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Institution: Shorefront Legacy Center

Collection Title: Northwestern University African American Publications collection

Date Span: 1893-2009

Extent: .5 Linear feet

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Related Collections:

Abstract:

Founded in 1851 in Evanston, Illinois, Northwestern University is a private research university. Through pioneering research and a collaborative work environment, Northwestern offers its diverse student body an array of academic and cultural opportunities. The Northwestern University African American Publications collection documents the history of African Americans at the university as detailed in the school's own publications. It includes pamphlets, newspaper clippings, catalogues, guides, and research files documenting the Northwestern's African American student experiences and resources.

Historical Note:

Northwestern University is a private research university that was founded in 1851 in Evanston, Illinois. Through pioneering research and a collaborative work environment, Northwestern offers its diverse student body an array of academic and cultural opportunities including access to unique resources as well as social and fraternal organizations.

Cited Sources:

Northwestern University, "General Information: Northwestern University." Accessed July 19, 2012. <http://www.northwestern.edu/about/northwestern-at-a-glance/index.html>.

Scope and Content Note:

The Northwestern University African American Publications collection is organized into three series: "Publications," "Manuscripts," and "Research Files." It includes pamphlets, newspaper clippings, catalogues, guides, and research files documenting the African American experience at Northwestern University.

Access Headings:

African American history.

African Americans--Illinois--Evanston.

Fraternal organizations

History--Societies, etc.

Northwestern University (Evanston, Ill.)

Northwestern University (Evanston, Ill.). African-American Student Affairs



Northwestern University (Evanston, Ill.)--History.
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Container List:

Series I. Publications, 1971-2008

This series is comprised of publications produced by Northwestern University relating to African American organizations, culture, and news at the university.

Box	Folder	Title	Date
1	1	Alpha Kappa Alpha	1999-2001
	2	<i>The Blackboard</i>	1971-1997
	3	<i>Continuum</i>	n.d.
	4	Garrett-Evangelical Theological Society	1987
	5	<i>Northwestern</i>	2001-2009
	6	<i>Voices and Visions</i> (Moved to "FMO Publication")	2006-2008

Series II. Manuscripts, n.d.

This series contains a manuscript produced Northwestern University describing the academic and lifestyle opportunities for African Americans at the university.

Box	Folder	Title	Date
1	7	"Being Black at Northwestern"	n.d.

Series III. Research Files, 1893-2006

This series is composed of materials produced by Northwestern University related to resources, events, and history concerning the African American experience at the university.

Box	Folder	Title	Date
1	8	African Americans at Northwestern	1893-1941
	9	African American Related Events Newspaper Clippings	1901-2006
	10	African American Resources at Northwestern	1999-2009
	11	African American Student Affairs	1975-2001
	12	Alpha Kappa Alpha	2003

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