Guide to the University of California, Irvine commencement ceremonies records AS.114

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Abstract: The collection comprises materials from University of California, Irvine commencement ceremonies, including printed copies and sound recordings of commencement addresses, video recordings and photographs of ceremonies, handbooks, informational brochures, and flags. The handbooks include scripts of welcome speeches and introductions, diagrams of the seating arrangements on stage, and instructions for persons officiating and speaking at the ceremonies.
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Acquisition Information
Transferred periodically from the Office of Student Affairs.

Existing Digital Objects Internal Note
During accessioning (accn2016.001), DVDs received digital object numbers AS114_DIG001-AS114DIG069
During accessioning (accn2017.007), digital objects received the following digital object numbers: AS114_DIG070-AS114DIG089

Accruals
Annual accruals are expected.

Processing History

Collection Scope and Content Summary
The collection comprises materials from commencement ceremonies of the University of California, Irvine (UCI), including printed copies and sound recordings of commencement addresses, informational brochures for graduates, event programs, and handbooks provided to individuals who presided over or presented at commencement ceremonies held at the Bren Events Center. It also contains video recordings of ceremonies, cloth flags used to identify participating groups, and a cloth banner used to adorn the stage during the ceremonies. The handbooks include scripts of welcome speeches and introductions, diagrams of the seating arrangements on stage, and instructions for persons officiating and speaking at the ceremonies. The collection contains scripts and transcripts of some commencement speeches.

A "script" is a document containing the text of what a speaker intended to say while delivering his or her speech. A "transcript" is a document in which the speech has been transcribed verbatim after it has been delivered to the audience.

The collection also contains digital photographs of commencement ceremonies.

Collection Arrangement
This collection is arranged first by format and then chronologically. Accession 2016.001, an unprocessed addition, is listed at the end.

Related Collections
Related documentation can be found in AS-113 University of California, Irvine commencement photographs. UCI commencement programs are shelved separately in Special Collections and Archives, and cataloged in the library’s online catalog Library Search.

**Subjects and Indexing Terms**
Commencement ceremonies -- California -- Irvine
DVDs -- California -- Orange County -- 21st century.
Video recordings -- California -- Orange County -- 21st century.
Sound recordings -- California -- Orange County -- 21st century.
Audiocassettes -- California -- Irvine -- 21st century.
Handbooks (Manuals) -- California -- Irvine
Flags -- California -- Irvine -- 20th century.
Banners -- California -- Irvine -- 20th century.
Baccalaureate addresses -- California -- Irvine -- 21st century.
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University of California, Irvine -- Archives

### Commencement addresses

**Scripts and transcripts**

**Peltason, Jack 1991**
Scope and Contents note
Contains script used during address. Jack Peltason was dean of the UCI College of Arts and Science (1963-1967). At the time he delivered this address, he was UCI's second chancellor (1984-1992). He went on to become president of the University of California (1992-1995).

**Krom, Beth 2006**
Scope and Contents note
Contains script used during address. Beth Krom, mayor of the city of Irvine, was the featured speaker for the Claire Trevor School of the Arts, School of Physical Sciences, and Department of Education.

**Brown, John Seely 2007**
Scope and Contents note
Contains transcript of address. John Seely Brown was chief scientist, Xerox Corporation, and director of the Xerox Palo Alto Research Center, at the time of this address.

**Audio recordings**

**Conditions Governing Access note**
Access restricted. The cassettes are the archival originals. A listening copy must be made prior to researcher use.

**Chappell, Moria 2001**
Scope and Contents note
Moria Chappell, Baccalaureate Candidate, was the student speaker for the School of Humanities.

**Archival original**
General Physical Description note: 1 audio cassette
Daniel, Martha V. 2001

Scope and Contents note
Martha V. Daniel, president and CEO of Information Management Resources, Inc., was the featured speaker for the School of Physical Sciences and the Department of Information and Computer Science.

Archival original
General Physical Description note: 1 audio cassette

Decker, Dwight W. 2001

Scope and Contents note
Dwight W. Decker, chairman and CEO of Conexant Systems, Inc., was the featured speaker at the Graduate School of Management ceremony.

Archival original
General Physical Description note: 1 audio cassette

Plastino, Janice 2001

Scope and Contents note
Janice Plastino was the faculty speaker at the awards ceremony which preceded commencement.

Archival original
General Physical Description note: 1 audio cassette

Event programs

Honors Convocation 1980-2006
Scope and Contents note
Not all years between 1980 and 2006 are represented.

Other 1988-2004
Scope and Contents note
Includes abbreviated event programs distributed at various commencement ceremonies. Complete UCI commencement programs are shelved separately in Special Collections and Archives and cataloged in the library’s online catalog, Library Search

Handbooks

Forty-first Annual Commencement

Ceremony No. 1: School of Humanities 2006
Ceremony No. 2: Claire Trevor School of the Arts, School of Physical Sciences, and Department of Education 2006
Ceremony No. 3: School of Social Ecology 2006
Ceremony No. 4: School of Social Sciences: Saturday, June 17, 1:00 p.m. 2006
Ceremony No. 5: School of Social Sciences: Saturday, June 17, 5:00 p.m. 2006
Ceremony No. 6: The Henry Samueli School of Engineering 2006
Ceremony No. 7: Donald Bren School of Information and Computer Sciences 2006
Ceremony No. 8: School of Biological Sciences 2006

Forty-second Annual Commencement

Ceremony No. 1: The Henry Samueli School of Engineering 2007
Ceremony No. 2: School of Social Sciences: Friday, June 15, 1:00 p.m. 2007
Ceremony No. 3: School of Social Sciences: Friday, June 15, 5:00 p.m. 2007
Ceremony No. 4: Donald Bren School of Information and Computer Sciences 2007
Ceremony No. 5: School of Social Ecology: Saturday, June 16, 12:00 p.m. 2007
Ceremony No. 6: School of Social Ecology: Saturday, June 16, 4:00 p.m. 2007
Ceremony No. 7: School of Humanities 2007
Ceremony No. 8: Claire Trevor School of the Arts, School of Physical Sciences, and Department of Education 2007

Ceremony No. 9: School of Biological Sciences 2007

Forty-third Annual Commencement

The Henry Samueli School of Engineering: Friday, June 13, 9:00 a.m. 2008
School of Social Ecology: Friday, June 13, 1:00 p.m. 2008
School of Social Ecology: Friday, June 13, 5:00 p.m. 2008
School of Humanities: Saturday, June 14, 9:00 a.m. 2008
Claire Trevor School of the Arts, Donald Bren School of Information and Computer Sciences, School of Physical Sciences: Saturday, June 14, 1:00 p.m. 2008
School of Biological Sciences: Saturday, June 14, 5:00 p.m. 2008
School of Social Sciences: Sunday, June 15, 1:00 p.m. 2008
School of Social Sciences: Sunday, June 15, 5:00 p.m. 2008

Informational brochures and fliers for participating graduates 1987, 1995-2006

Seating diagrams and event volunteer instructions 2004-2005

Banners

University of California, Irvine banner undated

General Physical Description note: 1 blue and gold banner measuring 23 feet long bearing the university name and seal

Flags

General Physical Description note: 35 blue and gold cloth flags approximately 30 x 40 inches each

Bachelors undated

General Physical Description note: 2 items

Doctors of Medicine undated

Doctors of Philosophy undated

General Physical Description note: 2 items

Donald Bren School of Information and Computer Science undated

Faculty undated

General Studies undated

Graduate School of Administration undated

Masters undated

General Physical Description note: 2 items

Platform Party undated

General Physical Description note: 2 items

School of Biological Sciences undated

General Physical Description note: 4 items

School of Engineering undated

General Physical Description note: 2 items

School of Fine Arts undated

School of Humanities undated

School of Information and Computer Sciences undated

School of Social Ecology undated

General Physical Description note: 3 items

School of Social Science undated
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Unprocessed addition 2016 Accession 2016-001 2006-2013

Access
Access to original disk media is restricted.

Series Scope and Contents Note
Contains DVDs with video and images of UCI Commencement ceremonies.

box accn2016-001 001

Box 1 2006-2013
Scope and Content Note
This box contains CDs and DVDs, 2006-2011.

box accn2016-001 002

Box 2 2006-2013
Scope and Content Note
This box contains CDs and DVDs, 2010-2013.

Unprocessed addition 2017 Accession 2017-007 2016

Conditions Governing Access
Access to original video recordings is restricted; researchers may request viewing copies.

Scope and Contents
This addition contains DVDs from the 2016 Commencement Ceremony at UC Irvine.