

Elvi Whittaker fonds

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Fonds Description

Elvi Whittaker fonds. – 1989-1996.

97 cm of textual records.

Biographical Sketch

Elvi Whittaker received her bachelor's and master's degrees in sociology from UBC in 1955 and 1957, respectively, and later earned a second M.A. (1971) and doctorate (1973) in anthropology from the University of California, Berkeley. She returned to UBC as a visiting assistant professor of anthropology in 1973; she was appointed associate professor in 1975, and full professor in 1991. Dr. Whittaker served as President of the Social Science Federation of Canada (1993-94), and was a Member of the Board (1989-95). She also served in the following positions: Anthropological representative on Aid to Scholarly Publications (1991-93) and on SSFC Women's Issues (1991-93), on the Task force on the Royal Commission on New Reproductive Technologies, and chair of Scholarly Book Awards (1992). She retired in 1997, and received an honorary degree (LL.D.) from UBC in 2005.

Scope and Content

Fonds consists of Dr. Whittaker's records as a member of the Board of Directors and Executive Committee of the Social Science Federation of Canada (SSFC). It includes records of the meetings of various committees, councils and panels in which Ms. Whittaker attended as well as records of various issues and topics related to SSFC activities. Fonds consists of minutes, pamphlets, correspondence, reports, newspaper clippings and publications.

Notes

File list available.

Series Descriptions

Association Meetings series. – 1989-1995.

36 cm of textual records.

Series consists of records of various meetings of the SSFC in which Elvi Whittaker attended including Board of Director, Executive Council, General Assembly and Womens Issues Network Meetings. Series consists of minutes, reports and publications.

Subject Files series. – 1989-1996.

61 cm of textual records.

Series consists of files arranged by topic relating to Elvi Whittaker in her capacity as a member of the SSFC and includes correspondence, pamphlets, reports, newspaper clippings and publications.

File List

Association Meetings

Box 1

- 1-1 Board of Directors and President of Associations – Oct. 12, 1989
- 1-2 General Assembly – Oct.12, 1989
- 1-3 Board of Directors – Feb. 10, 1990
- 1-4 Board of Directors and Presidents of Associations – Sept.20,1990
- 1-5 General Assembly – Sept. 27, 1991
- 1-6 Board of Directors – Sept. 27, 1991
- 1-7 Women’s Issues Network Meeting – Oct. 18, 1991
- 1-8 Board of Directors – Feb. 8, 1992
- 1-9 Women’s Issues Network Meeting – Sept. 19, 1992
- 1-10 Executive Committee – Oct. 16, 1992
- 1-11 Board of Directors – Oct. 17, 1992
- 1-12 General Assembly – Oct. 17, 1992
- 1-13 Executive Committee – Feb. 26, 1993
- 1-14 Board of Directors – Feb. 27, 1993
- 1-15 Executive Committee – May 15, 1993
- 1-16 Women’s Issues Network Meeting – Oct.2, 1993
- 1-17 Executive Committee – Oct. 22, 1993

- 1-18 Board of Directors – Oct. 23, 1993
- 1-19 Meeting of the Presidents of Associations – Oct. 23, 1993
- 1-20 General Assembly – Oct.24, 1993
- 1-21 Executive Committee – Feb.16, 1993
- 1-22 Board of Directors – Feb.17, 1994
- 1-23 Executive Committee – June 10, 1994
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- 1-25 Meeting of the Presidents of Associations – Oct.1, 1994
- 1-26 Board of Directors – Oct.1, 1994
- 1-27 General Assembly – Oct.2,1994
- 1-28 Women’s Issues Network Meeting – Nov.19, 1994
- 1-29 Retreat – Jan.20-21, 1995
- 1-30 Executive Committee – March 10-11, 1995
- 1-31 Board of Directors – March 12, 1995
- 1-32 Executive Committee – June 4, 1995

Subject Files

Box 2

- 2-1 Annual Reports – 1989-1994
- 2-2 ASPP – 1990-1994
- 2-3 ASPP – Joint Management Board – 1993-1994

- 2-4 "Breakfasts on the Hill" – 1994-1995
- 2-5 Brief to Standing Committee – 1994
- 2-6 Budget – 1989-1995
- 2-7 Business and Science – 1989
- 2-8 By-Laws- 1977, 1987
- 2-9 Canadian Academy – 1994
- 2-10 C-93 Bill – 1992-1993
- 2-11 Canadian Museum of Civilization – 1990
- 2-12 CAUT – 1990-1993
- 2-13 Centres of Excellence – 1989-1995
- 2-14 CFH – Relations with - 1993 – 1995
- 2-15 CFH – Executive – 1994
- 2-16 Communications – Standing committee – 1991 – 1995
- 2-17 Congress of Social Science – 1994-1995
- 2-18 Data Liberation Initiative – 1993-1994
- 2-19 Elections – 1990-1995
- 2-20 Electronic Futures – 1994
- 2-21 Environment – Conference – 1992 – 1994
- 2-22 Ethics Decision Making – 1995
- 2-23 Financial Committee – Standing – 1994-1995

- 2-24 Fraud and Misconduct – 1994
- 2-25 Freeman-NRC – 1993
- 2-26 Friends of the Federation – 1993 - 1994
- 2-27 General Assembly – [n.d.]
- 2-28 Guide for S.S. - 1993
- 2-29 Harold Adams Innis – 1992 - 1993
- 2-30 Interdisciplinarity – 1993 - 1994
- 2-31 Journals, Academic - 1994
- 2-32 Learneds, misc. and others - 1994
- 2-33 Letters, President's – Miscellaneous – 1993 - 1994
- 2-34 Lobbying – Government – 1994 - 1995
- 2-35 Medical Research Council – 1992-1994
- 2-36 Membership – 1990 - 1994
- 2-37 Merger with CFH - 1995
- 2-38 Museum of Civilization – [n.d]
- 2-39 NRT + Taskforce - 1994
- 2-40 The Presses – 1993-1994

- Box 3
- 3-1 Prime Minister and MP's – 1989-1994
- 3-2 Professional Institute Judging - 1994

- 3-3 Public Awareness of S.S. - 1991-1995
- 3-4 Research Profiles - 1994
- 3-5 Royal Boards of Univ. - 1994
- 3-6 Royal Society - 1993
- 3-7 Science and Technology - 1990-1995
- 3-8 Science and Technology – Consultation - 1994
- 3-9 Science and Technology – Consultation - 1994
- 3-10 SSHRC – Relations I - 1990-1994
- 3-11 SSHRC – Relations II - 1991-1994
- 3-12 SSHRC Presidency/Council - 1994
- 3-13 STAFF - 1994-1995
- 3-14 Strategic Planning – Retreat - 1994
- 3-15 Tri-Council Issues - 1994
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- 3-17 “Update” Publication - 1989-1996
- 3-18 Violence Panel - 1993-1994
- 3-19 Women’s Issues Network - 1992-1995