



Guide to the University of Nevada, Las Vegas Mathematical Sciences Department Records

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Summary Information

Repository:	University of Nevada, Las Vegas. University Libraries. Special Collections and Archives.
Creator:	University of Nevada, Las Vegas. Department of Mathematical Sciences
Title:	University of Nevada, Las Vegas Mathematical Sciences Department Records
ID:	UA-00020
Date [inclusive]:	2007-2010
Physical Description:	0.37 Cubic Feet (1 box)
Physical Description:	0.42 Linear Feet
Physical Description:	1 Digital Files (0.029 GB) MP3
Physical Location:	Box 01 is stored in the Lied Automated Storage and Retrieval Unit (LASR). Advanced notice may be required to access the materials.
Language of the Material:	English
Abstract:	Records are comprised of the University of Nevada, Las Vegas (UNLV) Mathematical Sciences Department graduate student essays from 2007 to 2010. The essays were compiled for a work called, "A History of the Mathematical Sciences Department." The essays cover multiple topics ranging from classes taught to the percentage of women professors in the department.

Preferred Citation

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Historical Background

The Mathematical Sciences Department at the University of Nevada, Las Vegas (UNLV) helps students along paths leading to branches of science and technology as well as to mathematical specializations. The program prepares students for work in business, government, and

educational institutes. Mathematical sciences is a broad term that includes, in addition to areas of mathematics, those academic disciplines that are primarily mathematical in nature but may not be universally considered subfields of mathematics proper.

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Scope and Contents Note

Records are comprised of the University of Nevada, Las Vegas (UNLV) Mathematical Sciences Department graduate student essays from 2007 to 2010. The essays were compiled for a work called, "A History of the Mathematical Department." The essays cover multiple topics ranging from classes taught to the percentage of women professors in the department. The project was started to celebrate UNLV's fiftieth anniversary. Also included is an audio file on the history of the Mathematics department which is narrated by Samuel Hansen. The records document the establishment of the Mathematical Sciences Department at UNLV as well as how the department was run.

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Arrangement

Materials remain in original order.

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Administrative Information

Access Note

Collection is open for research.

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Acquisition Note

Materials were transferred to the University Archives by the Mathematical Sciences Department; accession number 2017-046.

Processing Note

These records are unprocessed. A rough inventory of the accession was created by Maggie Bukowski in 2017. To prepare the inventory, the described materials were reviewed to create a contents list, estimate dates, and identify material types. No other work has been performed on the materials. In 2020, Karla Irwin processed one optical disc and converted the audio file to an access copy.

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Names and Subjects

- University of Nevada, Las Vegas -- History

Collection Inventory

Title/Description	Containers
"A History of the Mathematical Department" essay topics including: histories of classes taught, professor backgrounds, evolution of the department, and statistical information, 2007-2010	box 01
History of the UNLV Mathematics Department by Samuel Hansen: audio file, approximately 2007 to 2010	digital file 00