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Descriptive Summary

Title: Anderson, Walter Truett,

Date (inclusive): 1976-1986

Collection number: HPA Mss 2

Creator: Anderson, Walt, 1933-

Physical Description: 5.5 linear feet; 2 manuscript boxes, 3 boxes cassettes, 6 boxes compact discs

Repository: University of California, Santa Barbara. Library. Dept. of Special Collections
Santa Barbara, CA 93106

Shelf location: The Anderson materials are located in the Department of Special Collections at UCSB.

Abstract: Audio interviews for a book on the Esalen Institute and typescripts of this book and three others by author/journalist/political scientist Walter Truett Anderson.

Language: English.

Provenance

The materials that comprise the Walter Truett Anderson Collection were given to the Humanistic Psychology Archive by Anderson in 1988 and 1990.

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None.

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**Access Points**
Anderson, Walt, 1933-
Esalen Institute.
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**Biography**
Walter Truett Anderson (b. 1933) is an author, political scientist, and environmentalist who writes on technology, psychology, ecology and global government. He received a BA in political science in 1955 from the University of California, Berkeley, and a PhD in political science and social psychology from the University of Southern California in 1972. Anderson is a longtime resident of San Francisco, a consulting faculty member at the Saybrook Institute, a regular contributor to the Pacific News Service, and a fellow of the Meridian Institute, an international political think-tank he co-founded.

**Related Collections**
Researchers may also be interested in the

**Title:** Esalen Collection
(HPA MSS 8), the Humanistic Psychology Archives' collection of printed materials from the Esalen Institute.

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### Writings
Located in Del Norte stacks.

**Physical Description:** 2 boxes

**Scope and Content Note**
This series includes typescripts of four of Anderson's books: *Open Secrets: A Western Guide to Tibetan Buddhism* (includes proofs as well), *Rethinking Liberalism* (political science essays; edited by Anderson), *The Upstart Spring: Esalen and the American Awakening*, and the biopolitical *To Govern Evolution: Further Adventures of the Political Animal*.

### Interviews
Masters in vault; cassette originals and use copies in Performing Arts stacks.

**Physical Description:** 48 cassette originals; 75 master copies; 75 service copies

**Scope and Content Note**
This series includes audio cassette interviews of Esalen Institute associates done by Anderson while researching his book *The Upstart Spring*. Some cassettes are unplayable due to either oxidation or "sticky shed syndrome." All playable cassettes have been reformatted onto compact disc master copies and use copies.

### Writings

| Box 1, Folder 1 | Edited typescript of *Open Secrets*, pp. 2-150, January 1979. |
| Box 1, Folder 2 | Edited typescript of *Open Secrets*, pp. 151-251, January 1979. |
| Box 1, Folder 3 | Revised proof of *Open Secrets*, pp. i-100, 1980. |
| Box 1, Folder 4 | Revised proof of *Open Secrets*, pp. 101-224, 1980. |
| Box 1, Folder 5 | Typescript of *Rethinking Liberalism*, pp. 1-100, 1983. |
| Box 1, Folder 6 | Typescript of *Rethinking Liberalism*, pp. 101-243, 1983. |
| Box 1, Folder 7 | Typescript of *Rethinking Liberalism*, pp. 244-253, 1983. |
| Box 2, Folder 1 | Typescript of *The Upstart Spring*, pp. i-155, c. 1983. |
| Box 2, Folder 2 | Typescript of *The Upstart Spring*, pp. 156-295, c. 1983. |
| Box 2, Folder 3 | Typescript of *The Upstart Spring*, pp. 296-507, c. 1983. |
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**Box 2, Folder 4**  
**Typescript of To Govern Evolution, pp. i-79, August 1986.**

**Box 2, Folder 5**  
**Typescript of To Govern Evolution, pp. 80-140, August 1986.**

**Box 2, Folder 6**  
**Typescript of To Govern Evolution, pp. 141-210, August 1986.**

**Box 2, Folder 7**  
**Typescript of To Govern Evolution, pp. 211-291, August 1986.**

**Box 2, Folder 8**  
**Typescript of To Govern Evolution, pp. 292-336, August 1986.**

**Interviews**

**Note**  
Cassette originals have been reformatted onto CD listening copies unless noted.

A1795/CS Bateson, Gregory and Paul Herbert  
April 3, 1979

A1796/CS Bugental, James and Don Michael

A1797/CS Carter, Seymour

A1798/CS Cobbs, Price and Ron Brown

A1799/CS Doyle, Jackie March 19, 1981

A1800/CS Farson, Richard

A1801/CS Fosters, The

A1802/CS Greening, Tom

A1803/CS Haigh, Gerard

A1804/CS Heider, John and Ed Maupin [currently unlistenable]

A1805/CS Herbert, Paul [side 2 is Anderson's "random thoughts"] September 6, 1979

A1806/CS Huxley [interview and lecture; no Bateson as originally labeled-- side 2 is telephone interviews re: California water] June 2, 1979

A1807/CS Keen, Sam

A1808/CS Lederman, Janet [currently unlistenable]

A1809/CS Leonard, George November 14, 1980

A1810/CS Leonard, George December 9, 1980

A1811/CS Leonard, Needleman, Krassner, and Marin

A1812/CS Levy, John February (December?) 19, 1980

A1813/CS May, Rollo November 18, 1980

A1814/CS Moore, Fred

A1815/CS Murphy, Michael and George Leonard [Leonard (side 2) identity questionable] December 5 and 9, 1980

A1816/CS Murphy, Michael March 26, 1981

A1817/CS Murphy, Michael October 12, 1982

A1818/CS Murphy, Michael December 8, 1982

A1819/CS Murphy, Michael September 24, 1981

A1820/CS Murphy, Michael May 21, 1981

A1821/CS Murphy, Michael May 21, 1981

A1822/CS Murphy, Michael October 4, 1977

A1823/CS Murphy, Michael March 9, 1979

A1824/CS Murphy, Michael September 12, 1977

A1825/CS Murphy, Michael September 20, 1979

A1826/CS Murphy, Michael April 5, 1977

A1827/CS Murphy, Michael March 9, 1979

A1828/CS Narejano, Claudio March 20, 1981

A1829/CS Narejano, Claudio March 20, 1981

A1830/CS Price, Dick - Belvedere [1982?]  

A1831/CS Price, Dick and Emil White December 19, 1976


A1833/CS Price, Dick June 14, 1981


A1835/CS Price, Dick December 21, 1982

A1836/CS Schultz, Will August 24, 1981

A1837/CS Schultz, Will August 24, 1981

A1838/CS Schultz, Will December 4, 1980

A1839/CS Schultz, Will December 4, 1980

