Guide to the University of Chicago Comparative Education Center Records 1959-1977

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Descriptive Summary

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Abstract  The Comparative Education Center was to create a cross-cultural foundation for the maturing branches of educational research. The records consist of the Center's Annual Reports from 1959-1977.

Information on Use

Access
No restrictions.

Citation
When quoting material from this collection the preferred citation is:

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Historical Note
A "Proposal for the establishment of a Center for Comparative Education at the University of Chicago" was drawn up in July 1956. The next year, the Ford Foundation gave a grant for the Center, which opened on July 1, 1958. The Center was interdisciplinary in its faculty and its scope. And its first director was C. Arnold Anderson, a professor of education and sociology. Other early faculty included Robert J. Havighurst (Education and Human Development), Herman G. Richey (Education), and Mary Jean Bowman (Economics). The early mission of the Center was to create a cross-cultural foundation for the maturing branches of educational research.

Scope Note
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Related Resources
The following resources are located in the Special Collections Research Center:
C. Arnold Anderson Papers

General Archival Files, Comparative Education Center

**Subject Headings**
- Anderson, C. Arnold
- Bowman, Mary Jean
- Havighurst, Robert J.
- Richey, Herman G.

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   Annual Report, 1959-1960, bound
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   Annual Report, 1959-1960
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