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Summary Information

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Historical Note

History classes have been taught at Michigan State University since 1861 when history classes were first taught to freshman. In 1875, the history department was created. In 1883, it merged with the political economy department to become the Department of History and Political Economy. In 1899, history separated and became its own department. In 1908, the department changed to History and Economics and in then in 1916 history merged with political science to become the Department of History and Political Science. In 1949, history once again became its own department. In 2005, administration of the department changed from the College of Arts and Letters to the College of Social Science.

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Scope and Contents

The records contain notes and outlines from various history classes, student manuals, and course descriptions. Also included is the newsletter African American Voices in: The Academy for 1991-1994. In addition, there are course packs from History 320: Michigan History from 1985 to 1993, as well as a program from the 1857 dedication of Michigan Agricultural College (now Michigan State University).

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Controlled Access Headings

- College students
- History -- Study and teaching
- Michigan -- History -- Study and teaching
- Annual reports
- Outlines and syllabi
- Michigan State University. Department of History
- Michigan State University. Department of History

Collection Inventory

Title/Description	Instances	
Class Outlines, Undated	box 2420	folder 1
Graduate Handbook, undated	box 2420	folder 21
Graduate Programs in History, Undated	box 2420	folder 2
History- Graduate Course Offerings and Studies Courses, 1983-1984	box 2420	folder 3
History Department Seminar Series, Undated	box 2420	folder 4
History Graduate Student Newsletter, 2005	box 2420	folder 5
Outline and Study Guide for Army Air Forces, 1944	box 2420	folder 6
Pamphlets, 1995	box 2420	folder 7
Program for the Dedication of the Agricultural College of the State of Michigan in 1857	box 2420	folder 8
Student Handbook, 1976-1979	box 2420	folder 9
Undergraduate Course Descriptions, 1977	box 2420	folder 10
African American Voices in: The Academy newsletter , 1991-1994	box 2420	folder 11
History 320		
Winter 1985 Coursepack	box 2420	folder 12
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Fall 1993 Coursepack	box 2420	folder 18
Syllabi- Matrix Classes History 150, 201, 203, 205, 306, 337, 372, 373, 378, 391, 425, 480, 801, 803, 812 , 1996- 2008	box 2420	folder 19
Hannah Professorship - Selection Committee Records (This material documents the trouble filling the Hannah Professorship in History Position.), 1968-1970	box 2420	folder 22
Class Teaching Assignments, Spring, 1970	box 2420	folder 23
A Handbook for Teaching Assistants, 1975	box 2420	folder 20
Department of History Newsletter, 2016, 2019-2021	box 2420	folder 24

Annual Reports

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Published in State Board Reports	volume Bd. of Ag.
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# 538 History Making, Spring 2000 - Spring 2004	
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