

Guide to the Carmen Mahan oral history interview

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Summary Information

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Description:

Language of the

This interview was conducted in Spanish. The transcript is in

Material: both English and Spanish.

Abstract: Oral history interview with Carmen Mahan conducted by

Nathalie Martinez and Barbara Tabach on November 18, 2019 and August 19, 2020 for the Latinx Voices of Southern Nevada Oral History Project. Carmen discusses her personal history growing up in Barranquilla, Colombia and her professional aspirations in her present work; she is the founder of the Colombian Association of Nevada, a former member of the Professional Latina Women organization in Las Vegas, and has worked with Senator Harry Reid as a representative of the Colombian community related to voting rights and access. Subjects discussed include: Colombian Association of Nevada;

National Hispanic Leadership Summit

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