Jack D. Forbes Collection

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Descriptive Summary

**Title:** Jack D. Forbes Collection  
**Dates:** 1769-2012  
**Collection Number:** D-046  
**Creator/Collector:** Forbes, Jack D.  
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**Abstract:** Manuscripts and proofs of articles written by Forbes; microcopies of records of Bureau of Indian Affairs; numerous serials, newspapers, clippings, newsletters related to Native American issues. Materials from California Indian Education Association and national Indian organizations. Also contains materials related to ethnic studies, census records (U.S.), California Indian Legal Services (CILS).

**Language of Material:** English

**Access**
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**Biography/Administrative History**
Professor of Native American Studies and Anthropology at UC Davis from 1969 to 1994 (now retired). Dr. Forbes is a Native American of Powhatan and Delaware background who has authored many books and articles. He is also a published poet and author of short stories. He organized the Native American movement in 1961, co-founded the California Indian Education Association (1967) and the D-Q University (1971).

**Scope and Content of Collection**
Articles, reports, monographs, serials, microfilm and photographs relating to Native American History, civil rights, ethnic studies and Native American education. Contains Native American serials from the 1970s and 1980s. There is also a small, but complete, photographic survey of electric railroad cars in Los Angeles, California, and the West Coast.

**Indexing Terms**
Indians of North America -- Education (Higher)  
Indians of North America -- Study and teaching (Higher)  
California Indian Legal Services.  
D-Q University.  
California Indian Education Association.  
Native American Movement.  
University of California, Davis. Native American Studies.  
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