

Guide to the Tyrone Levi oral history interview

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Summary Information

Repository:	University of Nevada, Las Vegas. University Libraries. Special Collections and Archives.
Contributor:	Ralph Roske Oral History Project on Early Las Vegas
Creator:	Levi, Tyrone K.
Title:	Tyrone Levi oral history interview
ID:	OH-03280
Date [inclusive]:	1970s
Physical Description:	0.01 Cubic Feet (1 folder)
Physical Description:	0.1 Linear Feet
Physical Description:	1 Digital Files (0.001 GB) JPG
Language of the Material:	English
Abstract:	Oral history interview with Tyrone Levi conducted by Veomia Hopkins on an unknown date in the 1970s for the Ralph Roske Oral History Project. Levi discusses the segregation African Americans faced in the areas of housing, education, and employment in Las Vegas, Nevada. He also talks about being the Director of State and Equal Rights Commission and a member of the Congressional Fellowship Program. Levi lastly recalls the above ground atomic tests and how Las Vegas, Nevada changed throughout his lifetime.

Preferred Citation

Tyrone Levi oral history interview. 1970s. OH-03280. [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.

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Acquisition Note

University of Nevada, Las Vegas History Professor Ralph Roske donated materials for this oral history project to UNLV Libraries Special Collections and Archives in the 1980s.

Processing Note

Interview materials were processed by UNLV Libraries Special Collections and Archives in 2018. Miguel Dominguez wrote the collection description. The transcript has been minimally reviewed and all readily available information has been included in the description.

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Names and Subjects

• Oral histories (document genres)

- Las Vegas (Nev.)
- Discrimination
- Segregation -- Nevada
- Atomic bomb -- Testing
- African Americans -- Las Vegas (Nev.)