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Summary information

Repository: University of Miami Cuban Heritage Collection

Title: StoryCorps Historias Interviews Collection

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Date: 2009-2010 (date of creation)

Physical description: Items

Language: English

Language: Spanish

**Dates of creation,
revision and deletion:**

Administrative history / Biographical sketch

Note

The StoryCorps oral histories project began in 2003 as an effort to “provide people of all backgrounds and beliefs with the opportunity to record, share and preserve the stories of our lives.” As of 2015, the project has recorded more than 50,000 interviews with more than 90,000 participants. The work of StoryCorps provides an “invaluable archive for future generations,” and is housed at the American Folklife Center at the Library of Congress.

Custodial history

All interview files and metadata were provided by StoryCorps.

Scope and content

The StoryCorps Historias Interview collection contains 152 interviews recorded from 2009-2010 as part of the StoryCorps Historias project. The interviews held by the Cuban Heritage Collection represent all interviews recorded in Miami and of participants who self-identify as Cuban or of Cuban descent, regardless of place of interview.

In 2009, the Cuban Heritage Collection became a community partner of the Storycorp Historias project, “an initiative to record the diverse stories and life experiences of Latinos in the United States.” As part of this partnership, the Cuban Heritage Collection received all oral histories recorded in Miami and all interviews in which participants self-identified as Cuban or of Cuban descent. The Storycorps Historias

interviews held at the Cuban Heritage Collection are available for online viewing at the Cuban Heritage Collection's reading room.

Notes

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Immediate source of acquisition

This collection is made possible through a community partnership with the StoryCorps Historias initiative, 2009.

Arrangement

This collection is arranged by interviewee.

Restrictions on access

This collection is available for viewing on-site from the Cuban Heritage Collection's reading room and from the University of Miami Richter Library.

Conditions governing use

Courtesy of StoryCorps, a national nonprofit dedicated to recording and collecting stories of everyday people. Any other uses of this material--for commercial or non-commercial distribution, editing, exhibition, publishing, publicly performing, publicly displaying, reproducing on a website, or quotation beyond "fair use"--requires the permission of StoryCorps. For clearance, please contact StoryCorps at <http://storycorps.org/about/inquiries/>.

Related material

StoryCorps Historias project.

Information about related materials is available at <http://www.storycorps.org/historias>

Other notes

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Access points

- Oral history (subject)