

# Guide to the Toni Carter oral history interview

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# **Summary Information**

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

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**Creator:** Carter, Toni

**Contributor:** Las Vegas Women Oral History Project **Contributor:** Women's Research Institute of Nevada

**Title:** Toni Carter oral history interview

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**Description:** 

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Material:

**Abstract:** Oral history interview with Toni Carter conducted by Irene

Rostine on March 06, 1992 for the Women's Research Institute of Nevada (WRIN) Las Vegas Women Oral History Project. Carter discusses working as a researcher for Basic Magnesium Inc. in Henderson, Nevada during World War II. Carter then talks about being laid off after the war, but returning to work for the plant when management changed. Carter describes her research in working to create combustible formulas for incendiary

bombs. Carter also talks briefly about working conditions for

researchers.

#### **Preferred Citation**

Toni Carter oral history interview, 1992 March 06. OH-03482. [Cite format consulted: Audio recording or Transcript.] Oral History Research Center, Special Collections and Archives, University Libraries, University of Nevada, Las Vegas, Nevada.

## **Scope and Contents Note**

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## **Acquisition Note**

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### **Processing Note**

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#### **Related Materials**

#### **Related Collections**

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

Women's Research Institute of Nevada Oral History Records, 1995-2015. UA-00084. Special Collections and Archives, University Libraries, University of Nevada, Las Vegas. Las Vegas, Nevada.

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## **Names and Subjects**

- Oral histories (document genres)
- Women scientists
- World War, 1939-1945
- Basic Magnesium, Inc.