



Western Kentucky University

UA3 President's Office

Series 5 John Minton

Subseries 4 Installation File

Contact information:

WKU Archives

1906 College Heights Blvd.#11092

Bowling Green, KY 42101-1092

Phone: 270-745-4793

Email: archives@wku.edu

Home page: <https://wku.edu/library/archive>

© 2013 WKU Archives, Western Kentucky University. All rights reserved.

Administrative History: The president's office was created in 1906. As Dero Downing's resignation went into effect January 8, 1979 Vice President John Minton was appointed interim president. He held this position through July 31, 1979 when Donald Zacharias was elected president.

John Minton was born in Cadiz , Kentucky on July 29, 1921. He received his bachelor's and master's degrees from the University of Kentucky and a Ph.D. from Vanderbilt University. Prior to coming to WKU, Minton served as principal of Trigg County High School from 1953 to 1958. He became Associate Dean of Graduate Instruction in 1962, then Graduate Dean, and Administrative Vice-President in 1970. Minton served as Vice President of Student Affairs from 1979 until his retirement in 1986.

Description: Records regarding the installation of President John Minton.

Dates: 1979

Extent: 1 audiotape, 1 videotape, 1 wav file

Subject Analytics:

Events

Minton, John Dean, 1921-2008

Inaugurations

Western Kentucky University

Digital Commons:

Higher Education Administration

Accession Information: These records transferred to WKU Archives upon its creation.

Access Restrictions: BetaSp and Beta versions have to be converted to a viewable medium before they can be accessed by the public.

Allied Materials:

[UA1F WKU Archives Multimedia Resources / Vertical File](#)

[UA2 Board of Regents](#)

Preferred Citation: UA3/5/4 President's Office-Minton Installation, WKU Archives, Bowling Green, Kentucky, USA.

Processing Information: Records processed and collection inventory created 2013, revised 2019.

Finding Aid Report

05/06/2019

UA3.5.4	Records	Date
Level	Subseries	Linked toUA3.5
Title	UA3 President's Office	
Collection	Series 5 John Minton	
Scope & Content	Subseries 4 Installation File	
	WKU Archives	
	Records regarding the installation of President John Minton.	

Container List

Container	Folder	Creator	Date	Title
Box 50		WKU President's Office - Minton	1979	Installation - Film/Video/Audio File
Description	3/4 inch - 1 John Minton installation, 1/9/1979			Subjects Speeches, address, etc. Oaths Video recording
Tape Box 1	Drawer 1	WKU President's Office - Minton	1979	Installation - Film/Video/Audio File
Description	Audiotape - 1 digitized John Minton installation, 1/8/1979, m92.wav - https://digitalcommons.wku.edu/dlsc_ua_records/2630 Cole, J. David Downing, Dero Reynolds, Charles			Subjects Speeches, address, etc. Audio recording Oaths