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Scope and Content Note

This collection contains brochures, guides, publications, and information from Special Events and Programs. This includes anniversaries including the 25th anniversary of Indiana State Normal School (ISNS) in 1900; the 50th anniversary of ISNS in 1925; the 75th anniversary of Indiana State Teachers College in 1950; the Centennial of IUP in 1975; the 20th anniversary as IUP in 1985; the 25th anniversary as IUP in 1990; and the 125th anniversary of IUP's founding in 2000.

Dedication programming can also be found in Record Group 4: Buildings and Grounds.

Foundation for IUP is in Record Group 66.

Campaigns for IUP can be found in Record Group 92.

University Advancement documentation is in Record Group 125.

Provenance

Unknown.

Restrictions

No restrictions.

Processed

This collection was processed in 2008. Summer 2009; finding aid updated.

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1. Anniversaries (only 50th Anniversary booklet is in this collection):
 - a. [25th Anniversary of Indiana State Normal School \(ISNS\), 1875-1900](#) from Record Group 53 Box 1 Folder 71
 - b. [50th Anniversary, ISNS, 1875-1925](#) (1924-1925) postcards
 - c. [75th Anniversary, History of Indiana, 1875-1950](#), Indiana State Teachers College Alumni News Bulletin, May 1950 (from Record Group 28)
2. Newspaper Articles about Indiana State College becoming Indiana University of Pennsylvania, 1965-1966
3. Photographs and Newspaper Articles from Convocation, 1965
4. Legislation for IUP: Report of the Creation of Indiana University of Pennsylvania, 1965-1966
5. Congratulatory Certificates: Indiana State College to IUP
6. Convocation Materials
7. Guest Book signed by guests of events and correspondence, 1966

Box 2 Re-designation of Indiana State College as IUP (University Status)

1. Organization of the new university (IUP)
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3. Organization and Administration of IUP
4. Plans for the Organization of IUP
5. Proposals for University Status for ISC
6. Presidential Statement on the condition of the University: Dr. John D. Welty, University President, January 31, 1990

Box 3 Project 1970s: Reports and Revisions

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 - b. Geoscience Department
 - c. Department of Chemistry
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 - a. Department of Educational Psychology
 - b. Geography Department
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7. Project 1970s: Department Reports
 - a. School of Health Services
 - b. Foreign Language Department including suggestions toward objectives for Spanish prepared by Isolde A. Henninger
 - c. School of Arts and Sciences
8. Project 1970s: Department Reports
 - a. English Department
 - b. School of Fine Arts
 - i. Art Department
 - ii. Music Department
 - iii. Future Departments: Theatre Arts; Dance; Visual Arts
 - c. Art and Art Education
 - d. Department of Criminology
 - e. Department of Economics
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 - a. School of Business
 - b. Business Management Department
 - c. Department of Business and Distributive Education
 - d. The Graduate School, Ten Year Plan, 1968-1978
 - e. History Department, 1970
10. Project 1970s: Department Reports
 - a. School of Home Economics
 - b. Institutional Food Service Department
 - c. Library Report

Box 4 Project 1970s: Reports and Revisions

1. Project 1970s: Department Reports
 - a. Physics Department
 - b. Political Science Department
 - c. Department of Psychology
 - d. Department of Sociology-Anthropology
 - e. Some reflections on role and program of IUP in recruitment and education for the Health Professions, 1969
2. Project 1970s: Revisions
 - a. New Program Proposals
3. Project 1970s: Department Reports
 - a. Revised Biology Department
 - b. Department of Chemistry, 1972
 - c. Computer Science Department, 1972
4. Project 1970s: Department Reports
 - a. Geoscience Department, 1972
 - b. Physics Department, revised
 - c. Mathematics Department
 - d. Department of Criminology, 1972
 - e. Department of Economics, 1972
 - f. Geography Department, 1972
5. Project 1970s: Department Reports
 - a. Department of History, 1972
 - b. Center for International Studies
 - c. Political Science Department, 1972
 - d. Political Science Department: new major in "Government and Public Service," 1972
 - e. Political Science Department: Community and Local Government Services Center, 1973-1974
6. Project 1970s: Department Reports
 - a. Department of Psychology, 1972
 - b. Music Therapy Program
 - c. Sociology-Anthropology Department, 1972
 - d. Social Work Program, 1972
 - e. School of Business, 1972
7. Project 1970s: Department Reports
 - a. School for the School of Continuing and Non-Resident Education, 1972
 - b. Armstrong Campus
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 - a. School of Fine Arts, 1972
 - b. Department of Art and Art Education, 1972
 - c. Music Department, 1972
 - d. The Graduate School, revision, 1971-1972
9. Project 1970s: Department Reports
 - a. School of Health Services, Dean's Report, 1972

- b. Department of Allied Health Professions
 - c. Men's Health and Physical Education Department
 - d. Health and Physical Education for Women, 1972
10. Project 1970s: Department Reports
- a. School of Arts and Sciences revision, priorities, 1972
 - b. Social Science Division, 1972
 - c. School of Business, 1972
 - d. School of Education, 1972
 - e. School of Health Services, 1972
 - f. School of Home Economics, 1972

Box 5 IUP Centennial: Video, 1975

1. Sony Video Tape for Helical Scan Video Recorders V-32: Centennial Convocation Ceremonies, No. 1
2. Sony Video Tape for Helical Scan Video Recorders V-32: Centennial Convocation Ceremonies, No. 2: Jimmy Stewart Speech
3. Sony Video Tape for Helical Scan Video Recorders V-32: Centennial Ceremonies, Dr. Walton, No. 1
4. Sony Video Tape for Helical Scan Video Recorders V-32: Centennial Ceremonies, Dr. Walton, No. 2

Box 6 IUP Centennial: Film and Video, 1975

1. 16mm Color Film, Roll No. 1
2. 16mm Color Film, Roll No. 2
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4. 16mm Color Film, Roll No. 7
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6. 16mm Color Film, Roll No. 11
7. Sony Video Cassette KCA 60 designed for Still Picture Reproduction: Centennial, No. 9
8. Sony Video Cassette KCA 60 designed for Still Picture Reproduction: Centennial, No. 10
9. Sony Video Cassette KCA 60 designed for Still Picture Reproduction: Centennial, No. 11
10. Sony Video Cassette KCA 60 designed for Still Picture Reproduction: Centennial, No. 12
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Box 7 IUP Centennial, 1975

1. Convocation Program, September 13, 1974
2. Convocation Programming, 1974-1975
3. Art Lecture
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5. Centennial Council, 1974-1975
6. Centennial Planning: Steering Committee, 1973-1974

7. Centennial Budget Committee, 1974-1975
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9. Centennial Resource Materials, 1967-1973
10. Centennial Suggestions, 1973-1974
11. Commencement, 1975

Box 8 IUP Centennial, 1975

1. Convocation Materials, 1973-1975
2. Speeches and Congratulations, 1974
 - a. Address by Dr. John E. Merryman, Professor of Foundations of Education, Centennial Convocation, September 13, 1974
 - b. Address by Dr. William W. Hassler, University President, September 13, 1974
 - c. James Stewart Speech
3. Centennial Committee: Coordinating Subcommittee, 1973-1974
4. Foundation Expenses, 1974-1975
5. Student Cooperative (Coop) Association Expenses, 1974-1975
6. Orientation Fund Expenses, 1975
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8. Fine Arts Committee, 1974-1975
9. Football Weekends, 1974-1975
10. Final Report of the Centennial Committee, 1975
11. Leonid Hambro Concert, July 16, 1974

Box 9 IUP Centennial, 1975

1. Centennial Multi-Media Exhibition, 1974
2. History Committee, 1973-1975
3. Lecture and Symposium Committee, 1973-1975
4. Committee Membership Lists, 1973-1975
5. Publicity and Promotion, 1973-1975 (1)
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7. Pittsburgh Symphony, 1973-1975 (1)
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Box 10 IUP Centennial, 1975

1. Souvenirs
2. Student Activities for Centennial
3. Supplies Requested for Centennial
4. Radio/ Television, Fred Waring
5. Waring Concert
6. Reminiscences, 1974-1975 (1)
7. Reminiscences, 1974-1975 (2)
8. Reflections

Box 11 IUP Centennial, 1975

1. Sony Video Tape for Helical Scan Video Recorders V-32: Centennial – Jimmy Stewart Press Conference, No. 1
2. Sony Video Tape for Helical Scan Video Recorders V-32: Centennial – Jimmy Stewart Press Conference, No. 2
3. Sony Video Tape for Helical Scan Video Recorders V-32: Centennial Convocation Luncheon
4. Sony Video Tape for Helical Scan Video Recorders V-32: Centennial – Jimmy Stewart Film Festival
5. Sony Video Tape for Helical Scan Video Recorders V-32: IUP Centennial – Sally Abrams, Class of 1922
6. IUP Scrapbook, 1875-1975 (4 copies)
7. Newspapers: 20th Anniversary as IUP, 1985 (2 copies)

Box 11A IUP Centennial, 1975 (RETRICTED)

Do Not Open until 2075: Centennial Time Capsule, 1975 (located in Stapleton Library Room 301)

Box 12IUP's 25th Anniversary and 125th Celebrations, 1990-2000

1. Proclamations and Congratulatory Correspondence, IUP 25th Anniversary Celebration, 1990
2. U.S. Congressional Record: Congratulations to Indiana University of Pennsylvania on the occasion of its 25th Anniversary Celebration, Honorable Joe Kolter, U.S. House of Representatives, October 22, 1990
3. 25th Anniversary Celebration, 1990-1991
4. 25th Anniversary as IUP Programs, 1965-1990 (1990)
 - a. 25 years as IUP, Annual Fund
 - b. 25th Anniversary Celebration Commemorative Booklet, John Sutton Hall, December 16, 1990
 - c. University Wind Ensemble – Jack Stamp, conductor
 - d. University Chorale – James Dearing, conductor; Carol Teti, organist
 - e. University Brass Ensemble – Gary Bird, conductor
 - f. University Jazz Ensemble – Kevin Eisensmith, conductor
 - g. University Symphony Orchestra – Melissa McBride, conductor
 - h. University Marching Band – Charles Casavant, director
5. 125th Anniversary Sampler CD, recorded at Heinz Hall, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, December 1998, 1875-1999 (1998)
6. 125th Anniversary, Indiana University of Pennsylvania, 1875-2000 (1999-2000)
 - a. Invitation from the President, Dr. Lawrence K. Pettit
 - b. Schedule of Events, September 1999 – June 2000
7. 125th Anniversary Programs, 1875-2000 (1999-2000)
 - a. Conference at IUP – [From Normal Schools to Universities: Power and Politics in Pennsylvania, A Historical Perspective](#), March 23-24, 2000
 - b. A 125th Anniversary Program, Indiana University of Pennsylvania, Friday, March 24, 2000
8. 125th Anniversary Memorabilia – Key Fob, 1875-2000 (1999-2000)
9. VHS Video Cassette Tape, IUP 25th Anniversary Dinner, 1990, Part 1
10. VHS Video Cassette Tape, IUP 25th Anniversary Dinner, 1990, Part 2 (2 copies)

Box 13 Events (3 folders and 1 item)**Folders**

1. Event Program: Governor's Awards for the Arts in Pennsylvania, Awards Ceremony in Fisher Auditorium, Sunday, September 28, 2014
2. Event Correspondence: Governor's Awards for the Arts in Pennsylvania, Awards Ceremony in Fisher Auditorium, Sunday, September 28, 2014
3. Legislative Fellow Luncheon, Kovalchick Convention and Athletic Complex – December 5, 2013

Memorabilia

4. Glass Mug: Governor's Awards for the Arts in Pennsylvania, Awards Ceremony in Fisher Auditorium, Sunday, September 28, 2014

Box 14 Coffee Mugs (8 items)

1. Sally B. Johnson Hall Dedication, March 21, 1986 (3 cups) off-white ceramic
2. Breezedale Alumni Conference Center Dedication, April 21, 1989 (3 cups) off-white ceramic with red lettering
3. Senior Luncheon (Nursing), 1988 (2 cups) clear glass with red lettering
4. IUP Student Union Dedication (Hadley Union Building), April 20, 1985 off-white ceramic
5. IUP Student Cooperative Association, 50th Anniversary, 1933-1983 off-white ceramic
6. IUP Culinary School at Punxsutawney Dedication, February 2, 1990 off-white ceramic
7. S.W. Jack Cogeneration Plant Dedication, March 18, 1988 off-white ceramic
8. Waller Hall Rededication, October 20, 1989 off-white ceramic

Box 15 Coffee Mugs (6 items)

1. Performing Arts Center, Fisher Auditorium (1939) and Waller Hall (1927), 2008 clear glass with etched lettering
2. Indiana University of Pennsylvania (IUP) Hawks (Crimson Hawks), dated 2009, red ceramic with white lettering
3. CCAC (Community College of Alleghany County) and IUP Collaborative Program, no date (red ceramic with white lettering)
4. Crimson Café, IUP Dining, August 22, 2014 (white ceramic with crimson and gray lettering) 2 mugs
5. Folger Dining Hall, IUP Dining, Grand Reopening, October 2, 2015 (white ceramic with crimson and gray lettering)
6. Coffee Mug, IUP Bear Mascot, no date (black ceramic with engraved white lettering)

Box 16 (12 items)

1. Paperweight (marble), Residential Revival, Phase I, May 11, 2006, a collaboration between the Foundation for IUP and Indiana University of Pennsylvania
2. Paperweight (marble), Residential Revival, Phase II, May 10, 2007, a partnership between the Foundation for IUP and Indiana University of Pennsylvania (4 items)
3. Paperweight (marble), Residential Revival, Phase III, May 8, 2008, a partnership between the Foundation for IUP and Indiana University of Pennsylvania (4 items)
4. Coaster (glass), Capital Campaign, Indiana University of Pennsylvania (IUP), 1987

5. Coaster (wood and brass), Eberly College of Business, Indiana University of Pennsylvania (IUP), April 17, 1996 (building dedication)
6. Keychain (in box), IUP, 125 Years, 1875-2000 (3 items)
7. Paperweight (glass), IUP Punxsutawney, August 19, 2005 (building dedication)
8. Memorabilia (tie-tack in box), IUP Seal, Indiana University of Pennsylvania (IUP), 1875 (3 items)
9. Memorabilia (pin in box), IUP Seal, Indiana University of Pennsylvania (IUP), 1875 (3 items)
10. Coaster (ceramic), IUP College of Humanities and Social Sciences (2 items)
11. Ribbon, IUP Humanities and Social Sciences, Ribbon Cutting, January 22, 2016
12. Jefferson Cup (pewter), engraved, The Capital Campaign, IUP Victory Celebration, October 30, 1987 (2 items, one on display)

Box 17 Residential Revival Memorabilia (4 items)

1. Scissors (in box), Phase I Residential Revival Ribbon Cutting, September 21, 2007
2. Scissors, Student Residential Revival Phase III, Ribbon Cutting, September 24, 2009
3. Scissors (one in box and one loose), Student Residential Revival, Phase IV, October 8, 2010

Box 18 (17 folders) see dedications in Record Group 4 and Record Group 45

1. Honors Day: Brochures and Invitations, including Phi Kappa Phi
2. Undergraduate Scholars Conference
3. IUP Holiday Tree Lighting
4. President's Christmas and Holiday Cards
5. IUP Services Awards Luncheon
6. Faculty Promoted in Rank: Programs and Invitations
7. Honorary Degree Recipient (see Record Group 35 Commencement): Programs and Invitations
8. Distinguished American Lecture Series
9. President's Medal of Distinction
10. Celebration of Endowed Scholarships
11. Constitution Day
 - a. Remarks by Dr. Willard Radell, First IUP Constitution Day, September 15, 2005
12. Remembrances (Dr. Daniel DiCicco – see Manuscript Group 250)
 - a. David L. Johnson (March 29, 1930 – February 23, 2009) IUP Trustee (January 1980 – February 2009), April 30, 2009
 - b. Mary Jo Lyttle (September 18, 1963 – December 21, 2015) Gorell Recital Hall, January 19, 2016
 - c. Brian Henry Swatt (1997-2019), October 24, 2019
 - d. Elaine Kahn Light (IUP Punxsutawney) – September 29, 2022
13. Leader's Circle Awards Events
14. Leadership Society Reception and Related Events
15. Celebration of Philanthropy
16. Campus Anniversaries including Anniversaries of Dedications
17. President's Invitations to Receptions, including Scholarship and Distinguished Faculty and Staff Awards, 2023-present

Box 19 Memorabilia (3 items)

1. Coffee Mug(s): Indiana University of Pennsylvania, Master of Arts in Adult and Community Education (ACE) 2 Mugs
2. Coffee Mug: IUP Dining, North Dining, August 25, 2017 (see Record Group 4)