

Guide to the Yazmin Beltran oral history interview

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Summary Information

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Names and Subjects

- Oral histories (document genres)
- Las Vegas (Nev.)
- Mexican Americans
- Journalism
- Emigration and immigration
- Political activism -- Nevada
- El Mundo (Las Vegas, Nev.)
- El Tiempo (Las Vegas, Nev.)
- Univisión (Television network)
- The Nevada Independent