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Summary information

Repository:	University of Miami University Archives
Title:	Iron Arrow Honor Society records
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Administrative history / Biographical sketch

Note

The Iron Arrow Honor Society, founded in 1926, is a highly selective honor society for students, faculty, staff, and alumni at the University of Miami. Historically, the Society was male-only, founded as the "The Highest Honor Attained by Men". After several years of social and legal pressure, the all-male membership voted to admit women in 1985. Criteria for membership include scholarship, leadership, character, humility, and love of alma mater. Membership in the Society is the highest honor bestowed by the University.

Scope and content

The University of Miami Iron Arrow Honor Society collection contains the official records of the Society dating from 1926 to the present. Items in the collection include organizational records, photographs, clippings, and jackets worn by the members. The collection was donated to the Archives and Special Collections in March 2004 by C. Rhea Warren, former Chief of the Iron Arrow Honor Society.

Notes

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Immediate source of acquisition

C. Rhea Warren, former Chief of the Iron Arrow Honor Society, donated his collection of organizational records and scrapbooks to the Archives and Special Collections in Marh 2004.

Arrangement

Box 1:

Box 2:

Box 3:

Box 4:

Box 5:

Scrapbooks:

Oversized Scrapbook:

Restrictions on access

There are no restrictions except in box 2 / folder 62, 65, and 88

Related material

Iron Arrow Society, Directory Bulletin (ASC Stacks 8D2); Iron Arrow: a history by Randlph H. Femmer, University of Miami, 1976.

Other notes

- **Publication status:** Published
- **Description identifier:** ArchonInternalCollectionID:1014

Access points

- Iron Arrow Honor Society -- History
- University of Miami -- Societies, etc.
- Administrative records (documentary form)
- Clippings (information artifacts) (documentary form)
- Jackets (garments) (documentary form)
- Photographs (documentary form)
- Scrapbooks (documentary form)

- College students -- Florida -- Miami -- Societies, etc. (subject)