

AC1 Donald Estes Research Collection

Series V: JACL Projects

Scope and Content:

Estes project files reflect his involvement in early work by the Japanese American Citizens League (JACL) and other California groups to improve the study of Japanese American history. Documents from the 1970s includes a variety of project proposals, conferences and reports on UCLAs Asian American Studies Center, curriculum development and film projects by Visual Communications of Los Angeles, as well as JACL workshops and handbooks by Estes for researching Japanese American history at the local level, and for understanding the evacuation and relocation. Also included are bibliographies and collected syllabi for early Asian American studies and Ethnic Studies courses. The 1990s material shows his work for JACL to produce an updated curriculum and resource guide and conduct teacher training workshops.

<u>Box</u>	<u>Folder</u>	Title/Subjects	<u>Date</u>
19	5	Education: Asian American Studies	
		Syllabi – Asian American and Ethnic studies course outlines (Professor Don Estes)	
19	6	Education: Asian American Studies	
		Bibliographies	
19	7	Education: Ethnic Studies	
		Documents – Lesson plans and course syllabi (various colleges)	1971-1998
19	8	Education: Ethnic Studies	
		Essay – "Nisei: The Quiet American?" by Dr. James Hirabayashi	1974
19	9	Education: UCLA Asian American Studies Center	

		Document – Course Description	
		Directory – List of theses submissions	1969-1970
		Report – Asian American studies center	1970-1971
		Proposal – "Proposal for a conference on the state of the Asian American Studies"	1970
19	10	Education: UCLA Asian American Studies	
		Essay – "Curriculum Development in Asian American Studies: A Working Paper" by Lowell Hun-Hoon, Lucie Hirata, Alan Moriyama	
		Documents – Asian American Studies course curriculum proposals and outlines	1970-1973
19	11	Education:	
		Itinerary – First National Conference of Asian American Studies overview and conference schedule	1971, April 16-18
		Itinerary – Asian American Studies Conference II, "Tool of Change" schedule, community session statements	
		Directory – Asian American Studies Programs	
		Correspondence – Collegiate Invitation letter	
19	12	Documents: Japanese American Research Project	
		Correspondence - Japanese American Research Project grant requests	1973
		Report - Donald Estes fellowship statement	
		Report – Donald Estes personal information biography	
19	13	Documents: Japanese American Research Project	1972
		Report – JACL executive committee financial document and project status	
19	14	Education:	
		Report – San Francisco Center for Japanese American Studies auction by mail, 1942 Evacuation Posters	

		Correspondence – JACL and Asian American Studies Center	
		Statement – "Wartime Relocation Authority Materials Search"	
20	1	Visual Communications:	1970-1977
		Document – Visual Communication project statement	
		Proposals: Asian American Studies, Visual Communications Project topics and descriptions including ""China-town Two Step", "Asian Women", "Nisei", "The Golden Years", "Portrait of Lawson Fusao Inada", "A Storm of Strangers", "In Movement: A Pictorial History of Asian America".	
20	2	Visual Communications: Curriculum	
		Document – Application, Visual Communications / Asian American Studies Central, Inc. Multicultural Curriculum Development Project.	1973
		Correspondence - The National Endowment for the Humanities Division of Education Programs; includes Issei Film Proposal.	1972
20	3	Visual Communications:	1970, July 14
		Report – to JACL National Executive Committee; Initial proposal of project funding for Visual Communications	
20	4	JACL National Education Committee:	
		Memorandum – curriculum and resource guide revisions	
		Curriculum and Resource Guide – "The Japanese American Experience: A Lesson In American History"	
		Notes – revision suggestions	
20	5	JACL: Workshop One	1973
		Student Workbook – "The Japanese in America"	
		Slide Narration	
20	6	JACL: Workshop One	

		Curriculum Development – annotated bibliography	
20	7	JACL: Workshop One	1973
		Report – Draft of "Researching the Local Japanese American Experience" for The Visual Communications Committee, Inc.	
20	8	JACL: Workshop Two	
		Memorandum – Camp Chronology	
		Correspondence – Visual Communications, includes bibliography and booklets	
		Curriculum – "Evacuation and Internment"	
20	9	JACL: Workshop Two	
		Student Workbook – "The Japanese in America: Evacuation and Relocation"	
20	10	JACL: Teacher Training Project	
		Document – JACL organization agreement, "An American Story" teacher training workshop project	1998
		Program – JACL 1998 National Scholarship and Awards	
		Itinerary – "A lesson in American History: The Japanese American Experience" Workshop outline and schedule	
		Outline – Teacher workshops, JACL and Civil Liberties and Public Education Fund	
		Correspondence – Civil Liberties Public Education Fund and JACL	
		Report – Education and Training proposal, budget, and schedule to 100 th /442 nd WWII Memorial Foundation	1998
		Workshop Project Phases	
20	11	JACL:	
		Questions – JACL/LEC Redress Project	
		Application – 1997 Legacy Fund Grant	