



Vice President for Student Affairs Student Protest Files UA.7.0

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Summary Information

Repository:	University Archives and Historical Collections
Creator:	Michigan State University. Office of the Vice President of Student Affairs and Services
Creator:	Black Liberation Army
Creator:	Committee to Abolish R.O.T.C.
Creator:	Committee for Student Rights
Creator:	Michigan State University. Black Student Alliance
Creator:	Students for a Democratic Society (U.S.)
Creator:	Student Mobilization Committee to End the War in Vietnam
Creator:	United Students
Source:	Michigan State University. Office of the Vice President of Student Affairs and Services
Title:	Vice President for Student Affairs Student Protest files
ID:	UA.7.0
Date [inclusive]:	1965-1976
Physical Description:	0.5 Cubic Feet
Language of the Material:	English .

Preferred Citation

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Historical Note

The records document the activities of a number of protest groups and organizations. M.S.U. Students for a Democratic Society (SDS), the most prominent protest organization on campus, was active in virtually every area of protest. Newspaper articles concerning their actions and SDS literature are prevalent throughout the protest files. Also included is coverage of the SDS national convention which was held at Michigan State University. in 1968. The Committee for Student Rights (CSR), another protest group, concerned itself solely with student rights. Organizations such as the Black Liberation Front (BLF) and the Black Students Alliance (BSA) surface in civil rights material--mainly concerning racial incidents in residence halls. Also included in the civil rights protests are groups protesting the Chicago Conspiracy trial in 1970. Other groups include, the Committee to Abolish R.O.T.C., United Students, and the Student Mobilization Committee to End the War in Vietnam.

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Scope and Contents

This collection documents the activities of a number of protest groups and organizations. The records include newspaper articles, reports, flyers, and bulletins which were collected by the Office of the Vice President for Student Affairs from 1965 to 1976.

M.S.U. Students for a Democratic Society (SDS), the most prominent protest organization on campus, was active in virtually every area of protest. Newspaper articles concerning their actions and SDS literature are prevalent throughout the protest files. Also included is coverage of the SDS national convention which was held at M.S.U. in 1968. The Committee for Student Rights (CSR), another protest group, concerned itself solely with student rights. Organizations such as the Black Liberation Front (BLF) and the Black Students Alliance (BSA) surface in civil rights material mainly concerning racial incidents in residence halls. Also included in the civil right protests are groups protesting the Chicago Conspiracy trial in 1970. Other groups include, the Committee to Abolish R.O.T.C., United Students, and the Student Mobilization Committee to End the War in Vietnam.

Publications include protest newspapers such as *National Guardian*, *The Student Mobilizer*, *LOGOS*, *Swill & Squeal*, and *State News* articles which cover the major events on campus during this period.

The bulk of the materials reflect the major student protest issues: Civil Rights (1967-1970), Anti-Vietnam (1965-1970), Anti-military (1967-1970), and Student Rights (1965-1970).

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Publication Statement

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Related Materials

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See also Michigan State University 1970 Student Strike records (UA 26.1).

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Controlled Access Headings

- Anti-war demonstrations
- Chicago Seven Trial, Chicago, Ill., 1969-1970
- Civil rights
- College students -- Political activity -- Michigan
- Student movements
- Student strikes
- Students -- Civil rights
- Fliers (Ephemera)
- Newspaper clippings
- Newspapers
- Reports
- United States. Army. Reserve Officers' Training Corps
- Michigan State University. Office of the Vice President of Student Affairs and Services

Collection Inventory

Title/Description	Instances	
"Academic Days of Conscience" Program, April 16-17, 1968 Digital Object: "Academic Days of Conscience" Program: April 16-17, 1968	box 1050H	folder 1
Anti-Protest & Anti-Violence Sentiment, 1967-1970 Digital Object: Anti-Protest & Anti-Violence Sentiment: 1967-1970	box 1050H	folder 2

Anti-R.O.T.C. Protests

Title/Description	Instances	
1967 Digital Object: Anti-R.O.T.C. Protests: 1967-	box 1050H	folder 3
1969 Digital Object: Anti-R.O.T.C. Protests: 1969-	box 1050H	folder 4
1970	box 1050H	folder 5

Digital Object: [Anti-R.O.T.C. Protests: 1970-](#)

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Anti-Vietnam War Protests

Title/Description	Instances	
1965 Digital Object: Anti-Vietnam War Protests: 1965-	box 1050H	folder 6
1967 Digital Object: Anti-Vietnam War Protests: 1967-	box 1050H	folder 7
1970 Digital Object: Anti-Vietnam War Protests: 1970-	box 1050H	folder 8

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Anti-Vietnam War and anti-military protests, 1967, 1970 Digital Object: Anti-Vietnam War and anti-military protests: 1967, 1970	box 1050H	folder 9
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Civil Rights Protests

Title/Description	Instances	
1965 Digital Object: Civil Rights Protests: 1965-	box 1050H	folder 10
1968 Digital Object: Civil Rights Protests: 1968-	box 1050H	folder 11
1969 Digital Object: Civil Rights Protests: 1969-	box 1050H	folder 12
1970 Digital Object: Civil Rights Protests: 1970-	box 1050H	folder 13
Holden Hall, 1969 Digital Object: Civil Rights. Holden Hall: 1969-	box 1050H	folder 14
Wilson Hall, 1969-1970 Digital Object: Civil Rights. Wilson Hall: 1969-1970	box 1050H	folder 15
Arrest. MSU Student Union. , May 19, 1970	box 1050H	folder 16

Digital Object: [Civil Rights. Arrest. MSU Student Union: May 19, 1970](#)

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"Experimental University". UCM, 1969 <u>Digital Object:</u> "Experimental University." UCM: 1969-	box 1050H	folder 17
"Free University". Committee for Student Rights, 1966 <u>Digital Object:</u> "Free University." Committee for Student Rights: 1966-	box 1050H	folder 18
Garskoff, Bertram. MSU Psychology Professor dismissal , 1969 <u>Digital Object:</u> Garskoff, Bertram. MSU Psychology Professor dismissal: 1969-	box 1050H	folder 19
Miscellaneous Protests, 1969-1970 <u>Digital Object:</u> Miscellaneous Protests: 1969-1970	box 1050H	folder 20

Newspaper clippings

Title/Description	Instances	
"Advice Given by Striking Students", May 20, 1970 <u>Digital Object:</u> Advice Given by Striking Students news clippings: May 20, 1970	box 1050H	folder 21
"COGS Protests Voting Rules". <i>MSU Faculty News</i> , January 5, 1971 <u>Digital Object:</u> "COGS Protests Voting Rules": January 5, 1971	box 1050H	folder 22
"History of Radicalism at M.S.U." <i>State News</i> , April 22, 1969 <u>Digital Object:</u> "History of Radicalism at M.S.U.": April 22, 1969	box 1050H	folder 23
"Wharton's year: a little of everything". <i>MSU Faculty News</i> , January 5, 1971 <u>Digital Object:</u> "Wharton's year: a little of everything": January 5, 1971	box 1050H	folder 24

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People's Park, 1970 <u>Digital Object:</u> People's Park: 1970-	box 1050H	folder 25
Protests on other campuses, 1967-1970	box 1050H	folder 26

Digital Object: [Protests on other campuses: 1967-1970](#)

Publications

Title/Description	Instances	
LOGOS. Committee for Student Rights, 1965-1966 Digital Object: LOGOS. Committee for Student Rights: 1965-1966	box 1050H	folder 27
National Guardian, September 25, 1965 Digital Object: National Guardian: September 25, 1965	box 1050H	folder 28
The Student Mobilizer. Student Mobilization Committee to end the war in Vietnam, November 15, 1969 Digital Object: The Student Mobilizer: November 15, 1969	box 1050H	folder 29
Swill & Squeal, November 11, 1970 Digital Object: Swill & Squeal: November 11, 1970	box 1050H	folder 30

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Student for Democratic Society, 1968, Undated Digital Object: Students for Democratic Society: 1968, undated	box 1050H	folder 31
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Student Rights Protests

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1965 Digital Object: Student Rights Protests: 1965-	box 1050H	folder 32
1966 Digital Object: Student Rights Protests: 1966-	box 1050H	folder 33
1967 Digital Object: Student Rights Protests: 1967-	box 1050H	folder 34
1968 Digital Object: Student Rights Protests: 1968-	box 1050H	folder 35
undated Digital Object: Student Rights Protests: undated	box 1050H	folder 36
Scrapbook. Residence Halls , 1968-1969 Digital Object: Scrapbook. Residence Halls: 1968-1969	box 1050H	folder 37
Synder-Phillips, 1970	box 1050H	folder 38

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Student Strike. M.S.U. , 1970 <u>Digital Object:</u> Student Strike. M.S.U.: 1970-	box 1050H	folder 39
Symposium. Students for a Democratic Society. "Toward Socialist America", 1969 <u>Digital Object:</u> "Symposium. Students for a Democratic Society. "Toward Socialist America": 1969-	box 1050H	folder 40
Women's Liberation. "Teach-In" , 1970 <u>Digital Object:</u> Women's Liberation. "Teach-In": 1970-	box 1050H	folder 41
Miscellaneous newspaper articles , 1969-1970 <u>Digital Object:</u> Miscellaneous newspaper articles: 1969-1970	box 1050H	folder 42
Wilson Hall Protest, 1969 <u>Digital Object:</u> Wilson Hall Protest: 1969-	box 1050H	folder 43
Tuition Increases, 1976, undated <u>Digital Object:</u> Tuition Increases: 1976, undated	box 1050H	folder 44
Grape Boycott - United Farm Workers, 1975 <u>Digital Object:</u> Grape Boycott - United Farm Workers: 1975-	box 1050H	folder 45
CIA, undated <u>Digital Object:</u> CIA: undated	box 1050H	folder 46
Iran Political Prisoners, 1976, undated <u>Digital Object:</u> Iran Political Prisoners: 1976, undated	box 1050H	folder 47