



## Guide to the Jim Gans oral history interview

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## Summary Information

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<b>Repository:</b>	University of Nevada, Las Vegas. University Libraries. Special Collections and Archives.
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## Scope and Contents Note

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Oral history interview with Jim Gans conducted by Claytee D. White on January 30, 2013 for the Boyer Early Las Vegas Oral History Project. Gans discusses working as an electrician and attending the Aviation Academy in Reno, Nevada and then as a flight instructor there. He also discusses moving back to Las Vegas, Nevada and working in measuring radioactivity from nuclear testing and then in safety and as a trainer at Central Telephone and at Southwest Gas. Gans then discusses working at the Clark County Sanitation District and at the Las Vegas Convention and Visitors Authority as a vice president there. Digital audio and transcript available.

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## Names and Subjects

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- Oral histories (document genres)
- Las Vegas (Nev.)
- Nuclear weapons -- Testing
- Electricians
- Sewage