Guide to the Kennell A. Jackson Papers

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Access Terms
African Americans --History --Study and teaching (Higher).
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Accession ARCH-2005-360 Papers
Box 1
Unframed pastel portrait of K. Jackson (signed but illegible)
Box 2
Framed note on napkin written at University Fellows meeting 1985 May 7
Box 2
Framed photo of swimmers (Branner students?), inscribed and signed by same on reverse
Box MC
Framed poster for undergraduate scholars program (circa 1988), clipping of Kennall Jackson's letter to campus report, and holograph note on launching of the program Circa 1988, undated
Box MC
Set of 4 photos of Branner students (male) and one postcard in one frame; postcard text is "Beware of These Boys"
Accession-ARCH-2006-017 Professional papers
Box 1
Source material, notes, correspondence, photographs, mostly African research 1968-1975
Box 2
Course outlines, typescript of Jackson's book on Africa, notebook on African research, correspondence files, source materials, and photograph of Lindblom. 1970s
Box 2
Files related to Jackson's book "America is Me" and two audio tapes from KQED 1996
Hair

Box 3  
  Course files (syllabi, lectures, exams, etc.) 1990s
  Miscellaneous sources on Africa and other topics
  Correspondence
  Computer disks
  Students' papers

Box 4  
  Research notebooks 1968 and undated 1968, undated
  Book of origins No. 1 1968, undated
  Book of origins No. 2 1968, undated
  Book of origins No. 3 1968, undated
  Origins and Migration: the Kitui Evidence 1968, undated
  Customs: Kitui 1968, undated
  Customs: Njania (?), circumcision, etc. 1968, undated
  Famines 1968, undated
  Famines [the 11th book] 1968, undated
  Questions on famines 1968, undated
  Essay on famines 1968, undated
  Notes on trade 1968, undated
  Trade book 2 1968, undated

Box 5  
  Research notebooks 1968 and undated: 1968, undated
  Kilungu Utui research 1968, undated
  Utui research in Kitui 1968, undated
  Mbau book - Nwang'a 1968, undated
  Genealogical narratives and names 1968, undated
  Names vol. II 1968, undated
  Athiani and Athani Kitui 1968, undated
  Archives: first reading 1968, undated
  Preview book 1 1968, undated
  Second preview book 1968, undated
  Untitled: notes on birds and other topics 1968, undated
  Untitled (missing back cover): notes on names? 1968, undated
  Untitled: notes on proverbs and riddles 1968, undated

Box 6  
  Research notebooks 1968 and undated: 1968, undated
  Vol. 1 1968, undated
  3rd volume 1968, undated
  Vol. 4 1968, undated
  Vol. 5 1968, undated
  Vol. 6 1968, undated
  Vol. 9 1968, undated
  9 unlabeled volumes from African research 1968, undated

Box 7  
  Information from interviews with Africans 1968

Hair

Box 8-14  
  Publications, clippings, etc. on African American hair

Oversize roll: several African maps, some are copies from the British Museum [in map case storage]

Box 1os  
  Framed original artwork, unsigned

Accession-ARCH-2006-127 Additional papers

Box 2  
  Syllabi, lecture notes, and other class files
  Western Culture Debate paper and other CIV files
  Hambone (published by Cmte for Black Performing Arts) Vol. 1 Spring 1974 1974

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**Box 1, Folder 1**

- Student papers/newspaper clippings/miscellaneous Undated
- Student binder Undated
- History 46S Coursereader Winter quarter 2004
- Senior Honors Thesis: "Paul Robeson on Africa: A Different Perspective on International Relations" Phyllis Elaine Simon June 1981

**Box 1, Folder 5**

- Charles Wesley, "W.E. DuBois: The Historian" 1965
- Readings on black women in academia Undated
- Research Undated
- Readings Undated
- Research Undated
- "Durkheimian Anthropology and Social Criticism in France 1885-1925" Bruce Thompson 28230

**Box 1, Folder 14**

- Mau-Mau Syllabus 1975

**Box 1, Folder 15**

- History of East Africa Coursereader Fall 1990
- "Chester Crocker and the Negotiations for Namibian Independence: The Role of the Individual in Recent American Foreign Policy" Amy Biehl May 1989

**Box 1, Folder 17**

- Introduction to African History Fall 1991/1992
- History 148: Intro to African History Spring 1990
- Political Change in Tropical Africa coursereader Spring 1990/1991
- History of East Africa Coursereader Fall 1990
- History 249/349: Africa Since 1945 Undated
- Introduction to African History coursereader Fall 1991/1992
- Journal from a class? Undated
- Kenya Visit, Kennell A. Jackson, Jr. June-October 1973
Box 1, Folder 25  Journal Undated