

# Guide to the William F. Harrah College of Hospitality Records

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## **Summary Information**

**Repository:** University of Nevada, Las Vegas. University Libraries. Special

Collections and Archives.

**Creator:** University of Nevada, Las Vegas. William F. Harrah College of

**Hotel Administration** 

**Title:** William F. Harrah College of Hospitality Records

**ID:** UA-00034

**Date [inclusive]:** 1970 to 2016

Physical

1.98 Cubic Feet (5 boxes)

**Description:** 

**Physical** 1.83 Linear Feet

**Description:** 

Language of the

English

Material: Abstract:

The William F. Harrah College of Hospitality Records (1970-2016) contain documents pertaining to the College of Hospitality at the University of Nevada, Las Vegas. Materials include student projects, manuscript drafts by Jerome (Jerry) Vallen, brochures and promotional material, newsletters, and magazines. Also included are photographs of casino and hospitality industry workers and hospitality related events. Also included are publicity photographs of entertainers as well as models and showgirls in beauty pageants and at casinos. It is presumed that these photographs werey used for creating *Premier: The Magazine of the UNLV Harrah College of Hospitality*.

#### **Preferred Citation**

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#### **Scope and Contents Note**

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#### Arrangement

Materials remain as they were received.

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## **Administrative Information**

#### **Access Note**

Collection is open for research.

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## **Acquisition Note**

Materials were periodically transferred to the University Archives; accession numbers 2021-017 and 2023-047.

#### **Appraisal Note**

Acquired by Visual Materials Curator, Aaron Mayes, as part of UNLV Special Collections and Archives holdings on hospitality and UNLV history. The original acquisition included one folder of Abbott and Costello publicity material that were removed due to being out of scope with UNLV Special Collections and Archives' collecting areas. Staff removed these materials and securely disposed them in 2023.

## **Processing Note**

These records are unprocessed. In 2021, Sarah Jones wrote a summary of the materials and created the finding aid in ArchivesSpace. In 2023, Tammi Kim rehoused the 2023 addition and updated the finding aid.

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#### **Related Materials**

#### **Related Collections**

The following resource may provide additional information related to the materials in this collection:

Florence and Jerry Vallen Faculty Papers, approximately 1935-2017. UA-00100. Special Collections and Archives, University Libraries, University of Nevada, Las Vegas. Las Vegas, Nevada.

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#### **Names and Subjects**

- Hospitality industry
- Hotel management
- photographs
- William F. Harrah College of Hospitality (University of Nevada, Las Vegas)
- University of Nevada, Las Vegas -- History

# **Collection Inventory**

Title/Description	Containers
Manuscript draft of <i>Check-In Check-Out</i> by Jerome Vallen and college information, approximately 1970 to 1980	box 01
College of Hospitality memoranda, brochures, newsletters, and various documents, approximately 1972 to 2000	box 02
Premier magazine, 2010 Singapore campus graduation ceremony program and invitation, 2005 to 2015	box 03

HOA 382 Fall travel projects and Hospitality Hall groundbreaking ceremony commemorative wine glass, 1992, 2016	box 04
Photographs of hospitality and casino employees and events in Las Vegas, NV used for <i>Premier</i> magazine, approximately 2002 to 2006	box 05
Reserve Hotel and Casino exteriors and interiors views photographic slides presumably used for <i>Premier</i> magazine, approximately 1998 to 2001	box 05
Photographic architectural renderings of Mandalay Bay, Caesars Palace, Paris Hotel and Casino, and Sunset Station presumably used for <i>Premier</i> magazine, approximately 2002 to 2006	box 05
Olympiad Race and Sports Book at Caesars Palace photographic prints presumably used for <i>Premier</i> magazine, approximately 1970 to 1979	box 05
Publicity photographs of entertainers, beauty pageants, models, and showgirls in Las Vegas, Nevada presumably used for <i>Premier</i> magazine, 1970 to 2000	box 05