

Finding Aid to FTM Conference Tapes

(#2003-19)

Repository: Gay, Lesbian, Bisexual, Transgender Historical Society

Collection Title: FTM Conference tapes

Collection Number: 2003-19

Physical Description: .5 linear feet (one manuscript box)

Creator: FTM International

Date (inclusive): 1995

Language of Material: English

Abstract: The 1995 FTM Conference was the first international gender conference to focus on transgender men. The collection is entirely composed of cassette tapes of the conference's sessions, which included such topics as relationships, long-term transition, spirituality, coming out, therapists, various medical topics, and intersectional questions (including the relationship between race and trans identity, and the alliance between trans men and trans women).

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Processing Information:

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Biographical/Organizational History Note: The 1995 FTM Conference was the first international gender conference to focus on transgender men. It was produced by FTM International, a trans men's organization founded by Lou Sullivan and chaired at the time by Jamison Green.

Scope and Content: The collection is entirely composed of cassette tapes of the conference's sessions, which included such topics as relationships, long-term transition, spirituality, coming out, therapists, various medical topics, and intersectional questions (including the relationship between race and trans identity, and the alliance between trans men and trans women). Presenters and panelists include Steve Dain, Leslie Feinberg, Stephan Thorne, Susan Stryker, and Jamison Green.

Indexing Terms:

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