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Abstract: A 35mm color slide show and 16mm color film documentary of the early history (1963-1967) of the University of California, San Diego, created by Charles Graves. The two formats were photographed nearly simultaneously and include the construction and dedication of Revelle College, social and political activities of the first undergraduate class, the first Watermelon Drop, and the inauguration of John Galbraith, UC San Diego's second chancellor. The images also document the natatorium construction, Camp Matthews and the dedication of Bonner Hall. The film version has been reformatted to VHS videotape and digitized.
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Biography
Charles Graves, a physician from La Jolla, California, photographed the early development of UC San Diego.
Scope and Content
A 35mm color slide show and 16mm color film documentary by Charles Graves entitled University of California, San Diego: The Beginning, showing the early history (1963-1967) of UC San Diego. The two formats were photographed nearly simultaneously and include the construction and dedication of Revelle College, social and political activities of the first undergraduate class, the first Watermelon Drop, and the inauguration of John Galbraith, UC San Diego's second chancellor. The images also document the natatorium construction, Camp Matthews and the dedication of Bonner Hall. The film version has been reformatted to VHS videotape and digitized. Arranged in two series: 1) SLIDES and 2) FILM.
Subjects and Indexing Terms
Galbraith, John S. -- Inauguration
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University of California, San Diego. -- Students -- Pictorial works
University of California, San Diego. -- Students -- Political activity
SLIDES

Scope and Content of Series

Series 1) SLIDES

35mm color slides document the construction and dedication of Revelle College, the dedication of Bonner Hall and student activities including elections, the student senate and the first Watermelon Drop. Also depicted are Camp Matthews buildings and the inauguration of the second chancellor John S. Galbraith on November 5, 1965. The slides are organized in groups to represent the four slide trays in which they were originally housed. Graves's manuscript notes precede the slides and his descriptions are included in each folder heading.

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Items available online

List of subjects for slide show and/or films 1964 -1967

Part 1 1964-1965

The La Jolla land
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- Looking east from Torrey Pines Road toward the future Galbraith Hall building, 1964 January
- View of La Jolla Shores from La Jolla Cove, facing northeast, 1964 December
- View of La Jolla Shores and Scripps Institution of Oceanography, facing north, 1964 December
- Looking northeast from Gilman Drive toward Camp Matthews and Scripps Hospital, 1964 November
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First construction
- Revelle College campus looking northeast and showing Urey Hall, Bonner Hall, Mayer Hall, and Galbraith Hall, 1964 November
- Bonner Hall under construction, 1964 January
- Revelle College parking lot under construction, 1964 November
- View from lobby of Urey Hall, 1964 January
- Future site of John Muir College, looking north across foundations of Camp Callan buildings with the Salk Institute for Biological Studies under construction, 1964 January
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- Blake Hall site from Urey Hall, facing west, 1964 January
- Bonner Hall, under construction, from Urey Hall, looking northeast with Scripps Hospital in background, 1964 January
- Future site of John Muir College, looking north across foundations of Camp Callan buildings with the Salk Institute for Biological Studies under construction, 1964 January
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View of La Jolla Farms from Urey Hall, looking northwest, 1964 January
Bonner Hall, under construction, from Urey Hall, looking northeast, 1964 January
Galbraith Hall building site and graded area west of site with Mount Soledad in the background, 1964 January
Intersection of Highway 101 and Miramar Road with Bonner Hall at right, 1964 January
Urey Hall parking lot, facing west, 1964 January
Urey Hall parking lot and Miramar Road, 1964 January
Galbraith Hall building site, 1964 January
Galbraith Hall building under construction, 1964 November
Revelle College buildings, facing northeast, 1964 November
Revelle Residence Halls site, facing south, 1964 November
Future site of John Muir College, looking north across foundations of Camp Callan buildings with the Salk Institute for Biological Studies under construction, 1964 November
Revelle College plaza area site, 1964 November
Roof of Mayer Hall with undeveloped mesas in background, facing southeast, 1964 November
Bonner Hall and Breezeway from Urey Hall, facing northeast, 1964 November

First student elections
Dean of Student Affairs Ted Forbes checks voting roster at student election polls, 1964 December
First student elections [title slide], 1965 July
Student turning in her vote, 1964 December
First student election polls, 1964 December

Constitutional Convention 1964 November 20
Student officials at the Constitutional Convention
Students meeting in lecture hall for Constitutional Convention
UCSD's first student election posters, 1964 December
Student officials at the Constitutional Convention
UCSD student announcement bulletin board, 1964 December
Entrance to Urey Hall, 1964 December
Students at UCSD's Constitutional Convention
Students at UCSD's Constitutional Convention
A student stands to speak at the Constitutional Convention
Students meeting in lecture hall for Constitutional Convention

Tennis anyone? 1964 December
Students playing tennis on Matthews campus tennis courts
Ted Forbes and George Crozier on the Matthews campus tennis courts
Students playing tennis on Matthews campus tennis courts
Students playing tennis on Matthews campus tennis courts
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Students playing tennis on Matthews campus tennis courts

First and only bus 1964 December
First and only UCSD school bus in front of Urey Hall
Ted Forbes driving the first UCSD school bus
Students boarding UCSD's first and only school bus
Students fill the trunk and back rear seat of a La Jolla Cab
Students walking beside UCSD school bus
Female student getting on UCSD's first and only school bus
Students waiting in the Urey Hall parking lot

Dr. Ted Forbes and future plans
Dr. Ted Forbes pointing toward future building sites on Camp Matthews, 1964 December
Dr. Ted Forbes and future plans [title slide], 1965 June
Part 2 1965 -1966

Freshman register 1965 September 26
Revelle College Residence Halls on UCSD's first annual Welcome Day
Chancellor John Galbraith addresses parents and students at UCSD Welcome Day event
Parents and students at UCSD Welcome Day event
Parents and students at UCSD Welcome Day event
Freshman registration sign
Parents and students at UCSD Welcome Day event
Parents and students at UCSD Welcome Day event
UCSD student addresses parents and students at Welcome Day event
Revelle College Provost Edward D. Goldberg addressing parents and students at UCSD Welcome Day event
Freshmen at Welcome Day registration tables in front of Galbraith Hall
Freshmen at Welcome Day registration tables in front of Galbraith Hall
Freshmen at Welcome Day registration tables in front of Galbraith Hall
Freshmen at Welcome Day registration tables in front of Galbraith Hall
Revelle College Residence Halls
Freshmen registration area in front of Galbraith Hall
Students, staff and parents gathered in front of Galbraith Hall
Students pass out information flyers
Students pass out information flyers, Mayer Hall in the background
Parents and students observing a display from the Division of Oceanic Research

First class plants a tree
Tree one year later [title slide], 1965 July
Carl Eckart and student from the class of 1968 plant a tree, 1965 June
Commemorative tree of the class of 1968, one year later, June 1966
First class plants a tree [title slide], 1965 July
Students from the class of 1968 prepare to plant a commemorative tree, 1965 June
Landscaping staff position class of 1968 commemorative tree, 1965 June
Carl Eckart and student from the class of 1968 plant a tree, 1965 June
Class of 1968 commemorative tree. UCSD pedestrian bridge in the background, 1965 June
Carl Eckart and student from the class of 1968 plant a tree, 1965 June
Carl Eckart and student from the class of 1968 plant a tree, 1965 June
Students watch as a commemorative tree is planted by class of 1968, 1965 June
Students watch as a commemorative tree is planted by the class of 1968, 1965 June
Ted Forbes talks with landscaping staff, 1965 June

Construction goes forward 1965 September
Bonner Hall from Urey Hall, with Camp Matthews in the background
York Hall under construction
Galbraith Hall
Revelle College Residence Halls
Revelle College Residence Halls
Revelle Commons
La Jolla Farms with the Salk Institute for Biological Studies in the background
Galbraith Hall and Revelle College Residence Halls
Walkway in front of Urey Hall
Revelle College dedication 1965 October 1
Revelle College dedication sign
Revelle College dedication ceremony podium, between Bonner and Mayer Hall
Revelle College dedication ceremony speakers
Student handing out programs for the Revelle College dedication ceremony
Students and faculty at the Revelle College dedication ceremony
Revelle College Provost Edward D. Goldberg speaking at the Revelle College dedication ceremony
Herbert York speaking at the Revelle College dedication ceremony
Carl Eckart speaks at the Revelle College dedication ceremony
Roger Revelle
Roger Revelle speaking at the Revelle College dedication ceremony
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Watermelon Drop 1965 June 4
Students eating watermelon at Watermelon Drop
Students eating watermelon at Watermelon Drop
Students enjoying the first annual Watermelon Drop
Students and a staff member gather to measure the watermelon splat in the first annual Watermelon Drop
Students gather and eat watermelon at the first annual Watermelon Drop
Students eating watermelon at Watermelon Drop
Students view the point of watermelon impact
Group of students and the Watermelon Queen, Elizabeth Heller, gathered for the first annual watermelon drop
Group of students gathered for the first annual Watermelon Drop
Students view the point of watermelon impact
Students view the point of watermelon impact
Watermelon Drop [title slide]
The first Watermelon Drop Queen, Elizabeth Heller
The Queen [title slide]
Students and staff watching the Watermelon Drop from Urey Hall
Elizabeth Heller, the first Watermelon Queen, preparing to drop the watermelon
Group of students gathered for the first annual Watermelon Drop

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Part 3 1965 -1967

Bonner Hall Dedication 1965 May 7
S.J. Singer speaking at the Bonner Hall building dedication ceremony
David M. Bonner Hall building sign
Bonner Hall building dedication ceremony audience
Chancellor John Galbraith speaks at the Bonner Hall building dedication ceremony
Plaza between Bonner and Mayer Halls
A student photographer
Bonner Hall building dedication ceremony audience
Bonner Hall building dedication ceremony audience
Bonner Hall building dedication ceremony audience
Birdseye view of the Bonner Hall building dedication ceremony taken from Urey Hall
Bonner Hall building dedication ceremony audience

Students
Students in front of Urey Hall, 1965 June
Students in front of bookstore, 1965 June
Student fills out a form, 1965 June
Students at a registration table, 1965 June
Students at a registration table, 1965 June
Students check a list, 1965 June
Students watch the Bonner Hall building dedication ceremony, 1965 May 7
Students talk in doorway of the Student Affairs Office, 1965 April
Students watch the Bonner Hall building dedication ceremony, 1965 May 7
Students watch the Bonner Hall building dedication ceremony, 1965 May 7
Students watch the Bonner Hall building dedication ceremony, 1965 May 7

Bridge Over 101 Dedicated

Pedestrian bridge over Highway 101 looking north, 1965 February

Bridge over 101 dedicated [title slide], 1965 July

Camp Matthews

Camp Matthews, Central Services Building 251 and Provost Second College office, 1965 June

Camp Mathews [title slide], 1965 July

Camp Matthews building, 1965 June

Camp Matthews, Central Services Building 251, 1965 June

Camp Matthews quonset huts, 1965 June

Camp Matthews, Central Services Building 251, 1965 June

Galbraith inauguration 1965 November 5

Students and faculty stand for invocation at Chancellor Galbraith's inauguration ceremony

Chancellor John Galbraith's inauguration ceremony

UC President Clark Kerr speaking at Chancellor Galbraith's inauguration ceremony

Chancellor John Galbraith's inauguration ceremony

"Sandscript," a UCSD newspaper announcing Chancellor Galbraith's inauguration

Program for Chancellor John S. Galbraith's inauguration ceremony

Students and faculty stand for invocation at Chancellor Galbraith's inauguration ceremony

UCSD faculty at Chancellor Galbraith's inauguration ceremony

Chancellor John Galbraith speaks at his inauguration ceremony

Speakers at Chancellor John S. Galbraith's inauguration ceremony

Speakers at Chancellor John S. Galbraith's inauguration ceremony

Chancellor John Galbraith's inauguration ceremony

Chancellor John Galbraith's inauguration ceremony

UCSD faculty listen at Chancellor Galbraith's inauguration ceremony

A speaker addresses the audience at Chancellor John Galbraith's inauguration ceremony

Student election

Campus events bulletin board kiosk near the Revelle College Residence Halls, 1965 November

Student election [title slide], 1965 June

UCSD campus events bulletin board in front of Discovery Hall, 1965 November

More construction

Event between Bonner Hall and Mayer Hall, 1965 November

Revelle College Residence Halls, 1965 November

Revelle Plaza, 1966 October

Mayer Hall and roof of York Hall, looking southeast, with Interstate 5 interchange in the background, 1966 October

Revelle College Residence Halls under construction, 1965 April

Quonset huts at Camp Matthews, 1966 October

Revelle College Residence Halls, Revelle Commons and Urey Hall, 1966 October

Interstate 5 freeway, looking south, 1966 October

Looking west from the Miramar Road bridge over Interstate 5 freeway, 1966 October

Revelle Commons under construction, 1966 October

Galbraith Hall and Revelle College Residence Halls, looking south, 1966 October

North Torrey Pines road with Urey Hall in the distance, 1966 October
Future site of John Muir College, looking north across foundations of Camp Callan buildings with the Salk Institute for Biological Studies in the background, 1966 October

Interstate 5 freeway and Scripps Hospital, looking northeast, 1966 October

Looking south from Miramar Road toward Camp Matthews, 1966 October

Howard Warshaw mural

Howard Warshaw, art professor from UC Santa Barbara, 1966 August

Howard Warshaw painting a mural in the Revelle Cafeteria, 1966 August

Howard Warshaw mural [title slide], 1965 June

Howard Warshaw painting a mural in the Revelle Cafeteria, 1966 August

Howard Warshaw mural in the Revelle College Cafeteria, 1966 August

Howard Warshaw painting a mural in the Revelle Cafeteria, 1966 August

Howard Warshaw painting a mural in the Revelle Cafeteria, 1966 August

Ye ol’ swimmin’ hole begins

Natatorium under construction, 1967 January

Scripps Institution of Oceanography, looking southwest, 1967 January

Ye ol’ swimmin’ hole begins [title slide], 1967 July

Natatorium under construction, 1967 January

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Part 4 1965

Student Senate

Student Senate meeting, 1965 February

Student Senate meeting, 1965 February

Student Senate [title slide], 1965 June

Student Senate meeting, 1965 February

Student Senate meeting, 1965 February

Student Senate meeting, 1965 February

Student Senate meeting, 1965 February

Student Senate meeting, 1965 February

Student Senate meeting, 1965 February

Student Senate meeting, 1965 February

Student Senate meeting, 1965 February

Student Senate meeting, 1965 February

Office crew

UCSD administrative assistant, 1965 April

UCSD administrative assistant, 1965 April

UCSD administrative assistant, 1965 April

UCSD administrative assistant, 1965 April

The office crew [title slide], 1965 July

Dean of Student Affairs Ted Forbes and administrative assistant, 1965 April

Revelle College Provost Edward D. Goldberg, 1965 April

UCSD administrative assistant, 1965 April

UCSD administrative assistant, 1965 May

UCSD administrative assistant, 1965 April

UCSD administrative assistant, 1965 April

Construction goes on

Mayer Hall, looking southeast, 1965 April

Revelle Commons under construction, 1965 April

Galbraith Hall building taken from North Torrey Pines road, 1965 April

Revelle Commons under construction, 1965 February

Revelle College, looking northeast, 1965 April

University Library in Urey Hall, 1965 April

Revelle Commons and Residential Halls, 1965 April

Revelle College parking lot, 1965 February

Galbraith Hall, looking east, 1965 February

Road construction on western boundary of Revelle College, 1965 June

Revelle College from North Torrey Pines Road looking northeast, 1965 February

North Torrey Pines Road under construction, looking north, 1965 June
Revelle Commons under construction, 1965 February
Revelle College Residence Halls under construction, 1965 May
Miramar Road looking east from future intersection with North Torrey Pines Road, 1965 June
Galbraith Hall building under construction, 1965 May
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York Hall under construction, 1965 May
Mayer Hall with Camp Matthews in background, 1965 May
Revelle Commons under construction, 1965 February
Revelle Commons under construction, 1965

FILM

Scope and Content of Series

Series 2) FILM: University of California, San Diego: The Beginning

The 16 mm color films document the same subjects as the slide show and have been reformatted to VHS videotape and digital video. Also included are film clips not used in the edited reels.

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General note
Color, no sound. 29 min.

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