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**John R. Pancella Collection, 1949-1953  
Manuscript Group 96**

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**1 box; 1.5 linear feet**

**Scope and Content**

The collection contains newspaper articles, photographs, programs, and certificates. The focus of the collection is on the Indiana Sesquicentennial celebration (1953) and Indiana State Teachers College (IUP) Homecoming events during the 1940s and 1950s. Other ISTC memorabilia in the collection include commencement programs and information about fraternities.

**Provenance**

This collection was donated by John R. Pancella.

**Restrictions**

None. This collection is open for research.

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**Processor**

Revision and rearrangement for the encoded version of the finding aid provided by Jason Hutchins on December 7, 2001; and the collection finding aid was modernized by Harrison Wick in 2014.

**Container List**

**Box 1**

**Series I**

1. Indiana State Teachers College Student Directories, 1949-1950, 1950-1951, 1951-1952
2. ISTC Quartermaster ROTC Summer Camp Review 1952
3. ISTC Commencement Program, May 22-25, 1953
4. Souvenirs from Indiana Sesquicentennial, June 28-July 4, 1953
5. ISTC Publication *Alphian*, 1950-1953
6. ISTC Publication *Inkiana Ink*, April 1, 1952
7. Pledge Certificate, Souvenir Dance Programs, Alumni Luncheon Program, Letter, Felt Badge from Girl Scouts
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**Series II Photographs**

15. Camp Seph Mack/Boy Scout Camp near Indiana, 1952
16. ISTC (old) Leonard Hall Fire Damage and Demolition, April 1952 (also see [Record Group 81 IUP Photographs](#): Buildings and Grounds – Leonard Hall)
17. ISTC Campus Buildings, Fall 1949
18. ISTC Homecoming Floats and Freshmen Hazing, 1952
19. ISTC Homecoming Parade, Floats, Marching Band, Fall 1949
20. Phi Alpha Zeta Fraternity Formals, Dance Parties, Picnic at ISTC, 1950-1953