

Donald MacKay fonds

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Fonds Description

Donald MacKay fonds. – 1882-1983; predominant 1943-1983

76 cm of textual records and published materials.

9 photographs: b&w; 20.5 x 25.5 or smaller.

2 scrapbooks.

Biographical Sketch

Donald Copeland Gibson MacKay was born in Barrie, Ontario and completed a B.A. (1929) and M.A. (1930) at Queen's University and his Pd.D. at Stanford University (1934). Mackay then taught marine studies in zoology at the University of Connecticut, Stanford University and the University of Hawaii. He then served as assistant director of the International Pacific Salmon Fisheries Commission (1943-1946). MacKay joined UBC's Dept. of Zoology in 1946 and the following year moved to the Dept. of Philosophy and Psychology as an assistant professor of Psychology. He remained in the department until his retirement in 1970. MacKay was also active in foreign student affairs through the International House on campus. He sat on the Vancouver International House Board of Directors and also served on the Board of Trustees for the International House Association, Inc. in the late 1950s and early 1960s.

Scope and Content

Fonds consists of records of the Vancouver International House Board of Directors (1955-1960) and the Board of Trustees of International House Association (1953-1963) as well as assorted printed material generated by International House. The collection also includes a scrapbook of early advertising memorabilia, a history of the Dept. of Psychology at UBC, collected material pertaining to the Axis powers during World War II and an unidentified diary.

Notes

File list available.

Series Descriptions

International House series. - 1885-1964; predominant 1928-1964.

64 cm of textual records.

7 photographs: b&w; 20.5 x 25.5 cm.

1 scrapbook.

Series consists of minutes of meetings, correspondence, photographs, reports, brochures, newsletters, printed material, and a scrapbook pertaining to the activities of International House, Vancouver, the B.C. Chapter of the International House Association, and the International House Association, Inc.

UBC Psychology Department. - 1960-1983.

3 cm of textual records.

2 photographs: b&w; 7.5 x 12.5 cm.

Series consists of correspondence and memoranda pertaining to MacKay's role within the Department of Psychology. Series also includes a departmental history with photographs.

Axis Power - World War II series. - 1882-19--.

9 cm of textual records and published materials.

1 scrapbook.

Series consists of clippings, publications, cartoons, and a scrapbook collected by MacKay and pertaining the Axis powers during World War II. Series also includes an unidentified diary (1882) found by MacKay in 1931 in an abandoned building in Iceberg Bay, B.C

File List

BOX 1

INTERNATIONAL HOUSE

International House - Vancouver

- 1-1 Constitution
- 1-2 Board of Directors - Minutes (1955-1956)
- 1-3 Board of Directors - Misc. Records - Correspondence, Minutes (1955-1960)
- 1-4 Board of Directors - Executive Comm. - Minutes (1955-1960)
- 1-5 Photographs - Sod Turning for International House (1958)
- 1-6 Opening Ceremonies Committee - Correspondence, Programs, Minutes (1959)
- 1-7 Fundraising Comm. - Correspondence, Reports (1961/62)
- 1-8 Report - Role of the Vancouver Rotary Club in the Establishment of the International House at UBC
- 1-9 Correspondence (1956-1959)
- 1-10 Brochures

International House Association - B.C. Chapter

- 1-11 Brochures (1957-1964)

International House Association, Inc.

- 1-12 Board of Trustees - Annual Reports, Minutes (1953-1956)
- 1-13 Board of Trustees - Annual Reports, Minutes (1956-1960)

- 1-14 Board of Trustees - Executive Committee - Minutes (1955-1960)
- 1-15 Board of Trustees - Membership Lists (1954-1960)
- 1-16 Correspondence (1953-1960)
- 1-17 International House Association "Newsletter" (1953-1955)
- 1-18 "International House Quarterly" (1954-1955)
- 1-19 International House - Chicago - Printed Material
- 1-20 International House - Japan - Printed Material
- 1-21 International House - Printed Material

BOX 2

- 2-1 Scrapbook of Early Advertising Memorabilia (1895-1900)

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BOX 3

UBC DEPARTMENT OF PSYCHOLOGY

- 3-1 Departmental History with photographs
- 3-2 Correspondence (1969-1982)
- 3-3 Correspondence and Memos (1960-1983)
- 3-4 Dept. of Psychology - Queen's University

INTERNATIONAL HOUSE (cont.)

- 3-5 Correspondence and Memos Re: Fundraising (1957-1962)

- 3-6 Correspondence, Memos, Agenda for Opening Ceremonies (1959)
- 3-7 Program, Clipping Re: Opening (1959)
- 3-8 Pamphlets, Clippings, Drawing (1955-1960)
- 3-9 Library
- 3-10 Board of Directors - Correspondence and Memos (1956-1963)
- 3-11 Board of Directors - Reports, Minutes, Agendas
- 3-12 Activities, Reports
- 3-13 KVOS Bellingham (1956-1958)
- 3-14 International House Association - Reports, Minutes, Agendas (1954-1963)
- 3-15 International House Association - Reports, Minutes, Agendas (1954-1963)
- 3-16 International House Association - Correspondence and Memos (1955-1962)
- 3-17 International House Association - Publications
- 3-18 History
- BOX 4
- 4-1 International Quarterly (1943-1952)
- 4-2 Photographs
- 4-3 Oversize Photographs
- 4-4 Museum Notes, Museum and Art Notes (1928-1931)

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AXIS POWER - WORLD WAR II

- 4-5 Clippings
- 4-6 Publications
- 4-7 Scrapbook
- 4-8 Cartoons
- 4-9 Diary found by D. MacKay (1931) in an abandoned building in Iceberg Bay, B.C.

INTERNATIONAL HOUSE

- 4-10 Minutes, Correspondence, Reports (1957-1963)
- 4-11 Printed Material - Publications, brochures, etc.