

# Jean Elder fonds

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# Fonds Description

**Jean Elder fonds.** – 1963-1990.

45 cm of textual materials.

## **Biographical Sketch**

Jean Elder was born in Medicine Hat, Alberta, and earned her B.A. from the University of Toronto (1953) and her Ph.D. from Bryn Mawr (1964). She joined UBC's Department of History in 1964, where she specializes in Medieval History. Dr. Elder has been involved in a number of organizations, including the University Senate and several University committees, the Historical Association (Vancouver Branch), and the Academic Women's Association.

## **Scope and Content**

The fonds consists of correspondence and other records relating to the activities of the University Senate, the President's Ad Hoc Committee on Sexual Harassment, the Faculty Association's Status of Women Committee, and the Historical Association (Vancouver Branch). There are also a limited amount of records pertaining to the Academic Women's Association, the Archival Studies Committee, and several other University bodies, as well as the granting of an honorary degree to Expo 86 commissioner Jimmy Pattison.

## **Notes**

File list available.

## Series Descriptions

**Senate Admissions Committee series.** - 1986-1990.

11 cm of textual materials.

Series consists of minutes of meetings, correspondence, and reports pertaining to the Senate Admissions Committee.

**President's Ad Hoc Committee on Sexual Harassment series.** - 1986-1989.

12 cm of textual materials.

Series consists of correspondence, report drafts, and background material pertaining to the President's Ad Hoc Committee on Sexual Harassment.

**Status of Women Committee series.** - 1985-1989.

10 cm of textual materials.

Series consists of correspondence and background material pertaining to the Faculty Association's Status of Women Committee.

**Historical Association (Vancouver Branch) series.** - 1961-1972.

3 cm of textual materials.

Series consists of correspondence, membership lists, notices of meetings, and financial statements pertaining to the Vancouver Branch of the Historical Association.

**Other Committees series.** - 1976-1989.

9 cm of textual materials.

Series consists of correspondence, reports, and memoranda pertaining to various University committees of which Jean Elder was a member. Included in the series is material pertaining to the Academic Women's Association, the Archival Studies Committee, and the Presidential Search Committee.

# File List

## Box 1

### SENATE ADMISSIONS COMMITTEE

1-1 Admissions 1986-90 [3 folders]

1-2 Admissions 1986-88

1-3 Admissions 1988-89

### PRESIDENT'S AD HOC COMMITTEE ON SEXUAL HARASSMENT

1-4 June 1986 - Feb. 1987

## Box 2

2-1 March 1987 - Dec. 1987

2-2 Jan. 1988 - Jan. 1989

2-3 Report Drafts [n.d.]

2-4/6 Background Material

### STATUS OF WOMEN COMMITTEE

2-7 Faculty Association - Status of Women Committee 1985-89

## Box 3

3-1/2 Status of Women - Background Material 1985-87

### HISTORICAL ASSOCIATION (VANCOUVER BRANCH)

3-3 Membership Lists 1963-71

- 3-4 Correspondence with London Headquarters 1964-72
- 3-5 Correspondence with Members 1965-70
- 3-6 Financial Records 1965-72
- 3-7 Notice of Meetings 1961-70
- 3-8 Printed Material 1968-71

#### OTHER COMMITTEES

- 3-9 Academic Women's Association 1983-84
  - 3-10 Carey Hall April-Oct. 1984
- Box 4
- 4-1 Breen Trust 1980-89
  - 4-2 Ad Hoc Committee on Advising and Registration Jan.-April 1989
  - 4-3 Archival Studies Committee - Reports, Correspondence, Memos 1976-78
  - 4-4 Presidential Search Committee - Correspondence, Memos 1985
  - 4-5 Correspondence re: Jimmy Pattison's Honorary Degree 1985-87