



Guide to the Duke Players Records, 1930-1986

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Summary

Collection Title:

Duke Players records, 1930-1986

Creator:

Duke University. Duke Players

Abstract:

Duke University's Duke Players was founded in February 1931, with the intention of providing students with the opportunity to participate in all aspects of theater. Records include production files, news clippings, press releases, newsletters, posters, and scrapbooks.

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Background

Scope and Content

Records include production files, news clippings, press releases, newsletters, posters, and scrapbooks. Materials range in date from 1930 to 1986.

Biographical/Historical

Duke University's Duke Players was founded in February 1931, replacing the defunct Taurian Players, a coed dramatic group established in 1924.

The intention of the Duke Players was (and is) to provide students with the opportunity to participate in all aspects of theater, including acting, directing, and production. Though established when the Women's College was still in existence, female students joined male students in all areas of production. The Duke Players is completely student run, though it does have a faculty representative.

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Administrative Information

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- College theater
- Duke University. Duke Players
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