

DUNBAR, ANTHONY P.

Anthony P. Dunbar papers, circa 1950-2009

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Descriptive Summary

Creator: Dunbar, Anthony P.
Title: Anthony P. Dunbar papers, circa 1950-2009
Call Number: Manuscript Collection No. 1458
Extent: 20.5 linear feet (18 boxes)
Abstract: Papers of attorney and author Anthony P. Dunbar, including manuscripts, correspondence, printed materials, and audiovisual materials.
Language: Materials entirely in English.

Administrative Information

Restrictions on Access

Special restrictions apply: At the donor's request, the following materials are closed to researchers until January 2, 2023: (a) materials and correspondence related to *Where We Stand: Voices of Southern Dissent* with Charles Bussey, Dan Carter, Connie Curry, Leslie Dunbar, John Egerton, Paul M. Gaston, Sheldon Hackney, Laughlin McDonald, Gene Nichol, Daniel H. Pollitt, Janisse Ray, and Susan Ford Wiltshire; and (b) all Dunbar's correspondence from January 1, 2007 through December 31, 2009.

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Source

Gift of Anthony P. Dunbar, 2018

Custodial History

Curator of Modern Political and Historical Collections, Randy Gue, packed the materials at Dunbar's residence in New Orleans, Louisiana, and transferred to the Rose Library.

Citation

[after identification of item(s)], Anthony P. Dunbar papers, Stuart A. Rose Manuscript, Archives, and Rare Book Library, Emory University.

Appraisal Note

Acquired by Curator of Modern Political and Historical Collections, Randy Gue, as part of the Rose Library's holdings in Southern history and literature.

Processing

Arranged and described at the collection level by Brenna Edwards, November 2018. Items remain in original physical order but are arranged alphabetically by type in the container list to facilitate access.

Collection Description**Biographical Note**

Anthony "Tony" P. Dunbar is an attorney, civil rights activist, and author. He was born June 11, 1949 in Atlanta, Georgia, to Leslie W. and Peggy Dunbar. He went to Brandeis University (Waltham, Massachusetts), where he earned his B.A. in 1972, and also attended Tulane University School of Law (New Orleans, Louisiana). He has worked with civil rights and community development organizations across the South and was the director of the Southern Prison Ministry from 1972–1978. Dunbar won the Lillian Smith Award from the Southern Regional Council in 1971 for his study of American poverty, *Our Land Too*. He is also known for his Tubby Dubonnet mystery series.

Scope and Content Note

The collection consists of the papers of Anthony P. Dunbar from circa 1950-2009. Materials include writings, correspondence, book manuscripts, and audiovisual material. The majority of book manuscripts are for Dunbar's nonfiction books, published between 1969 and 1981, with the exception of *Crooked Man*, the first novel of the Tubby Dubonnet series.

Arrangement Note

Arranged by record type.

Container List

| Box | Folder | Content |
|-----|--------|---|
| 16 | - | <i>American Crisis</i> , undated |
| 4 | - | Audio cassettes (6), interviews and workshops, undated |
| 17 | - | Audio reels (2), speeches, undated |
| 18 | - | "Burke County Improvement Association, Inc. Voter Education Project," poster, undated |
| 1 | - | Correspondence, printed material, and writings, 1950s-1967 |
| 2 | - | Correspondence, printed material, and writings, 1967-1969 |
| 3 | - | Correspondence, printed material, and writings, 1969-1974 |
| 4 | - | Correspondence, printed material, and writings, 1975-1979 |
| 5 | - | Correspondence, printed material, and writings, 1979-1983 |
| 6 | - | Correspondence, printed material, and writings, 1984-1993 |
| 7 | - | Correspondence, printed material, and writings, 1994-1997 |
| 8 | - | Correspondence, printed material, and writings, 1997-2005 |
| 9 | - | Correspondence, printed material, and writings, 2005-2006 |
| 12 | - | Correspondence, printed material, and writings, undated |
| 10 | - | Correspondence, 2007-2009 [RESTRICTED] |
| 16 | - | Friend of the Commons, 2006 January 22 |
| 13 | - | Notebooks, undated |
| 14 | - | Notebooks, undated |
| 17 | - | Notebooks, undated |
| 12 | - | Project By Project Foundation, undated |
| 14 | - | Southern Coalition on Jails and Prisons materials, undated |
| 15 | - | Southern Coalition on Jails and Prisons materials, undated |
| 7 | - | VHS tape, Aaron Neville Christmas Special '94, November 28, 1994 |
| 7 | - | VHS tape, ERACE PSA ERACE VIDEO, undated |
| 10 | - | <i>Where We Stand</i> materials [RESTRICTED] |
| 13 | - | White House Conference, undated |
| 11 | - | Writings, undated |
| 13 | - | Writings, undated |
| 11 | - | Writings, <i>Against the Grain</i> manuscript, undated |
| 12 | - | Writings, <i>Crooked Man</i> manuscript, undated |
| 12 | - | Writings, <i>Delta Time</i> manuscript, undated |
| 15 | - | Writings, <i>Delta Time</i> research, undated |
| 16 | - | Writings, <i>Delta Time</i> research, undated |
| 11 | - | Writings, <i>Hard Traveling</i> manuscript, undated |
| 11 | - | Writings, <i>Our Land Too</i> manuscript and photographs, undated |

- 12 - Writings, *Pie Pie* manuscript, undated
 - 11 - Writings, *Politics of Agrarian Uprising* manuscript, undated
 - 11 - Writings, *The Will to Survive* manuscript, undated
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