Work with fraternities 1939-1978
Scope and Contents note
Phi Delta Theta; Fraternities; IFC; Rush; Sigma Nu; Miscellaneous houses.

box 11  Personal correspondence, A-F Undated
box 12  Personal correspondence, G-O Undated
box 13  Personal correspondence, P-Z Undated
box 14  Publications 1940
box 15  Course material 1968 and undated
Scope and Contents note
Political science 500, Teaching; Political science 232, International relations theory; Political science 124, Government of Japan; Political science 135-145, International relations; Political science 132, Principles/problems in US foreign policy; Political science 147/137, UN and antecedents; Class seating charts to 1968; Class interview sign up sheets and interview notes

box 16  Public notices Undated
Scope and Contents note
Comments and compliments received and given; albums
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