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Administrative History: The president's office was created in 1906. The president's office was created in 1906. Dr. Gary A. Ransdell was named the ninth president of Western Kentucky University on September 12, 1997. Dr. Ransdell tendered his resignation in January 2017 and completed his term of office June of that year.

Dr. Ransdell received his Bachelor of Arts degree from WKU in 1973 in Mass Communications, a Master of Public Service degree in Public Administration in 1974, and a Doctor of Education degree from Indiana University in 1978.

Dr. Ransdell re-joined WKU as President after serving four years as Vice President for Administration and Advancement and seven years as Vice President for Institutional Advancement at Clemson University in Clemson, South Carolina.

His previous professional experiences at WKU also include service as a field representative in the Office of University School Relations from 1974 to 1976 and as Associate Director of Alumni Affairs from 1978 to 1981.

Dr. Ransdell became Director of Alumni Relations at Southern Methodist University in 1981, a position he held until 1987 when he was named as a Vice President at Clemson.

Description: Speeches written and delivered by Gary Ransdell.

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Description	Anderson, Lucinda Baker, Sid Basile, Daniel Beckley, Cheryl Biggs, Craig Blakeman, Lee Borczon, Robin Bowles, LySandra Burch, Barbara Byrd, Judy Carmichael, John Carner, David Cockriel, Torie Commencement, 5/2006 Cook, Lisa Cooke, Joyce Cromer, Daniel Cullom, Wanda Daniel, Marvin Davis, Matt Dawson, Katie DeCesare, Jim Dilliha, Laura DuBose, Rick Durrant, Deanna Edwards, Bob Eggleton, Freida Esters, Elizabeth Evans, Adam Flowers, Melissa Fowler, Brandi George, Chris Gerhardt, Judy Gittings, Glenn Glass, Lynrita Glover, Clarence Gray, Elmer Greene, Deirdre Groom, Mitzi Guthrie, Brett Hagan-Booth, Sheryl Hall, Lois Harazin, Jessica Hartz, Mike Hartz, Sharon Hatcher, Judy Hatchett, Kerry Henry, Brookie Hills, Cheryl Hocker, Edwin Holmes-Williams, Doreen			Subjects Speeches, address, etc. Programs Correspondence Invitations Graduation ceremonies

Hughes, Luther
 Hunt, Carolyn
 Jarvis, Daniel
 Johnson, Jean
 Johnson, Mike
 Jones, Dana
 Kahler, Dean
 Kuster, Brian
 Land, Kristen
 Long, John
 Long, Tommy
 McCaslin, Sara
 McKeage, Faye
 Manning, Rachel
 Massey, Keondria
 Massey, Lisa
 Meacham, Tom
 Mullen, Bernadette
 Murphy, Marleen
 Murrell, Lisa
 Newby, Paula
 Palmer, Brooke
 Plemons, Charles
 Plemons, Rheanna
 Ploumis, Andreas
 Powell, Ricky
 Priddy, Crissy
 Pulsinelli, Linda
 Purpus, Greg
 Ransdell, Gary
 Reid, Tyler
 Richards, Jody
 Rippy, Linda
 Scott, Marshall
 Sears, Jim
 Sisco, Scott
 Skaggs, William
 Smedley, Eric
 Smith, Bethany
 Smith, Donald
 Smith, Herbert
 Starks, Sam
 Stinnett, Brad
 Stites, Joe
 Suiter, Emily
 Thacker, Jack
 Thank you notes
 Tice, Gene
 Tinsley, Jennifer
 Troutman, Cindy
 Wagoner, Marsha
 White, Carol
 Whitfield, Cheryl
 Whittle, Eva
 Younglove, Jeff

Box 3	6	WKU President's Office - Ransdell	2006	Speeches	
Description	Commencement, 12/16/2006 DeCesare, Jim Eggleton, Freida Guthrie, Brett Ransdell, Gary			Subjects	Speeches, address, etc. Programs Correspondence Invitations Graduation ceremonies

Richards, Jody
Roeding, Dick
Stevens, Elliott

Box 3	7	WKU President's Office - Ransdell	2007	Speeches	
Description	Academy of Math & Science Education, 8/23/2007, D5003 - https://digitalcommons.wku.edu/dlsc_ua_records/4172 Arbuckle, Gregory Bowling Green Technical College Commencement, 5/4/2007, D5002 - https://digitalcommons.wku.edu/dlsc_ua_records/4173 Brake, Nick Greater Owensboro Economic Development Corporation aka GO-EDC Press releases Rotary Club (Owensboro, KY), 1/24/2007 notes, D5001 - https://digitalcommons.wku.edu/dlsc_ua_records/4174 Scott Turow Introduction, 4/21/2007 SOKY Book Fest			Subjects	Speeches, address, etc. Western Kentucky University. Extended Campus-Owensboro Book fairs Programs Graduation ceremonies
Box 3	8	WKU President's Office - Ransdell	2007	Speeches	
Description	Commencement, 5/11/2007 Ransdell, Gary Thank you notes			Subjects	Speeches, address, etc. Graduation ceremonies
Box 3	9	WKU President's Office - Ransdell	2007	Speeches	
Description	Convocation, 9/14/2007 - https://digitalcommons.wku.edu/president_speeches/1/ Hawpe, David. Universities Need Money & Energy to Maintain Momentum, LCJ, nd Jordan, Natalie. Goals Create Excitement, PCDN, 9/14/2007 Jordan, Natalie. University Already Almost Half the Way to its \$200 Million Goal, PCDN, 9/14/2007 Rodriguez, Nancy. WKU Sets Big Goals, LCJ, 9/14/2007 WKU Campaign Will Put it on National Scene, PCDN, 9/16/2007			Subjects	Speeches, address, etc. Clippings
Box 3	10	WKU President's Office - Ransdell	2007	Speeches	
Description	Commencement, 12/15/2007 Owensboro Rooster Booster Breakfast Remarks, 11/1/2007 Ransdell, Gary SKyTeach Announcement, 11/16/2007, D5004 - https://digitalcommons.wku.edu/dlsc_ua_records/4174 Thank you notes			Subjects	Speeches, address, etc. Western Kentucky University. Extended Campus-Owensboro Education Graduation ceremonies Programs Correspondence
Box 3	13	WKU President's Office - Ransdell	2008	Speeches	
Description	Constans, Phil Convocation, 8/22/2008, D5008 - https://digitalcommons.wku.edu/dlsc_ua_records/4177 Hard Optimism Deep Strengths Survey, 2007, D5009 - https://digitalcommons.wku.edu/dlsc_ua_records/4176 Jordan, Natalie. Ransdell Outlines State of University, PCDN, nd Schnacke, Stephen			Subjects	Speeches, address, etc. Surveys Correspondence Death
Box 3	11	WKU President's Office - Ransdell	2008	Speeches	
Description	Improving the Education Attainment of Kentuckians at All Levels, 7/29/2008, D5007 - https://digitalcommons.wku.edu/dlsc_ua_records/4178 Kentucky Chamber of Commerce Economic Summit Kentucky Teacher Hall of Fame Induction Ceremony Welcome, 1/24/2008, D5005 -			Subjects	Speeches, address, etc. Teachers Education Fund raising

https://digitalcommons.wku.edu/dlsc_ua_records/4180

Kiwanis Club (Hopkinsville, KY), 4/10/2008 notes

Lanham, Jan

Leader's Training Course Educators Symposium, 6/24/2008

McCrary, Patrice

Miller, Shelia

Planned Giving at WKU, 6/17/2008

Rotary Club (Louisville, KY), 8/21/2008 notes

Southern Kentucky Estate Planning Council

Student Rally at the Capitol Remarks, 2/20/2008, D5006 -

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Warren County Lincoln Day Dinner, 4/19/2008

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Description	Commencement, 5/2008 Eggleton, Freida Ransdell, Gary Thank you notes			Subjects	Speeches, address, etc. Graduation ceremonies Correspondence Programs
Box 3	14	WKU President's Office - Ransdell	2008	Speeches	
Description	Applied Research & Technology Program (WKU) Chamber of Commerce Breakfast, 9/26/2008 notes Enrollment Hilltoppers Interim Joint Committee on Education Presentation, 10/13/2008, D4152 - https://digitalcommons.wku.edu/dlsc_ua_records/4153 Kentucky Academy of Mathematics & Science Kentucky Tourism Council, 10/14/2008 Summary of WKU Student Body: 2006/2007 Total Degrees & Other Credentials Awarded by Level, 1998-2008			Subjects	Speeches, address, etc. Athletics Mascots Fund raising Basketball Charts
Box 4	1	WKU President's Office - Ransdell	2008	Speeches	
Description	Commencement, 12/31/2008			Subjects	Speeches, address, etc. Graduation ceremonies Programs
Box 4	2	WKU President's Office - Ransdell	2009	Speeches	
Description	Bob Hensley Eulogy, 11/18/2009, D4155 - https://digitalcommons.wku.edu/dlsc_ua_records/4160 Campbell, Joy. Ransdell Touts WKU Partnerships, Owensboro Messenger-Inquirer, 8/31/2009 Council on Postsecondary Education Counseling & Testing Center. Grief Enrollment Kentucky Broadcasters Association Conference, 10/7/2009 Martin Luther King, Jr., 1/19/2009, D4153 - https://digitalcommons.wku.edu/dlsc_ua_records/4162 Rotary Club (Glasgow, KY), 8/2009 notes Rotary Club (Owensboro, KY), 8/2009 notes What National Means for Kentucky & WKU, 9/10/2009 WKU Energy Policy Announcement, 3/18/2009, D4154 - https://digitalcommons.wku.edu/dlsc_ua_records/4161			Subjects	Speeches, address, etc. Blacks African Americans Energy policy Western Kentucky University. Extended Campus-Glasgow Center. Western Kentucky University. Extended Campus-Owensboro Death Funeral rites & ceremonies Grief
Box 4	3	WKU President's Office - Ransdell	2009	Speeches	
Description	DeCesare, Jim Commencement, 5/17/2009			Subjects	Speeches, address, etc. Graduation ceremonies

	Ransdell, Gary Reynolds, Mike Richards, Jody				Correspondence Invitations Programs
Box 4	4	WKU President's Office - Ransdell	2009	Speeches	
Description	Commencement, 12/19/2009 Eggleton, Freida Ransdell, Gary			Subjects	Speeches, address, etc. Graduation ceremonies Correspondence Programs
Box 4	5	WKU President's Office - Ransdell	1997	Speeches	
Description	Class of 1997 (WKU) Commencement, 12/16/1997 Kentucky. Governor Ransdell, Gary			Subjects	Speeches, address, etc. Graduation ceremonies Correspondence Programs
Box 4	6	WKU President's Office - Ransdell	1998	Speeches	
Description	Commencement, 5/16/1998			Subjects	Speeches, address, etc. Graduation ceremonies
Box 4	7	WKU President's Office - Ransdell	1998	Speeches	
Description	Clark, Thomas Commencement, 12/19/1998 Honorary doctorate			Subjects	Speeches, address, etc. Graduation ceremonies
Box 4	8	WKU President's Office - Ransdell	1999	Speeches	
Description	Commencement, 5/8/1999			Subjects	Speeches, address, etc. Graduation ceremonies
Box 4	9	WKU President's Office - Ransdell	1999	Speeches	
Description	Commencement, 12/18/1999 Schenck, Martin			Subjects	Speeches, address, etc. Graduation ceremonies
Box 4	10	WKU President's Office - Ransdell	2000	Speeches	
Description	Berry, Wendell Commencement, 5/7/2000 Honorary doctorate			Subjects	Speeches, address, etc. Graduation ceremonies
Box 4	11	WKU President's Office - Ransdell	2000	Speeches	
Description	Commencement, 12/16/2000			Subjects	Speeches, address, etc. Graduation ceremonies

Box 4	12	WKU President's Office - Ransdell	2001	Speeches	
Description	Commencement, 5/6/2001 Honorary doctorate Jones, Larry			Subjects	Speeches, address, etc. Graduation ceremonies
Box 4	13	WKU President's Office - Ransdell	2001	Speeches	
Description	Commencement, 12/15/2001 Johnson, Thomas. Graduation Poem			Subjects	Speeches, address, etc. Graduation ceremonies Poems Poetry
Box 4	14	WKU President's Office - Ransdell	2002	Speeches	
Description	Commencement, 5/11/2002			Subjects	Speeches, address, etc. Graduation ceremonies Cats
Box 4	15	WKU President's Office - Ransdell	2002	Speeches	
Description	Commencement, 12/14/2002			Subjects	Speeches, address, etc. Graduation ceremonies
Box 4	16	WKU President's Office - Ransdell	2003	Speeches	
Description	Class of 2003 (WKU) Commencement, 5/10/2003 Hyde, Grace			Subjects	Speeches, address, etc. Graduation ceremonies
Box 4	17	WKU President's Office - Ransdell	2003	Speeches	
Description	Commencement, 12/13/2003			Subjects	Speeches, address, etc. Graduation ceremonies
Box 4	18	WKU President's Office - Ransdell	1997-2012	Graduation Remarks - Ideas	
Description	Comm. 343 Speech Writing - Speech Analysis Commencement Speech: Talking Points Ferguson, Norm Geissel, Theodor Goldfrank, Jack. Commencement Address, Troy State University, 1997 Haque, Mary McNeill, Jeff Payne, Barkley Profound Words for Profound Occasions, 6/27/2011 Ramaley, Judith. At Commencemnt: A Call for Better Pursuits, ACB, July/Aug. 1999 Seuss, Dr. Oh, the Places You'll Go, annotated copy Stair, Ernest. How Far Has Your Battle Gone? Toastmaster, 1/2012 Steele, Bernadine Tzu, Chang. The Will to Win Vonnegut, Kurt Wilson, Craig. Advice to Graduates: Get Away While You Can! USA Today 5/2/2012			Subjects	Speeches, address, etc. Graduation ceremonies

Box 4	19	WKU President's Office - Ransdell	1997	Speeches	
Description	Ransdell, Gary. WKU Initial Three Year Plan of Action, 9/25/1997 WKU Presidential Search Presentation, 8/26/1997			Subjects	Speeches, address, etc.
Box 4	20	WKU President's Office - Ransdell	2009	Speeches	
Description	Convocation 8/24/2009 - https://digitalcommons.wku.edu/president_speeches/3/ Online Education: Growing, but Painfully, Chronicle of Higher Education, 5/29/2009			Subjects	Speeches, address, etc.
Box 5		WKU President's Office - Ransdell	1998	Film/Video/Audio File - Speeches	
Description	VHS tape - 1 Gary Ransdell, convocation, 1998 - digitized			Subjects	Video recording Speeches, address, etc.
Box 5	1-3	WKU President's Office - Ransdell	2010	Speeches	
Description	Commencement 5/15/2010 Commencement, Graduate 5/15/2010			Subjects	Speeches, address, etc. Graduation ceremonies
Box 5	4	WKU President's Office - Ransdell	2010	Speeches	
Description	Freshman Assembly: Your Legacy, 9/7/2010 Convocation 8/23/2010			Subjects	Speeches, address, etc.
Box 5	5	WKU President's Office - Ransdell	2010	Speeches	
Description	Commencement, 12/2010 Commencement, Owensboro Community & Technical College, 12/14/2010 Commencement Program draft			Subjects	Speeches, address, etc. Graduation ceremonies
Box 5	6	WKU President's Office - Ransdell	2011	Speeches	
Description	Commencement, 5/2011 Convocation, 8/22/2011 - https://digitalcommons.wku.edu/president_speeches/4/ Dedication of Gary A. Ransdell Hall, 4/29/2011 Garrott, June Powers, Bill. A Message from the President, 4/2011			Subjects	Speeches, address, etc. Graduation ceremonies
Box 5	7	WKU President's Office - Ransdell	2011	Speeches	
Description	Freshman Assembly: Your Legacy, 9/10/2011 Logan County Business & Industry Appreciation Luncheon, 11/2/2011 Owensboro Chamber Rooster Booster Breakfast, 11/3/2011			Subjects	Speeches, address, etc.
Box 5	8	WKU President's Office - Ransdell	2011	Speeches	
Description	Commencement 12/2011 Commencement, Graduate 12/2011 Confucius Institute 11/18/2011 Martin, Terrill, et al. Confucius Institute at WKU: 2011 Assessment Report annotated WKU Confucius Institute, Fall 2011			Subjects	Speeches, address, etc. Graduation ceremonies

Box 5	9-12	WKU President's Office - Ransdell	2012	Speeches	
Description	Commencement 5/2012 Commencement, Graduate 5/2012 Strauss, Valerie. Funniest Commencement Speeches, Washington Post, 5/6/2012			Subjects	Speeches, address, etc. Graduation ceremonies
Box 5	13	WKU President's Office - Ransdell	2012	Speeches	
Description	Elizabethtown Chamber Luncheon 8/15/2012 Lifetime Earnings & Higher Education - A Response to the Higher Education Bubble Debate, The Presidency, Fall 2011 MASTER Plan Convocation, 2012 Mui, Ylan. College Dropouts Carry Huge Debts but no Degree, Washington Post, nd Posters at the Capitol, 2/10/2011 The Regional Economist, Vol. 20, No. 2, 4/2012 Unemployment Across Education 2000-2011 Unemployment Rate by Level of Education, 1992-2011 WKU Chamber Coffee Hour Remarks, 5/25/2012			Subjects	Speeches, address, etc.
Box 5	14	WKU President's Office - Ransdell	2012	Speeches	
Description	Commencement 12/2012 Convocation 8/24/2012 Obama, Barack. Commencement Address at Arizona State University, 5/13/2009			Subjects	Speeches, address, etc. Awards Graduation ceremonies
Box 6		WKU President's Office - Ransdell	1997	Film/Video/Audio File - Speeches	
Description	VHS tapes - 1 Gary Ransdell on the Western experience, 1997 - digitized			Subjects	Video recording Interviews
Box 6	1	WKU President's Office - Ransdell	2013	Speeches	
Description	5 Tips for a Successful First-Year of College, Society Magazine, nd Comments for Governor's Press Conference to Announce University Agency Bond Projects, 1/10/2013 Glasgow Chamber of Commerce, 4/19/2013 Henderson Rotary Club, 2/28/2013 Leader in Me Symposium Remarks, 3/19/2013 Leader in Me, 9/10/2013 MASTER Plan Convocation 8/18/2013 PACE in Pittsburgh: More than Mentors, Society Magazine, nd Paul, Annie. Secrets of the Most Successful College Students, 3/13/2013 Richard Reynolds Foundation Gift Announcement, 2/5/2013 Sarah Vowell Reach Week Introduction, 3/20/2013			Subjects	Speeches, address, etc.
Box 6	2-5	WKU President's Office - Ransdell	2013	Speeches	
Description	Commencement 5/2013 Commencement, Graduate 5/2013			Subjects	Speeches, address, etc. Graduation ceremonies
Box 6	6	WKU President's Office - Ransdell	2013	Speeches	
Description	Convocation drafts and speech, 8/23/2013 - https://digitalcommons.wku.edu/president_speeches/5/			Subjects	Speeches, address, etc.

Box 6	7	WKU President's Office - Ransdell	2013	Convocation Speech Notes	
Description	'Fess Up: Foreign Students are Cash Cows, np, nd Augustine, Norman & David Skorton. Humanities, Social Sciences Critical to Nation's Future, np, nd Barrett Honors College Cherry, Henry Clemens, Samuel Count of Students by General Tuition Categories, 2008-2013 Emslie, Gordon. Trends in Enrollment & Academic Quality, 7/25/2013 Enhancing Honors Education Fox, Carl Gagliardi, Jonathan. College Still Pays, 1/2013 Honors Program (WKU) In Life, College is Way Better than No College, 5/7/2013 Keeling, David Kentucky University Students Compete in Business Plan Contest, Kentucky Ag Connection, 4/22/2013 Mason, Chuck. Student Nabs \$35,000, PCDN, 4/18/2013 McElroy, Doug MTSCOL Program: WKU & Beijing Language & Culture University, Sample Class Schedule Navitas O'Donnell, Kyle Ossello, Lauren Parents Just Might Understand Pinkard, Wade. 2013 CEOs Against Cancer, 5/31/2013 Pope, Justin. Colleges Find Sleep is Key to Grade Average, 9/4/2012 Ramsey, James. State of the University Address, 9/12/2012 Serving America's Future: Increasing College Readiness Statistics Sternberg, Robert. Giving Employers What They Don't Really Want. Chronicle of Higher Education, 6/17/2013 Taylor, Robin The Center for Faculty Development at WKU Twain, Mark University of Louisville. The President's Report, 9/2012 Younglove, Jeff			Subjects	Speeches, address, etc. Correspondence Awards Quotations
Box 6	8-9	WKU President's Office - Ransdell	2013	Speeches	
Description	Commencement 12/2013			Subjects	Speeches, address, etc. Graduation ceremonies
Box 6	10	WKU President's Office - Ransdell	2014	Speeches	
Description	Commuter Students Opening Convocation, 8/17/2014 Convocation 8/22/2014 Gurubacharya, Binaj. US Man Survives Fall in Mountain Crevasse in Nepal, ABC News, 5/23/2014 - John All Leadership for Change, 1/23/2014 MASTER Plan 2014 Neufeldt, Ellen. SACSA About Us Owensboro Lions Club, 11/7/2014 Personal Reflections on Leadership for Change: An Invited Article Southern Association for Colleges Student Affairs, 11/3/2014 Spending on Student Services, Chronicle of Higher Education, 8/1/2014			Subjects	Speeches, address, etc.
Box 6	11-14	WKU President's Office - Ransdell	2014	Speeches	
Description	Commencement 5/2014, 12/2014			Subjects	Speeches, address, etc. Graduation ceremonies

Box 6	15	WKU President's Office - Ransdell	2015	Speeches	
Description	Bowling Green Chamber of Commerce Coffee Hour, 10/30/2015 Commuter Students Opening Convocation Speech and drafts, 8/2015 Convocation 8/21/2015 Jody Richards Roast - Talking Points 9/24/2015 MASTER Plan 2015 and drafts Message to Greek Presidents re: Recent National Events Regarding Racism, Sexual Assault & Hazing, 3/18/2015 Remarks for Honors College International Center Building Dedication, 10/23/2015 Wade, Lisa. 10 Things Every College Professor Hates, Business Insider, 8/26/2014 WKU Kentucky Proud Farm to Campus Announcement, 3/16/2015			Subjects	Speeches, address, etc. Programs
Box 6	16-17	WKU President's Office - Ransdell	2015	Speeches	
Description	Commencement, 5/2015			Subjects	Speeches, address, etc. Graduation ceremonies
Box 7	1-4	WKU President's Office - Ransdell	2015	Speeches	
Description	Commencement, 5/2015, 12/2015			Subjects	Speeches, address, etc. Graduation ceremonies
Box 7	5	WKU President's Office - Ransdell	2016	Speeches	
Description	Bowling Green Rotary, outline, 1/13/2016 Civility Commencement WKU Elizabethtown / Fort Knox Commuter Students Opening Convocation draft, 8/2016 Convocation 8/19/2016 Dance Big Red, Remarks, 3/18/2016 Donor Appreciation Dinner, 10/21/2016 Kentucky Workforce Innovation Board, 8/18/2016 MASTER Plan 8/2016 Remarks for Campus Forum, 11/21/2016 Unrest			Subjects	Speeches, address, etc. Graduation ceremonies Demonstrations Elections Political activity Politics & government Freedom of speech Protest movements
Box 7	6-9	WKU President's Office - Ransdell	2016	Speeches	
Description	Commencement 5/2016, 12/2016			Subjects	Speeches, address, etc. Graduation ceremonies
Box 7	10	WKU President's Office - Ransdell	2017	Speeches	
Description	Commencement Eulogies Hall of Distinguished Alumni 10/13/2017 Jody Richards Hall Dedication, 5/4/2017 Mass Media & Technology Hall (WKU) Owensboro Rooster Booster Talking Points, 6/1/2017 Ransdell, Julie Richards Hall (WKU) Thoughts Regarding Jerry Baker, 6/29/2017 WKU Elizabethtown / Fort Knox Graduation Remarks, 5/14/2017 WKU Owensboro Graduation Remarks 5/15/2017			Subjects	Speeches, address, etc. Graduation ceremonies Funeral rites & ceremonies Programs

Box 7	11-14	WKU President's Office - Ransdell	2017	Speeches	
Description	Commencement 5/2017 Commencement, Graduate 5/2017			Subjects	Speeches, address, etc. Graduation ceremonies
Box 7	15	WKU President's Office - Ransdell	2007-2011	Speeches	
Description	Gatton Academy of Mathematics & Science Senior Dinner, 9/15/2011 Impact of State Budget Reductions on WKU, 5/15/2009 - https://digitalcommons.wku.edu/president_speeches/2/ Kentucky Mesonet Network Announcement, 5/26/2009 WKU Center for Regional Development Announcement, 11/12/2007 World Council for Gifted & Talented Media Announcement Remarks, 11/16/2010			Subjects	Speeches, address, etc. Invitations
Box 75		WKU President's Office - Ransdell	1998	Film/Video/Audio File - Speeches	
Description	betacam sp - 1 Commencement Speech, Spring 1998			Subjects	Video recording Speeches, address, etc. Graduation ceremonies
CD Box 3	CD951	WKU President's Office - Ransdell	2008	Speeches	
Description	Convocation, 8/22/2008 powerpoint			Subjects	Speeches, address, etc.
CD Box 3	CD1152	WKU President's Office - Ransdell	1997	Film/Video/Audio File - Speeches	
Description	DVD - 1 Gary Ransdell on the Western experience, 1997 https://youtu.be/MOjEuNTassg			Subjects	Video recording Interviews
CD Box 3	CD1161	WKU President's Office - Ransdell	1998	Film/Video/Audio File - Speeches	
Description	DVD - 1 Gary Ransdell, convocation, 1998 - https://youtu.be/V6OG_3_v5JU			Subjects	Video recording Speeches, address, etc.
OS Box 121	22	WKU President's Office - Ransdell	2012	Graduation Remarks - Ideas	
Description	Class of WKU 2012 Red Towel White, Brian. WKU to Hold Forums on Move to I-A Football, PCDN, nd			Subjects	Towels
OS Box 128	1	WKU President's Office - Ransdell	2009-2014	Graduation Remarks - Ideas	
Description	Chronicle of Higher Education: The Digital Campus, 5/13/2011 College Heights Herald, Graduation 2014 Glenn, David. For Certain Types of Students, the Finish Line Keeps Receding, Chronicle of Higher Education, 9/18/2009 Hebel, Sara. Presidents & Faculty Try to Keep Pace with Shifting Values, Chronicle of Higher Education, 8/21/2012 Higher Education in 2011, Chronicle of Higher Education, 5/20/2011 Jenkins, Rob. The New Traditional Student, Chronicle of Higher Education, 10/19/2012 Supiano, Beckie. New Fund-Raising Message: Your Money Can Keep a Student Enrolled, Chronicle of Higher Education, 9/18/2009 Today's Faculty: Stressed, Focused on Teaching, Undeterred by Long Odds, Chronicle of Higher Education, 11/2/2012			Subjects	Speeches, address, etc. Graduation ceremonies Education

Tape Box 1	Drawer 4	WKU President's Office - Ransdell	1997-1998	Film/Video/Audio File - Speeches
Description	Audiotapes - 3 digitized			Subjects
	Elizabethtown Rotary Club Address, 1997, s1 - m186.wav, s2 - m185.wav State of the University, 1998 (2) m182.wav, m183.wav, m184.wav			Video recording Speeches, address, etc.
Tape Box 4	Drawer 21	WKU President's Office - Ransdell	1997-1999	Film/Video/Audio File - Speeches
Description	Audiotapes - 3 - digitized			Subjects
	Convocation, 1999 - m189.wav, m190.wav Glasgow Rotary Club Address, 1997, m196.wav			Video recording Speeches, address, etc.