Guide to the Michael Burr photographs of South Vietnam and Southern California Southeast Asian American Communities MS.SEA.066

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Physical Description: 0.8 Linear Feet1 legal document box; 1 letter document box, 1 OS folder

Date (inclusive): 1969-2005

Abstract: This collection is comprised of photographs taken by Michael Burr. The collection includes black and white photographs of various sizes of Saigon, South Vietnam in 1969-1970s, as well as colored photographs of Vietnam between 2003-2005.

Language of Material: English.

Access

The collection is open for research.

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Acquisition Information

Gift of Michael Burr, 2017.

Collection Scope and Content Summary

This collection contains photographs taken by Michael Burr, who served in U.S. Air Force during the Vietnam War. Materials include black and white photographs of various sizes of South Vietnam in 1969-70s, as well as colored photographs of Vietnam between 2003-2005.

Processing Information

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Biographical / Historical

Michael Burr served in the United States Air Force during the Vietnam War and in 1969 was deployed to Vietnam and served as an English language instructor to the Republic of Vietnam Air Force. While in Vietnam, he began taking photographs, which led to his career in photography. He has served as a community events photographer in Cambodia Town, Long Beach for numerous events, including the Cambodia Town Film Festival, as well as in the Orange County Vietnamese American community. He has also photographed Southeast Asian American student-led events at college campuses in Southern California.

Arrangement

This collection is arranged in 1 series. Series 1. Photographs of Vietnam, 1969-70s, 2003-2005. 0.8 linear feet. Original order of photographs are maintained.

Subjects and Indexing Terms

Photographs

Vietnam War, 1961-1975 -- Archives

Vietnam -- 21st century

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