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**Statewide higher education study files A0614**

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## Overview of the Records

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<b>Repository:</b>	New York State Archives
<b>Summary:</b>	These files from the Temporary Commission on the Need for a State University and its Committees contains routine correspondence and memoranda, hearing transcripts, reports by the commission and its committees, and reimbursement forms. Topics reflected in the subject files include medical, dental, and nursing education and fiscal studies on the commission's recommendations and barriers to minority group participation in higher education.
<b>Creator:</b>	New York (State). Temporary Commission on the Need for a State University
<b>Title:</b>	Statewide higher education study files
<b>Quantity:</b>	7 cubic feet
<b>Quantity:</b>	(10 microfilm reels)
<b>Inclusive Date:</b>	1946-1948
<b>Series:</b>	A0614

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## Arrangement

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Organized into five subseries: 1) Reports; 2) Transcripts; 3) Subject File; 4) Correspondence File; and 5) Commissioners' File.

Subseries 1, Reports:Numeric by original commission numbering.

Subseries 2, Transcripts:Chronological.

Subseries 3, Subject File; Subseries 4, Correspondence File; and Subseries 5, Commissioners' File:Alphabetical.

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## Scope and Content Note

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This series contains correspondence, memoranda, transcripts, final reports and drafts, preliminary reports, and reimbursement forms.

The first subseries, Reports, contains drafts and final reports of the commission and its committees. The second subseries, Transcripts, contains both commission and committee transcripts of meetings and one public hearing detailing the commission's organization and its exploration of New York's educational needs.

The Subject File relates to topics explored by the commission such as medical, dental, and nursing education and fiscal studies on the commission's recommendations. In addition, the commission examined what barriers existed which could prevent minorities from participating in higher education. The file also includes items concerning the establishment and goals of the commission.

The Correspondence File contains routine correspondence such as requests for the commission's preliminary report and the commission's requests to institutions for information relating to their operation. The Commissioners' File details each commissioner's responses to the drafts of reports and meeting minutes, as well as documenting other business such as the expenses incurred related to commission work.

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## Related Information

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### Related Material

Series A3036, Files for Staff Study on Inequality of Opportunity in Higher Education, contains related records.

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## Other Finding Aids

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### Available at Repository

Folder list.

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## Use of Records

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### Access Restrictions

There are no restrictions regarding access to or use of the material.

### Alternate Formats AvailableAlternate Formats Available

Microform is available at the New York State Archives through interlibrary loan.

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## Access Terms

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- Universities and colleges--Graduate work
- Discrimination in education--New York (State)
- Professional education--New York (State)
- Researching education
- Higher education and state--New York (State)
- Medical education policy--New York (State)
- Education and state--New York (State)
- New York (State)
- State University of New York