



## Western Kentucky University

### UA1C2 WKU Archives Building Photo Collection

#### Subseries 10 Cedar House Photos

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**Administrative History:** Artificial collection created by WKU Archives to group Cedar House images together. The majority of the photos are from WKU sources, but some donated by individuals.

Other Names - Faculty House, Senior House  
Built - 1920-1921  
Cost of Construction - \$6,000  
Architects - WKU Students and Faculty

The construction of the building was sponsored by the Senior classes of 1920 and 1921. It has been used as a social center, the library and a classroom building. It was remodeled in 1959 and became known as the Faculty House. Elizabeth Walz, former faculty member was named hostess and had an apartment on the second floor between 1959 and 1960. The building was the home of the College Heights Foundation between 1959 and 1967 and the Credit Union 1974-1983. It was also used by the Faculty Senate and retired faculty.

A Faculty House Renovation Committee was appointed consisting of Gretchen Niva, Linda Allan, Sheila Conway, Ann Fields, Charles Eison, Lowell Harrison, Carl Kell and Glenn Lohr in 1986. They proposed several changes in the building layout and repairs. President Kern Alexander provided a new roof while the committee raised money for the remodel. In May 1987 the remodeling was approved.

Additions:  
1959 - remodeled, Frank Cain architect, \$25,000  
1986 - remodeled  
2007 - renovated

**Description:** Images of the Cedar House also known as the Faculty House.

**Dates:** 1920-present

**Extent:** 5 folders, 1 oversize, 1 glass plate, 1 negative

**Subject Analytics:**

Cedar House (WKU)  
Faculty House (WKU)  
Libraries (Rooms)

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# Finding Aid Report

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<b>Scope &amp; Content</b>	<b>Subseries 10 Cedar House</b>	
	<b>WKU Archives</b>	
	<b>Images of the Cedar House also known as the Faculty House.</b>	

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OS PC	FOS65	WKU Archives		Cedar House / Faculty House	
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