

S00502 - Cross-cultural education lecture notes and other material

Series Number: S00502

Series Title: Cross-cultural education lecture notes and other material

Dates: 1967-1992

Extent: 0.72 m of textual material
3 photographs
1 audio tape reel (0.6 cm)

Scope and Content: Series consists of records pertaining to Simpson's work in cross-cultural education from the 1970s to the early 1990s, predominantly at the University of Western Ontario's Faculty of Education and the Centre for International Business Studies. The records include lecture notes, articles and readings, speeches, visual materials such as overhead transparencies, course syllabi, reports, teaching materials such as case studies and exercises, correspondence, clippings and student assignments. The subjects documented include teaching students of different cultures, First Nations thought systems and education, education in the developing world, and inter-cultural issues in international management. A number of subject files contain resources on ethnicity, I.Q., social class, compensatory education and language and their effect on learning and success. There are also a number of files inherited by Simpson, created by another professor at the UWO business school, Joseph J. DeStefano. Courses Simpson taught at the business school included "The culturally different child" and "Problems in cross-cultural management." He taught the latter course at UWO in the spring of 1989 and then in Germany at the Koblenz School of Business in the fall of 1989. The series also includes files from workshops Simpson ran in 1980 for CBC North managers following his report on "The use of radio and television for education purposes in the Canadian North -- what can be learned from the experiences of the Third World?"

Restrictions on Access and Use: Two files contain student profile cards from the management courses with personal information. These files are closed to researchers until 2100 and 2101 respectively. Researchers wishing to consult this material must speak with the archivist and enter into a researcher agreement.

Arrangement: The series is arranged in the following blocks of records: subject files; teaching materials; lecture files 1970s; secondary material; and course records 1980s.

Other Notes: 1. Further teaching records from Simpson's years in the Faculty of Education at UWO can be found in S00501; records documenting his implementation of the Centre for International Business Studies (CIBS) at the business school are in S00507; and related records on his work with First Nations in the Canadian North are in S00505. Some files relating to cross-cultural education can be found in S00503.