



Guide to the UNLV Libraries Collection of UNLV Campus Architectural Drawings and Photographs

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Summary Information

Repository:	University of Nevada, Las Vegas. University Libraries. Special Collections and Archives.
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Abstract:	UNLV Libraries Collection of UNLV Campus Architectural Drawings and Photographs (1959-2006) is comprised of drawings and photographs of the UNLV main campus on Maryland Parkway and its constituent buildings. The collection also includes one CAD drawing of UNLV's campus, and architectural plans for the proposed College of Architecture building. The collection also includes proposed renderings of campus buildings including Frank and Estella Beam Hall, Artemus W. Ham Hall, and the Richard Tam Alumni Center.

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Historical Background

The University of Nevada, Las Vegas (UNLV) is a public research university located in Las Vegas, Nevada. UNLV was officially founded in 1954 as the Southern Division of the University of Nevada. The first building constructed on campus was Maude Frazier Hall, which was completed in 1957. Prior to its construction, courses were held in classrooms of Las Vegas High School. As of December 2019, UNLV operates in 128 buildings on several campuses located throughout Las Vegas, Nevada.

Source:

University of Nevada, Las Vegas. Building Directory. Last modified 2019. <https://www.unlv.edu/maps/buildings/list>.

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Arrangement

Materials are arranged by topic.

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Administrative Information

Access Note

Collection is open for research. Arrangements must be made in advance to access digital files; please contact UNLV Special Collections and Archives for additional information.

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Acquisition Note

Materials were transferred to the University Libraries periodically; accession number 2019-152, 2022-097.

Processing Note

In 2019, as part of an archival backlog elimination project, Joseph Puentes rehoused and arranged materials, wrote the finding aid, and entered the data into ArchivesSpace. In 2020, Jimmy Chang added additional materials to the collection. In 2022, Tammi Kim transferred files off of one optical disc and added the description to the finding aid. No access copies were created. In 2022, Sarah Jones added 6 rolls of architectural plans.

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Names and Subjects

- Architectural drawings (visual works)
- Aerial photographs
- photographs
- University and college buildings
- University of Nevada, Las Vegas -- History
- University of Nevada, Las Vegas. School of Architecture
- University of Nevada, Las Vegas. Architecture Studies Library

Collection Inventory

Title/Description	Containers
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University of Nevada, Las Vegas (UNLV) campus maps, 1968 to 1987	oversized box 01
Conceptual renderings of proposed projects, approximately 1980 to 1987	oversized box 01
Aerial views of the UNLV campus: photographic prints and negatives, 1989 to 2006	oversized box 01
UNLV main campus drawings; land acquisition documents for Nevada Southern University; Judy Bayley Theatre seating chart; Artemus W. Ham Concert Hall seating chart, 1968 to 2001	oversized box 01
UNLV and Nevada Southern University aerial photographs, 1959 to 1994	oversized box 01
UNLV Campus Plan, Arch-12, 1999 Physical Description: 3 Digital Files (.DWG)	digital file 00
University of Nevada, Las Vegas Architecture Library furniture layout for first and second floors, 1996 November 06	roll 07
General development plans for the University of Nevada, Las Vegas campus, 1962 July 25 Physical Description: 3 Sheets	roll 07
College of Architecture, Construction Management, and Planning record set SPWB Project No. 91-D12, 1997 to 1998	roll 02 roll 03 roll 04 roll 05 roll 06