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Julius R. Krevans

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Repository

UCSF Library and Center for Knowledge Management, San Francisco, California

Shelf location

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ADMINISTRATIVE INFORMATION

Provenance

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BIOGRAPHICAL NOTE

Julius R. Krevans was born in New York City on May 1, 1924, son of Sol and Anita (Makovetsky) Krevans. A graduate (A.B. 1943, M.D. 1946) of New York University, Dr. Krevans served in the U.S. Medical Corps during the years 1948-50. Following this, he held posts at Johns Hopkins from 1950 to 1971, including Fellow in hematology, Director of the blood bank (1953-63), Professor of Medicine (1960-71), and Dean for Academic Affairs (1969-70). He was also Physician-in-Chief at Baltimore City Hospital from 1963 to 1969.

Dr. Krevans became Dean of UCSF's School of Medicine in January 1971, a position he held until 1982, when he was named Chancellor. A notable event during his tenure was the Nobel Prize awarded to J. Michael Bishop and Harold Varmus in 1989, the first ever won by UCSF faculty members. The university also played a critical role in spawning the biotechnology industry during these years. Under Dr. Krevans's leadership, UCSF attracted many women and minority students to careers in health sciences. In 1993, Dr. Krevans retired from this post and returned to the faculty of the School of Medicine.

Among other associations, Dr. Krevans was a diplomate of the American Board of Internal Medicine, and a member of the National Academy of Science's Institute of Medicine, American Society of Hematology, American College of Physicians, American Federation of Clinical Research, and International Society of Hematology. He served as the chair of the Association of American Medical Colleges from 1980-81, and was awarded this organization's Abraham Flexner Award in 1983. Dr. Krevans was president of the American Clinical and Climatological Association in 1989-90, the California Academy of Medicine in 1986-87, and the San Francisco Consortium of Colleges and Universities in 1989-90. He was also a director of the Clinical Scholar program, a director of both the James Picker and Bank America-Giannini Foundations, and a member of the Association of American Physicians.

SCOPE AND CONTENT

This collection documents the activities of Dr. Julius R. Krevans from his early career at Johns Hopkins through his years as Chancellor of the University of California-San Francisco. His many roles are highlighted, from researcher to teacher, from administrator to concerned community member. The materials were collected both by Dr. Krevans personally and by his offices. His curriculum vitae, located in the "Professional Activities" series, provide an excellent overview of his work and his involvement in various organizations.

Dr. Krevans corresponded with a wide variety of people, from scientific colleagues to business leaders (Series 1). He was a sought-after speaker for both scientific and community events, as can be seen in Series 2. Series 3 documents Dr. Krevans's professional activities, including research, writing, travel, and consulting.

Series 4 documents Dr. Krevans's involvement in numerous organizations, both scientific and non-scientific. He had a keen interest in developing humanistic qualities in physicians, and his work with the American Board of Internal Medicine on this topic can be found in this series. He also worked with the Association of American Medical Colleges to eliminate fraud in scientific studies.

The materials were primarily collected by Dr. Krevans's office; therefore, personal correspondence is generally not part of the collection.

SERIES DESCRIPTIONS

Series 1: Correspondence

This series consists of correspondence written by and to Dr. Krevans. Incoming and outgoing letters are filed together and are arranged chronologically. Items consist mainly of letters and memos.

Series 2: Speeches and lectures

This series consists of speeches and lectures given by Dr. Krevans. Items are arranged chronologically by date of talk and are identified by the sponsoring organization or institution. Included are both drafts and final copies of speeches, along with related correspondence.

Series 3: Professional activities

This series documents Dr. Krevans's activities related to his professional duties. Subjects are arranged alphabetically. Items include correspondence, reports, notes, press clippings, and publications.

Series 4: Organizations

Records in this series document organizations in which Dr. Krevans was involved. The organizations include those in which Dr. Krevans was involved in a professional capacity as well as those not directly related to his work at the university. The series is divided into two subseries: professional organizations and other organizations. Subjects are arranged alphabetically within each subseries. The series includes correspondence, conference programs, agendas, minutes, and reports.

Series 5: Non-print materials

Included in this series are photographs, videotapes, and artifacts relating to Dr. Krevans and his work.

CONTAINER LIST

SERIES 1: CORRESPONDENCE

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SERIES 2: SPEECHES AND LECTURES

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	30	Dalhousie University	Dec 1970
	31	Council on Medical Education	1971
	32	UC-San Francisco	Aug 25, 1971
	33	UC-San Francisco	Nov 10, 1972
	34	President's Biomedical Research Panel	Apr 28, 1975
	35	UC-San Francisco	Sept 21, 1975
	36	Saint Luke's Hospital	Dec 5, 1975
	37	UC-San Francisco	Apr 5, 1976
	38	Santa Clara County Medical Center	May 17, 1976
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Container	Folder	Contents	Dates
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	6	UC-San Francisco	May 31, 1980
	7	Mexican Hypertension Society	Apr 30, 1981
	8	UC-San Francisco	Mar 18, 1982, Dec 6, 1982
	9	UC-San Francisco	Mar 5, 1983
	10	University of Pisa/University of Padua	Apr 23/May 14, 1983
	11	UC-San Francisco	Mar 24, 1984
	12	American College of Cardiology	Mar 28, 1984
	13	Wayne State University	June 6, 1984
	14	Rush University	June 9, 1984
	15	Merritt Peralta Medical Center	Nov 7, 1984
	16	Eden Hospital	Dec 11, 1984
	17	Rotary Club	Feb 5, 1985
	18	Johns Hopkins National Forum for Medicine	Apr 25, 1985
	19	University of Michigan	May 6, 1985
	20	American Association of Colleges of Pharmacy	July 8, 1985
	21	Weizmann Institute	Dec 3, 1985
	22	The Conference Board	Jan 23, 1986
	23	Albert Einstein College of Medicine	Apr 17, 1986
	24	Triton Biosciences Inc.	Apr 25, 1986
	25	Merritt Peralta Foundation	Oct 9, 1986
	26	Genentech	Oct 16-17, 1986
	27	American Society of Hematology	Dec 6, 1986

Container	Folder	Contents	Dates
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	29	Duke University Medical Center	Mar 8-10, 1987
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	32	Veterans Administration Medical Center	June 30, 1987
	33	University of Hong Kong	Sept 10-13, 1987
	34	Association of Bay Area Governments – Bioscience Industry Task Force	Oct 7, 1987
	35	World Teleport Association	Oct 7, 1987
	36	Case Conference	Jan 19, 1988
	37	Conference on Health Problems Related to the Chinese in America	Apr 23, 1988
	38	University of Oklahoma	June 5, 1988
	39	Oregon Health Sciences University	June 10, 1988
	40	UC-San Diego	Sept 20, 1988
	41	Bay Area International Biotechnology Expo	Oct 18, 1988
	42	City of Medicine Awards	Oct 26, 1988
	43	Biotech USA	Nov 15, 1988
	44	Johns Hopkins	June 7, 1989
	45	American Clinical and Climatological Association	Oct 22, 1989
	46	Association of University Professors of Ophthalmology	Feb 4, 1990
	47	Berkeley Hillel	Mar 18, 1990
	48	Sixth International Conference on AIDS	June 20, 1990
	49	Medical Administrators Conference	June 29, 1990
	50	Bohemian Grove	July 15, 1990
	51	American Board of Internal Medicine	July 12, 1991

Container	Folder	Contents	Dates
	52	Commonwealth Club of California	Aug 1, 1991
	53	Weizmann Institute	Nov 19, 1991
	54	American Association of Neurological Surgeons	Apr 15, 1992
	55	Alta Bates Medical Center	Nov 12, 1992
	56	Miscellaneous lecture notes	1964-70

SERIES 3: PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

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	58	Consulting: Agency for International Development	1968
	59	Consulting: Federal Trade Commission	1963-64
	60	Consulting: Oregon Health Sciences University	1991-92
	61	Consulting: University of Iowa	1992
	62	Consulting: Washington University	1979-86
	63	Curriculum vitae/biographical information	1970s?-1991
	64	Job recruitment	1969-92
	65	Johns Hopkins Health Services Research Center Advisory Committee	1968
	66	Miscellaneous writings	1963-87
	67	Order of Merit, Republic of Italy	1985
	68	Party invitations	1976-81[?]
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	72	Research: Ortho Pharmaceutical Corporation	1963-69

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	5	Travel: Asia	1990
	6	Travel: China	1979
	7	Travel: Egypt and Israel	1984-85
	8	Travel: France and Italy	1990
	9	Travel: Hong Kong and Taiwan	1989-90
	10	Travel: Japan	1991
	11	Travel: South America	1964
	12	Travel: Taiwan	1988
	13	UC-San Diego Medicine Review Committee	1976
	14	UC-San Francisco Committee on Medical Education	1982

SERIES 4: ORGANIZATIONS

Professional organizations:

Container	Folder	Contents	Dates
Carton 3	15	American Association for the Advancement of Science	1973-81
	16	American Board of Internal Medicine: Board of Governors meeting book	Sept 1984
	17-20	American Board of Internal Medicine: correspondence and meetings	1978-91
	21	American Board of Internal Medicine: evaluation of clinical competence	1981-90

Container	Folder	Contents	Dates
	22-25	American Board of Internal Medicine: Subcommittee on Humanism	1982-91
	26-28	American Board of Internal Medicine: Subcommittee on Humanism meeting books	1989-90
	29	American Clinical and Climatological Association	1983-93
	30	American College of Physicians	1971-83
	31	American Medical Association: Task Force #4	1979-82
Carton 4	1-2	American Medical Association: Task Force #4 agendas	1981
	3-4	American Society of Hematology	1965-88
	5	Association of American Medical Colleges: Abraham Flexner Award	1983-84
	6	Association of American Medical Colleges: Clinical Evaluation Program	1982-84
	7-10	Association of American Medical Colleges: correspondence and meetings	1979-92
	11	Association of American Medical Colleges: Ethics Committee	1982-84
	12	California Academy of Medicine	1972-86
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Other organizations:

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	20	Bay Dredging Action Coalition	1991-92
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Container	Folder	Contents	Dates
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	25	Cosmos Club	1974-92
	26	Dermatology Foundation	1979
	27	EcuMed	1984-85
	28	Foundation for Biomedical Research	1983-84
	29	Foundation for Biomedical Research	1985-88
	30	Giannini Foundation	1983-86
	31-32	James Picker Foundation	1980-83
Carton 5	1-2	James Picker Foundation	1984-86
	3	Minority Medical Education Program	1987-88
	4-5	National Academy of Sciences	1959-72
	6-7	National Academy of Sciences – Institute of Medicine	1978-90
	8	National Holocaust Memorial Museum	1991
	9	National Institutes of Health: Advisory Committee to the Director	1979-80
	10-16	National Institutes of Health: Fogarty International Center	1969-89
	17	National Research Institute for Neural Injury	1984-85
	18	New York University	1978-81
	19	Panel on Biological and Medical Science	1972
	20	President's Biomedical Research Panel	1975
	21	Radiology Research and Education Foundation	1982-87
	22	San Francisco Planning and Urban Research Association (SPUR)	1979-87
	23	San Francisco Zoological Society	1990-92
	24	University Club	1991-92

SERIES 5: NON-PRINT MATERIALS***Photographs:***

Container	Folder	Contents	Dates
Carton 5	25-26	Photos: candid	1980s-90s[?]
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Videotapes:

Carton 6	¾-inch video: Dean's Forum: On Dying Well – Part 1	n.d.
	¾-inch video: Dean's Forum: On Dying Well – Part 2	n.d.
	¾-inch video: Medicine Grand Rounds: Medical Education for the 21 st Century – Tape 1	Feb 1982
	¾-inch video: Medicine Grand Rounds: Medical Education for the 21 st Century – Tape 2	Feb 1982
	¾-inch video: Politics of Scarcity – Program 1, Origin and Ethics	n.d.
	¾-inch video: Politics of Scarcity – Program 2, Energy/Economics/Ecology	n.d.
	¾-inch video: Politics of Scarcity – Program 3, Agriculture/Law/World View	n.d.
	¾-inch video: Medical Grand Rounds: The Natural Death Act – Reel 1	Jan 1977
	¾-inch video: Medical Grand Rounds: The Natural Death Act – Reel 2	Jan 1977
	¾-inch video: Founders Day	Mar 1984
	½-inch video: Unsung Heroines	Mar 1988
	½-inch video: Our Worst Fears! The AIDS Epidemic	Sept 1985
	½-inch video: C. Everett Koop	April 1990
	½-inch video: EcuMed Teleconference Excerpts	n.d.
	½-inch video: EcuMed	n.d.

Artifacts:

Medal: Kyoto University, engraved with Dr. Krevans's name	April 1991
Medal: Chinese Academy of Sciences	Oct 1991
Medal: Hadassah Hebrew University Medical Centre Jerusalem	n.d.
Medal: Alta California Eye Research Foundation	n.d.
Medal: Senarum University	n.d.
Antique Forceps	ca. 1900

RESTRICTED SERIES: LETTERS OF RECOMMENDATION

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		Y-Z	1968-81
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