

Guide to the Christian Giovanni Papers

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Summary Information

Repository:	University of Nevada, Las Vegas. University Libraries. Special Collections and Archives.
Collector:	Giovanni, Christian
Creator:	Sawyer, Oywan
Title:	Christian Giovanni Papers
ID:	MS-01215
Date [inclusive]:	2008 to 2018
Physical Description:	0.10 Cubic Feet (2 folders (shared boxes))
Physical Description:	0.10 Linear Feet
Language of the Material:	English
Abstract:	The Christian Giovanni Papers (2008-2018) consists of photographs, documents, and proclamations recognizing Oywan Sawyer for her work in the Thai community of Las Vegas, Nevada. The photographs are of Sawyer and Giovanni with former mayor Oscar Goodman during various award ceremonies.

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

Donated by Christian Giovanni in 2025; accession number 2025-070.

Appraisal

Acquired by curator Su Kim Chung as part of UNLV Special Collections and Archives holdings on the Asian American and Pacific Islander (AAPI) community in Southern Nevada.

Processing Note

In 2025, Landon Paljusaj accessioned the collection. Sarah Jones rehoused the material and wrote the finding aid in ArchivesSpace.

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Related Materials

Related Collections

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

Christian Giovanni oral history interview, 2022 May 17. OH-03853. [Cite format consulted: Audio recording or Transcript.] Oral History Research Center, Special Collections and Archives, University Libraries, University of Nevada, Las Vegas. Las Vegas, Nevada. <http://n2t.net/ark:/62930/f1xv1g>

Separated Materials

Five boxes of *Las Vegas Thai News* that were acquired as part of this collection have been separated and described individually in the [University Libraries' catalog](#).

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Names and Subjects

- Thais
- Buddhism
- Awards
- Community activists -- Las Vegas (Nev.)
- Las Vegas News (Thai newspaper)

Collection Inventory

Title/Description	Containers	
Proclamations and awards acknowledging Oywan Sawyer's contributions to the Las Vegas Thai community, 2008 to 2018	oversized box	flat file 01
	SH-086	
Photographs of Christian Giovanni and Oywan Sawyer with Oscar Goodman at award ceremonies, approximately 2012 to 2018	box	folder
	SH-087	02

oversized	flat file
box	01
SH-086	

box	folder
SH-087	02