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Descriptive Summary

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Abstract

111 videotape cassettes that document the work of Search for Common Ground.

Creator

Search for Common Ground.

Physical Characteristics

5.0 linear feet (15 boxes)

Repository

George Mason University. Libraries. Special Collections Research Center

Administrative Information

Access Restrictions

SCRC does not have the capability to view betacam videocassettes. These items may require digitization in order to be viewed.

Use Restrictions

There are no restrictions on personal use. Permission to publish material from the Search for Common Ground records must be obtained from Special Collections Research Center, George Mason University Libraries.

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Historical Information

Search for Common Ground is an international non-profit organization with the aim of promoting and implementing peaceful, non-adversarial conflict resolutions. The organization was founded in 1982 by John Marks, and is currently headquartered in Washington, D.C. and Brussels, Belgium. The organization also operates media production through Common Ground Productions.

Scope and Content

111 videotape cassettes that document the work of Search for Common Ground, mostly masters in betacam format of programs the organization made in past years - "Shape of the Future" from Israel-Palestine, "Nashe Maalo" from Macedonia, Africa: Search for Common Ground , pan-African, and the "Search for Common Ground " series for US public television.

Related Material

Special Collections Research Center also holds several other collection on conflict resolution, including the [Harold Saunders papers](#), the [Louise Diamond papers](#), and the [Jim Laue papers](#).

Index Terms

Persons:

Marks, John

Geographical Names:

Africa.
Angola.
Israel.
Macedonia.
Palestine.
South Africa.

Subjects:

Conflict management.
Israel/Palestine.
Portuguese.
Television and children.
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Arrangement

The collection is arranged in order of size, the original order in which it was received by the donor, and numerically within the original order, respectively. Note: When numbers were not provided for individual tapes, they were placed after numbered tapes from the boxes/in the order they were received in.

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