Inventory of the Michael P. Smith Papers

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**Creator:** Smith, Michael P.

**Title:** Michael P. Smith Papers

**Date (inclusive):** 1969-2012

**Extent:** 7 linear feet

**Abstract:** Michael Peter Smith served as Professor of Community Studies and Development at the University of California, Davis from 1986-2010. The collection contains his writings as well as research materials related to his books: *Citizenship Across Borders: The Political Transnationalism of El Migrante* (2008) and *Transnational Urbanism: Locating Globalization* (2001).

**Physical location:** Researchers should contact Special Collections to request collections, as many are stored offsite.

**Repository:** University of California, Davis. General Library. Dept. of Special Collections.

**Collection number:** D-556

**Language of Material:** Collection materials in English.

**Biography**

Michael Peter Smith received his B.A. in Political Science from St. Michael's College (1964), M.A. in Political Science from the University of Massachusetts, Amherst (1966), and Ph.D. in Political Science from the University of Massachusetts, Amherst (1971).

Smith served as Instructor/Assistant Professor of Government at Dartmouth College (1968-1971), Assistant Professor of Political Science at Boston University (1971-1974), Associate Professor/Professor of Political Science at Tulane University (1974-1986), Professor of Community Studies and Development at the University of California, Davis (1986-2008), and Distinguished Professor, Community Studies and Development, University of California, Davis (2008-2010). He retired from UC Davis in 2010.

**Scope and Content**


**Arrangement of the Collection**


**Indexing Terms**

The following terms have been used to index the description of this collection in the library's online public access catalog.

Smith, Michael P.--Archives.

University of California, Davis -- Faculty -- Archives

United States -- Emigration and immigration -- Political aspects

Mexico -- Emigration and immigration -- Political aspects

Transnationalism -- Political aspects -- United States

Transnationalism -- Political aspects -- Mexico

Immigrants -- Political activity -- United States

Mexican Americans -- Politics and government

Citizenship -- United States

Citizenship -- Mexico

**Access**

Collection is open for research.

**Processing Information**

Sara Gunasekara processed this collection with assistance from student employees Michelle Xie and Michele Ko.

**Acquisition Information**


**Preferred Citation**

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Transnational Urbanism, Book Reviews 2001-2004

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Box 2:20  Changing Urban Spaces, Conference Poster 2009 March

Box 2:21  “Global Mobility, Shifting Borders, and Urban Citizenship” **Tijdschrift Voor Economische en Sociale Geografie (Journal of Economic and Social Geography)**, Vol. 100, No.5. Co-authored with L.E. Guarnizo 2009

Box 7:33  “The Incompleteness of Rights-Bearing Citizenship: Political Obligation and Re-nationalization” **Political Power and Social Theory** Vol. 20 2009

Box 7:34  “The Infrastructural Limits to Growth: Rethinking the Urban Growth Machine in Times of Fiscal Crisis”, **International Journal of Urban and Regional Research.** Co-authored with L. Ownen Kirkpatrick. 2011 May

Box 7:35  “The Downside of Urban Growth by Undemocratic Means” 2012 February


Box 5:19-22  Series 2. **About Smith’s Writings 1984-2008**

Scope and Content Note

This series contains reviews of several of Smith's works.

Box 2:22-44; 3-6  Series 3. **Research Materials 1988-2006**

Physical Description: 4.5 linear feet

Scope and Content Note

This series contains audiocassettes of interviews and transcripts of the interviews that Smith conducted for his books: **Citizenship Across Borders** and **Transnational Urbanism.** Also included are materials related to his article “Who Are the Good Guys?” about the 1991 incident at the Sacramento Good Guys electronics store.