



Guide to the Dean of Women's Office Records, 1923-1973

Title

Dean of Women's Office Records (RG 057)

Dates

1923-1973 (inclusive)

Creator

Oregon State University. Dean of Women.

Summary

The Dean of Women's Office Records document the administrative activities of the office, the student programs that it coordinated, and committee activities of the Dean of Women at Oregon State University. The Dean of Women's Office was established at Oregon Agricultural College in 1911 and was charged with the general welfare of the college's female students. In 1969 the Dean of Women's title was changed to Assistant Dean of Students.

Quantity

0.02 cubic feet (1 box) and 6 microfilm reels

Restrictions on Access

Collection is open for research.

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Historical Note

The Dean of Women's office was established in 1911 with responsibility for the general welfare of the college's female students. Anna Zoe Crayne was the first Dean. Kate M. Jameson, Dean of Women from 1924-1941, added many programs to the purview of the office, including the Associated Women Students, Mortar Board, and other honorary societies. The office provided housing and employment services, helped to coordinate social and activity programs, and counseled students "on matters of general and personal welfare." In 1962 the Dean of Women was placed under the new position of Dean of Students, and in 1969 the Dean of Women's title was changed to Assistant Dean of Students.

Arrangement

Organized into 18 series.

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Preferred Citation

Dean of Women's Office Records (RG 57), Oregon State University Archives, Corvallis, Oregon.

Related Material

Dean of Women's Office photographs are available in Photograph Group 97. Other materials pertaining to the Dean of Women's Office are in the Student Affairs Records (RG 102) and Photographs (P 182). The Archives holdings also include the Dean of Men's Office Records (RG 134).

Subjects

This collection is indexed under the following headings in the OSU Libraries Catalog. Researchers desiring materials about related topics, persons, or places should search the catalog (<http://oasis.oregonstate.edu>) using these headings.

Topics

Deans of women-- Oregon.

Greek letter societies--Oregon--Corvallis.

Women--Education (Higher)--Oregon--Corvallis.

Other Creators

Jameson, Kate W.

Series Outline

Series I. President's Notebook, House President's Council

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Series III. Panhellenic, 1963

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Series XIIa. Phrateres - grades

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Detailed Description of the Collection

Reel

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Series VI. Talons

1.1 Correspondence, 1957

1.2 Minutes, 1957-1964

1.3 Miscellaneous (Constitution, Reports, Membership lists)

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1 **Series VII. Alpha Lambda Delta, 1957-1963**

Reel

1 **Series VIII. Accounting methods**

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1 **Series IX. General file, clippings, scrapbook, programs, 1925-1964**

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1 **Series X. Mother's Weekend, 1925-1960**

Reel**Series XI. Sorority Grades, 1923-1962**

- 2.1 Alpha Chi Omega
- 2.2 Alpha Delta Pi
- 2.3 Alpha Gamma Delta
- 2.4 Alpha Omnicron Pi
- 2.5 Alpha Phi
- 2.6 Alpha Xi Delta
- 2.7 Chi Omega
- 2.8 Delta Delta Delta
- 2.9 Delta Gamma
- 2.10 Delta Zeta
- 3.11 Kappa Alpha Theta
- 3.12 Gamma Phi Beta
- 3.13 Kappa Delta
- 3.14 Pi Beta Phi
- 3.15 Kappa Kappa Gamma
- 3.16 Sigma Kappa
- 3.17 Zeta Tau Alpha

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3 and **Series XIIa. Phrateres - grades**

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Series XIIb. Women's living groups other than sororities, 1923-1962

1923-1962

- 3.1 Azalea House
- 3.2 Coed Cottage
- 3.3 Heather Rae
- 3.4 Jameson House
- 3.5 The Pines
- 3.6 Old Co-ops
- 3.7 Winston House

- 3.8 Buxton
- 3.9 Cauthorn
- 3.10 Hawley
- 4.11 Sackett A
- 4.12 Sackett B
- 4.13 Sackett C
- 4.14 Sackett D
- 4.15 Snell Hall
- 4.16 Waldo
- 4.17 West

1931-1955

- 5.1 Waldo Hall (East and West)
- 5.2 Azalea House
- 5.3 Sackett B
- 5.4 Sackett C
- 5.5 Sackett D
- 5.6 Sackett A
- 5.7 Heather Rae
- 5.8 Winston House
- 5.9 Jameson House
- 5.10 The Pines

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- 4 **Series XIII. Student Body grade averages**

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- 4 Budget, 1945-1956
- 4 Minutes, 1945-1952
- 4 Membership Lists, 1947-1956
- 1 Scholarship Winners, 1949/1950-1972/1973

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- 4 **Series XV. Beaver Preview, 1954-1957 1960-1962**

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- 4 **Series XVI. Sponsors in Residence Halls - Sponsor Evaluation, 1955-1956**

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- 6 **Series XVII. Phrateres, Records, 1948-1961**

National and Northwest Conventions of Phrateres

- 6.1 National Convention, June 1941
- 6.2 National Convention, April 1939
- 6.3 Northwest Conference, March 1938
 - 6.4 Expansion Report
 - 6.5 Annual Reports

- 6.6 Constitution of National
Proceedings of Chapter Meetings and Official Handbook of Phrateres
- 6.1 Handbook of Phrateres International
- 6.2 Minutes, 1926-1930 1951-1955 1958-1961
- 6.3 Phrateres Initiations and Pledges

Series XVIII. Hostess Conferences, Phrateres, 1940-1963