IN CELEBRATION OF WILLIAM LEVI DAWSON: 
AN EXPLORATION OF AFRICAN AMERICAN 
"In Celebration of William Levi Dawson" symposium records, 2005

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Descriptive Summary

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Abstract: The collection is chiefly sound and video recordings made at "In Celebration of William Levi Dawson: An Exploration of African American Music and Identity at the Dawn of the 21st Century," a three-day symposium held at Emory University in 2005. There are also some digital photographs.
Language: Materials entirely in English.

Administrative Information

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Administrative History
"In Celebration of William Levi Dawson: An Exploration of African-American Music and Identity at the Dawn of the 21st Century" was a three-day symposium held at Emory University in March 2005. The symposium explored the life of African American musician William Levi Dawson as well as issues of race and ethnicity and musical creation, production and dissemination. Events included scholarly discussions, three concerts, and an exhibition of Dawson's personal papers.

Scope and Content Note
The collection is chiefly digital sound and video recordings made at "In Celebration of William Levi Dawson." There are also some digital photographs, digital correspondence files, and digital web files. The collection moreover includes captured and preserved web pages featuring images and video from the symposium as well as an internet exhibit of digitized documents from the William Levi Dawson papers (MSS 892) in the Stuart A. Rose Manuscript, Archives, and Rare Book Library that accompanied the symposium. The archived web pages (http://larson.library.emory.edu/dawson/web/, http://larson.library.emory.edu/dawson/web/slideshow/index/, http://larson.library.emory.edu/dawson/web/presentation/index/) are made available through the Web Archiving Service of the California Digital Library.

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| 1   |        | Choral Music Concert, Glenn Memorial Auditorium: Welcome and Introductions, Emory University Concert Choir, Glenn Chancel Choir, Clark Atlanta University Philharmonic Society, Atlanta Sacred Chorale, Tuskegee University Golden Voice Choir, combined choirs; March 5 2005, 1hr15m39s, Digital audio tape (DAT), 2005  
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| 1   |        | Dawson - Out in the Fields, CD-R, undated |
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| 1   |        | Panel led by Louis Massiah (1 of 3): Olly Wilson, Tania Leon, and Alvin Singleton; 3/3/2005; 1hr15m, MiniDV, 2005  
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Session 1: William Dawson, Ralph Ellison and Discipline; Robert G. O’Meally, Laurence Jackson; 3/3/05; 2hr36m, DVCAM, 2005


Session 5: Reciprocity and Representation: The Musician and the Visual Arts; Richard Powell, Kellie Jones, Michael D. Harris; 3/4/2005; 1hr11m, DVCAM, 2005


Session 7: William Dawson Celebration; The Ecology of Music, Race, Identity, Art Expectations, and Arts Institutions; Benjamin Roe, Calvert Johnson, and Dwight D. Andrews

Correspondence files, 1 CD-R, 2005

Digital photographs, 1 DVD-R and 3 CD-Rs, 2005 (1 of 2)

Digital photographs, 4 CD-Rs, 2005 (2 of 2)

Symposium web files, 3 DVD-Rs, 2005

Poster, 2005

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