

John Neill fonds

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Fonds Description

John W. Neill fonds. – 1949-1975.

26 cm of textual records.

Biographical Sketch

John Wesley Neill was born in Salford, Ontario in 1916. He earned a B.S.A. from the Ontario Agricultural College in 1938. Neill came to the University of British Columbia in 1949 succeeding Frank Buck as supervisor of Campus Development. He was made an assistant professor in the Department of Horticulture. In 1980, he became the Director of the Landscape Architecture program.

Scope and Content

Fonds consists of materials generated by various university committees (1949-73) relating broadly to campus development. Topics include, botanical garden policy, buildings and grounds, campus development and planning, landscape development, totem poles and university housing.

File List

BOX 1

- 1-1 President's Advisory Committee on Botanical Garden Policy (1949-62)
- 1-2 President's Committee on Buildings and Grounds (1949-58)
- 1-3 President's Committee on Campus Development and Planning - Subcommittee on Landscaping (1958-62)
- 1-4 Faculty Association Committee on the Environment – University Endowment Lands (1973)
- 1-5 Committee on Campus Planning (1962)
- 1-6 Committee on Landscape Development (1963-65)
- 1-7 President's Advisory Committee - Landscape Architecture (1972-75)
- 1-8 Subcommittee of the Academic Committee on Landscape Development (1965-70)
- 1-9 President's Committee on Totem Poles (1952-62)
- 1-10 Committee of the School of Physical Education on Playing Field Requirements (1954-71)
- 1-11 President's Committee on Development Plan for the University (1949-54)
- 1-12 President's Committee on Development Plan for the University (1955-58)
- 1-13 President's Subcommittee on Campus Layout (1951-55)
- 1-14 President's Committee on Campus Development and Planning - Subcommittee on Campus Aesthetics (1960-62)

BOX 2

- 2-1 Buildings and Grounds Executive Committee (1954-58)

- 2-2 Committee on Policy Governing Permanent Building Program (1960-62)
- 2-3 Committee on Policy Governing Permanent Building Program (1953-58)
- 2-4 Subcommittee on Parking / Subcommittee on Traffic (1951-62)
- 2-5 MacInnes Memorial Field (1955)
- 2-6 President's Committee on Utilization and Drainage of the Land under the Jurisdiction of the Faculty of Agriculture (1950-61)
- 2-7 President's Committee on University Housing (1954-57)
- 2-8 President's Committee on University Housing (1950-53)