Ernst Zimmermann fonds

These papers relate to research, teaching, and the union, community, and political activities of Dr. Ernst Zimmermann, former professor of history and Dean of Arts at Lakehead University.

The fonds consists of 320 folders as well as assorted loose documents and items. Many topics are covered, mostly relating: to University business, grades, and conflicts; papers from Dr Zimmermann’s television show; research notes; the Lakehead University Faculty Association and its labour actions; the University Senate; the Faculty of Arts and the Department of History; information about colleagues; travel; his work with the NDP; and information about Jack Ewert.

Dr Ernst Zimmermann (1931-2008) was a professor of History at Lakehead since 1967. Prior, he lectured at the University of Saskatchewan after receiving his doctorate from the University of London in 1968, specialising in Slavonic and East Europe Studies. Over his time at the University he took on many roles, including the Chairman of the Department of History, Dean of Arts, President of the Lakehead University Faculty Association, and Chairman of the Senate Academic Committee. He has also advised the Ontario Graduate Scholarship Selection Panel and written over a hundred abstracts for German-language articles for the American Bibliographical Centre.

Many files are restricted access, including those related to hiring, promotion, and dismissal of Lakehead University faculty, and those related to students’ work and grades.

Wherever possible this inventory uses Zimmermann’s own labels and language.

Box #1


Personal Corres Re Appointments: Precisely what it says on the tab. McMaster, Aberdeen, and York are mentioned.

Applications / Ready for LU Applications/Jobs 1967: Rejection letters from Trent, Laurentian, Utah State, United College, U. of Western Ontario, Sir George Williams, Old Dominion College, Indiana University, San Jose, Selkirk, Arizona... Many others. Lists of institutions to apply to.


Loose: Application correspondence to Nipissing and Memorial, 1983, with note saying, 'Place in my job File'

Curriculum Vitae 1973-1993: CVs, ordered apparently at random.


Public Lectures incomplete / sort out later: A selection of essay notes on topics such as Berlin, the Shoah, multiculturalism, foreign policy, the USSR, and the role of universities. Includes handwritten drafts.

ABC-CLIO: ...

-> CLIO - correspondence only abstracts in separate folder: 1969-73. Correspondence and promotional materials from the American Bibliographic Center. Abstracting work done by Dr Zimmermann.

... 1968-1970. Article abstracts written by Dr Zimmermann.

China Programme 1978 / China Lectures Johnson 1978: WATER DAMAGE. Reverend Dr Johnson was invited for three lectures in 1978. Memoranda, correspondence, expense accounts, requests for room bookings, brief biographies, newsletters.

Professional 1968-2001 outside LU: English and German. Correspondence with government agencies, professional groups, and libraries. Topics include articles submitted, letters of reference, the MERSH, invitations to studies, requests for donations.

Restricted. 1965-2001 1. Personal salary 2. Correspondence to institution: Correspondence includes the U.S.S.R. Embassy, the hiring offer to Dr Zimmermann, salary scales, financial statements (marked CONFIDENTIAL) and discussion of promotions following Dr Zimmermann's doctorate, a small disciplinary conflict, sabbatical guides.

Professional / career correspondence excluding salaries: Dr Zimmermann's hiring, expense accounts, dinner invitations, Dr Zimmermann's tenure refusal, sabbatical benefits, the strike, bursary funds. Includes salaries.

Letters of Reference:

**Restricted.** -> Letters of Reference, for Faculty: 1968-1978. Handwritten and typed letters of reference from Dr Zimmermann regarding various staff and faculty members. English and German. Some marked CONFIDENTIAL.


**Box #2**

Miscellanea: Includes Dr. French's obituary, an advertisement for Dr Johnson's China lectures from 1978, a paper about the United Nations Human Rights Celebration of 1979, a handwritten cover letter on a review of the Bystander from 1980, an LU Week 2 from 1983, and a handwritten inventory list for a nonexistent Box #25.


Colleagues' Correspondence: 1968-99. Handwritten and typed correspondence and holiday cards between Dr Zimmermann and assorted colleagues, including ones at the Thunder Bay Public Library. Subdivisions marked 'Colleagues Misc,' 'Dr Chris Jecchinis, economist,' 'Prof Tom Harris (1 letter) & Dr K.J. Charles, both economists,' (Some marked CONFIDENTIAL) and Prof. J. Lovekin, Fac. of Ed. Topics include model UNs, Indira Ghandi, internal conflicts, travel plans.

Dr. G. Shroeter: Notes and correspondence from Gerd Schroeter. Papers by Dr Schroeter on ethnic studies, privacy, , with a request to Dr Zimmermann that they be added to Dr Schroeter's tenure folder. Publications from the Journal of Ethnic Studies and the Journal of Sociology. Handwritten correspondence and doodles. Setting-up of memorial services, 1999. Newspaper clippings and obituaries. Dr Schroeder’s CV, up to the 1990s (ends with 1991-date).
Dr. A. Akram: Papers by Dr Akram, including one on the link between psychology and cardiac disease. Internal memoranda and correspondence from Dr Akram. Pay stub and apology letter for involvement in the strike. Photocopies from Behavioural and Brain Sciences. ILLs filed by Dr Zimmermann regarding grant funding in biology.

Richard Ruggle: Correspondence between Dr Zimmermann and Richard Ruggle of the Canadian Church Historical Society, concerning religion in the USSR, 1976-77.


Dr Zimmermann personal items - cards etc:

-> RITE March 22/96: Drafts, newspaper clippings, invitations, guest lists, to Dr Zimmermann's 'Rite of Passage' retirement party.

-> Loose: A set of envelopes with RSVP cards. Cards congratulating Dr Zimmermann on his retirement. A bundle of Rite programme cards. Fundraising letters for Tom Miller fund.

Personal LU correspondence 1979-2001 -Salary -Institutional: Party planning, Agora articles, class planning, the age-salary scattergram, Dr Zimmermann's appointment as President of LUFA, letters regarding his television show, campaign contribution receipt. Small binding - Personal correspondence within Lakehead University, 1979-2001: Orientation, partnering for Silver Mountain mining exploration, cards, campaign receipt, expense accounts.


Canada Council on aid to Publications!: 1973-75. Memoranda and publications regarding aid programmes and article publishing.


Communikit: Documents and microfilm from the Ministry of Education regarding learning materials and research assistance.


Box #3


Canadian Slavonic Papers 1970-: Correspondence relating to bibliographies, fee payments, reviews by Dr. Zimmermann.


Notes on German | E+W | high school history curricula: 1969-1973. "August 2002: This is a 'research file.' It was collected in order for an intended article comparing East and West German high school history textbooks, covering the interwar period, 1918-1939." Handwritten notes and memoranda, ILL slips. Copies of research material and articles. English and German.

Polytechnics: 1979-80. Reports on polytechnical education in Ontario, especially regarding Ryerson. German report on 'Hochschulen.' Ryerson Rambler from 1979. Note from President telling Dr. Zimmermann to pass this copy of the report along.

Prof. Ruge Laurentian: 1981. Prof Elizabeth Ruge proposed a project examining relationships between language programmes and the labour market. The proposal and its proposed budget are included, as are the preliminary research, correspondence, notes, and memoranda about it. Internal correspondence shows up minor conflicts, but Dr. Zimmermann was supportive of the project. BUDGET MARKED CONFIDENTIAL.


Loose: Draft of an Investigation into the Relationship between Personality Traits & Boarding Home Habits as it Applies to Academic Achievement for a Sample of Grade 9 & 10 Indian Students, by Jerry Latus. 1972.


Loose: Aerobic Power and Tonic Heart Rate Responses to Psychosocial Stressors. Jerry P. Cox, James F. Evans, and John L. Jamieson. Lakehead University. Ten pages.

Loose: Prague Spring of 1968 Revisited. Dr J. Alex Boucek, Carleton. One page.


Loose: Newspaper clippings, undated. Funding formulas and biological effects of stress.


Loose: A Canadian Family Growth Study questionairre, University of Western Ontario.


Publications: Articles - incomplete! wait for more to turn up!: English and Russian. List of articles and conference papers. Photocopies from journals. Articles. University academic plan, 1977. Article on Gustav Klimt?


Northern Studies 1970: ...


... Northern Area Studies President's Committee 1965 to 1970. Reports on a great many topics including agriculture, mining, and development.


Tyumen conference 1991 - Tyumen Faculty Exchange 1990!:

-> Correspondence Nikolai Sergeyvich Polivinskin: Notes and correspondence, mostly handwritten.
1. Tyumen Trip Dec. 1990 Reports.: 1991, Long report on exchange trip of Lisa Ventrudo, which was unpleasant. Complete Report by Dr E.R. Zimmermann, Associate Professor of History, on his Sojourn to Tyumen State University as the first LU Faculty Member Participating in the LU-TSU Faculty Exchange Program (from November 28 to December 22, 1990). Report of the Lakehead University Delegation/Contingent attending the Second International Conference on "The Role of the Circumpolar Universities in the Development of the North." Draft of the same. Report on Faculty of History, Tyumen State University, (based on conversation with Dean Gur'ev) marked CONFIDENTIAL.


unfulfillable approaches!? [?]: English and Russian. Correspondence, list of works by Dr Koritskii E.B. CV for Dr Ludmila Nikolaevna Ilyina, with her papers, Natural Resources of the Russian North: Environmental Problems of Development and Perspectives, Human Impact on Natural Environment and Resources: Methodology and Methods of Evaluation; the Framework for Research, and papers for the International Guild of Independent Ecologists.


Merit Request [?] / Library (Marina's Notes) copy of article! + my manuscript!: A Canadian Ethnic Studies conference document from 1983. A Prospectus by Marina Robinson regarding J. George Hodgins, 1972...


Internal correspondence from Marina Robinson noting a student's emphatic opinions written on an exam paper. Extensive research notes. ILL documents, pamphlets from the Multicultural History
Society, History exams.

Learned Societies (Canada) Meetings, Notices, Correspondence / Dr. Bleek's Visit Sept 1985 Nov 1986[Struck Through] Feb 1987: English and German. Correspondence and promotional materials regarding Professor Wilhelm Bleek, a political scientist who offered visiting public lectures at Lakehead. Includes catalogues from the West German consulate regarding loans of films, from 1974 and 1983, papers on study grants, and correspondence from Old Fort William.

Box #4

Western Slavic Conference, March 1984 Hoover Institute, Stanford University: Brochures for the Western Slavic Association conference. Correspondence of thanks, conference papers. Copies of and handwritten comments on other conference papers. Travel itineraries. Conference programme.


Rural Transformation - Volgyes: Peasantry of E. Europe: 1978. Correspondence with Dr Volgyes apologising for being unable to attend the Annual Conference on Attitudinal and Behavioral Changes in Rural Life, and programmes for said conference.


-> Wright Commission Briefs: Opinions and commentaries on the Commission, including proposals for the merger of Lakehead and Confederation into a degree-granting institution.


Commission on Post-Secondary Education in Ontario: Post-Secondary Education in Northwestern Ontario. Enumerates concerns and difficulties with the condition of Lakehead and Confederation.
Includes prior report. Twenty pages.

Post-Secondary Education in Ontario: A Statement of Issues. Lists current issues such as enrollment, costs, job prospects for students, necessity of humanities-based education as opposed to strictly economic growth, and reform of matters like trimester-based academic years. Twenty pages, odd measurements.


Post-Secondary Education in Northwestern Ontario: A Brief to the President. Opinions of Lakehead faculty regarding the prior report’s recommendations. Approximately sixty pages.


Unlabeled accordion folder: Reports on problems and issues in the 1980s. Notes, reports, clippings, statements, and memoranda about the issues surrounding the Steering Committee, 1982. Demands from Faculty of Science and Faculty Association to repudiate this committee, regarding 'Lakehead University in the 1980’s.'


Loose: Planning at Lakehead University, Data and Issues Analyses, 1983. Forty-eight pages plus handwritten notes.


Loose: Memorandum re: debate between Dr Roseheart and Linda Frum, 1989.


General, Miscell. LU 'stuff' pictures, etc: News clippings, brochures, and posters, mostly regarding
Lakehead and Confederation issues, but very eclectic. Most undated.

McPherson shit [sic]. SoC: 1993-96. Agora and Alumni Association articles regarding establishment of the Native Philosophy Project by Dr Dennis McPherson. Memoranda regarding the Board of Governors' meeting, to which a report regarding the Aboriginal Management Council was presented. AMC terms of reference, Senate reports on same. Handwritten memoranda regarding Senate reorganisation. AMC reports, grievances to President. Senate meeting reports, with handwritten notes.

**Restricted.** Search Committee Dean of Science / Science-, Search for a Dean - Committee (1979-1980): Memoranda and minutes of a committee to determine the new Dean of Science, with which Dean Zimmermann was involved. Procedures. Concerns from the Senate. Nominations. Discussion of the role of the Dean in the university. Walden Report appraising Faculty of Science. Some papers marked CONFIDENTIAL. Mutinous morale in Faculty of Science. Dr Mothersill appointed.

**Box #5**

Loose: Report of the Special Committee for the Development of Research at Lakehead University, 1985, plus memoranda and recommendations based upon it.

Loose: Bundle of news clippings regarding budget cutbacks and class sizes, 1973.


Four folders bound with a rubber band:

**Restricted.** -> (Bjorgo) - Wightmann: 1971. Correspondence and reports regarding the dismissal of Dr Bjorgo due to poor understanding of the nascent Faculty Handbook. 1970-71 correspondence and reports regarding the dismissal of Prof Wightman due to several suggested factors, including the official definition of 'belief,' budgetary concerns, academic non-performance, Prof Wightman not actually being a sociologist at all, a general dislike of Prof Wightman from the department, and interference from the American CIA. Detailed description of investigation process. Argus articles about student protests regarding Prof Wightman and the establishment of the SFAC. Correspondence regarding establishment of the Students For Arbitration Committee. Drawings

**Restricted.** - Appeal Cases: 1973-74. Correspondence and memoranda regarding personnel cases and their contestation by LUFA. Peter McCormick, G. Birger, A. Scholl, Lee Burkett. Reprimand against Dr Engholm. Summer course assignments and swimming pool management.

**Restricted.** - Language D. Bassil Case, Greivance: English and French. 1968-72. Correspondence and minutes. Termination of Mr W. Bassil over budgetary concerns and the uncertain future of Russian language courses. Handwritten notes regarding the teaching of Russian and Classics. Telegram marked CONFIDENTIAL. Protests against the appointment and reign of Mr Lewis in the Language department.

**Restricted.** - The Chen Case: 1975-76. Greivance between Dr Chen and Dr French. LUFA interviews of Sociology professors. Open letter from Student Action Committee against Dr French - allegations of tyranny, fascism, racism, alcoholism, psychopathy, promiscuity, sexual assault, and homosexuality, and that any of which should disqualify him from teaching, and includes psychoanalysis of French. Grievance relating to small enrollment in graduate programme. Grievance filed against Dr Chen regarding her going to LUFA rather than Dean Melnyk. Sociology department meeting minutes. Registration forms. Interviews with Drs French, Melnyk, Minore, Stafford. Directory of Sociology faculty. Handwritten notes. Denial of sick leave to Dr Chen.


Loose: Memorandum regarding article drafts, to Dean Ryan from N.C. Bonsor, Department of Economics. 1971.


Loose: Current Issues in University Management Education. 1978. Note to Dr. Zimmermann from Jerry to read pages 27 and 28. Thirty-six pages.


Sociology Dept. - Personalities - Fam. Life Prog. - Soc. Plan. Council:

-> [L]usu: 1966-68. Formation of societies, invitations to events, the Alma Mater Society, articles from The Medium.

-> Dean Ryan: 1968-70. Memoranda from Dean Ryan regarding Promotion and Tenure, office space, research proposals, First Nation education.


-> SAVE Dr French's Drawings!: Empty folder with drawings of revolvers on the outside and handwritten notes on the inside.


-> Schroeter: 1966-77. Reports and handwritten correspondence regarding Dr Schroeter. CV. Offer from Lakehead, marked Confidential.

-> Simon Fraser University: 1969. Memoranda and reports regarding a strike of the Poli Sci, Sociology, and Anthropology department at Simon Fraser.


Restricted. -> Ruiperez Raffo: 1975-83. Correspondence, handwritten notes, course proposals. Grant applications. Course offerings in Sociology. Dr Chen's health issues, course load, and sabbatical. Handwritten notes inside the folder. Some papers damaged, others marked CONFIDENTIAL.


Box #6

Folder of folders:


Folder of folders, Lakehead University Academic Plan cartoon:


Academic Plan (Working) File Minutes: Memoranda, drafts, member lists, minutes and agendas for Senate Academic Committee, 1976-80. Topics include Academic Plan, graduate accreditation, University of Ontario. Proposals for Faculty of Forestry, Doctor of Psychology, Theory of Coaching. [Lots of duplicates - weed?]

Blank folder / Conf. on Future of the University!: Memoranda, agendas, discussion of Future of Lakehead University Conference, 1980.


Loose: The Potential Impact of Regional High School Enrollment Changes to 1986 on Universities

-> Working Group Arts: Reports, notes, newspaper clippings, and memoranda regarding the Working Group, Faculty of Arts, 1981-82.


-> Academic Plan / Correspondence, 1977/78: Exactly as described.

-> Loose: Handwritten notes and memoranda regarding the Plan. Senate Committee on Academic Planning preliminary report. Reports from Faculty of Science, Department of Poli Sci, Department of Economics, Department of Education. Compiled reports, 1976.


Academic Plan Harrower 1982 Fac of Arts Group!: Reports, graphs, and recommendations to the Senate. Salaries, enrollment, names of committees are discussed.

Box #7


Dep. of History 1967-1974 !:

-> Department of HISTORY 1967-1969: Memoranda regarding rereads, library allocations, student
loads, projects, proposed courses, travel grants, compulsory language requirements, registration, exams. Staff directories, annual reports, course lists, committee directories. Agendas and minutes. Some memoranda marked CONFIDENTIAL.

-> Hist. Dept. 70: Minutes and memoranda. Budgets, essay milling, language programme, boycott of classes, library allocation, space allocation, the off-campus programme. Committee recommendations regarding student representation. Report to the Chairman regarding non-functioning committees.


-> Department of History, 1972: Reference letter. Programme planning, timetables, enrollment numbers, printing budgets, undergraduate handbooks, Dr Hilliker's tenure. Memorandum regarding teaching evaluations conducted by priests of Marduk followed by retirements via hemlock, from Dr Dodd. Handwritten drafts. Registration schedules.

-> Dept. of History 1973-: Memos, minutes, et c. Orders of periodicals, history club space, extension committee. Letter from Dr Zimmermann to the Embassy of Bundesrepublik regarding invitation of a Bundesrepublik to speak about economics and/or German History since the class was just introduced. Undergraduate handbook. Procedures and assessments. Budget and library allocations. Curriculum Committee proposals. Draft of course assignments and grading. Off-campus courses. Normalisation of off-campus and summer students with the regular programme requirements. Proposed History of Science course. Personal correspondence from Dr. Zimmermann. New grading system.


Dept. of History 1975 - 1989 II:

-> Dept. of History 1975: Operating Engineers' strike. British M.A. development ongoing. Handwritten notes. Cancellation of Spring Session. Report on Lakehead's Continuing Education, to be sent to Ministry of Colleges and Universities. Proposed new courses such as Growth of Industrial Society, Western Rural Society, and Britain Since 1688. Dr. Miller is athletic. CONFIDENTIAL tag seems insincere. List of requested classes. Interview with board chairmen about relaxation of long-term government stringency and how that won't happen. Ill-digested and hastily thought-out


-> Woodrow Wilson Fellowship Representative 1968-1973(?): Correspondence, forms, nominations, transcripts.


Loose: Application to Appraisals Committee Ontario Council on Graduate Studies, 1968. Reports marked PRIVATE AND CONFIDENTIAL.


Loose: Course evaluation memo. Listing of students by major. Three pages.


LACAC #21(2): ...


... Teaching evaluation records, 1991-93.

-> Course Evaluation Vol II: 1974-. Handwritten notes, surveys, results.

**Box #8**


**Restricted.** Students' Communications 1967-1990s(?): Arranged by student's surname, somewhat. Phone message slips. Oversize final essay paper from 1988. Correspondence regarding marks, student projects and organisations, letters of reference, referees' CONFIDENTIAL appraisal forms. Students' transcripts. Office fee slips. Late assignments. Accomodations for student health concerns...

**Restricted.** -> B. Colborne - 1974-75: Seminar comments,

**Restricted.** ... correspondence, registration slips. Postcard. Invitation to joint LUSU-NDP event...

Restricted. ... More correspondence...


Restricted. ... Correspondence...

Restricted. -> Metsaranta: Correspondence with and letters of reference for Marc Metsaranta, 1977-78.

Restricted. ... Correspondence. Refunds due to INCs. Newspaper clippings about successful students.

Box #9

Unlabelled accordion folder:


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German Hist. Docs.:


Unlabeled accordion folder:

-> Saskatoon, 1965-67: Assignments, 1965-67, for University of Saskatoon's Hist 102, taught by Mr Zimmermann. Reading lists. Lists of newly-catalogued books.

-> 4801 - 00/01 / Hist. 4801 (all-inclusive!): 1996-2001. Assignments, outlines, exams, and handwritten drafts. Seminar schedules. Suggestions for paying for books. Photograph, and photocopies of the photograph, of a pig?


Unlabeled accordion folder:


Box #10

Teaching Evaluations 1971-1972 to 1996 2 folders: Alma Mater Society-produced Teacher and

**Restricted.** Miscellaneous Items: memos, notes from students, attendance at interviews, etc.: 1970-96. Notes from students, event attendance, committee membership, lists of incompletes, thank-you notes for donations and high school appearances, the Student Christian Movement, handwritten interview attendance notes, orientation notes. Some marked CONFIDENTIAL.


**Restricted.** Ignace / Hist 2105: 1984. Memoranda, final exam, class lists and marks and assignments for History classes taught in Ignace.


**Restricted.** -> Dryden - Extension 1968/69: Handwritten notes, memoranda, class lists with marks, thank-you card and letters. Correspondence with students regarding marks.

**Restricted.** -> Summer School 1970 History 1a6: Class lists and marks, essay assignments.


- Dept.: Com. on Extension 1971/72 / Extension Department of History Committee: Enrollment report. Meeting minutes and memoranda. Course offerings, five-year planning, CVs.


Letters - add to LU files!: 1984-2001. Correspondence, memoranda, and pamphlets. Jokes, internal departmental matters, course proposals, Dr Zimmermann's retirement, complaint letters to Air Canada, financial statements, promotion of Dr Smith, instructional space, first-year orientation. Mostly handwritten drafts.

Box #11

Faculty of Arts: Minutes and memoranda related to the Faculty of Arts, 1966-1974.


Staffing 1979-80 Budget Preparation: Memoranda and reports for term appointments. Faculty lists and course proposals.

Teaching Load Proposals: Report on Faculty of Art workload, 1968. 1979: Evaluation of Middle Eastern history course by Dr V. Smith. Formula for calculating workload in Department of Psychology. Memoranda about comparative teaching loads between schools and departments. Lists of numbers of courses. Lists of faculty and their course loads.

Fac. of Arts Com. on Inter-Faculty Disparities: Senate Academic Planning Committee report on budgets and enrollments between faculties, 1969-1970. Memoranda regarding ad-hoc disparity committee and graduate student stipends. Graphs of workloads and budgets.

Loose: Characteristics and Project of Profile and Policy for Humanistic Studies (four pages), and following memoranda, 1973.

Loose: Two pieces of correspondence regarding the Division of Humanistic Studies, 1973.

Fac of Ed. 1970s ??? Arts Rep: 1971- . Memoranda and reports concerning requirements in the B. Ed. programme. There is also a report on the relevance of philosophy requirements for teachers and proposals for the reform of the B. Ed. programme following new regulations for teaching education.

Restricted. Dean of Arts File #1: 1970-81. Internal correspondence, memoranda, minutes, and reports. Miscellaneous matters including cartoons of professors, library purchases, salaries, continuing education, and Dr Zimmermann's appointment as Dean in 1978. Also includes handwritten notes and cards and a receipt for a traffic ticket. Some items are marked
Restricted. Dean of Arts #2: 1979-83. Memoranda, handwritten notes, correspondence, minutes, clippings. Miscellaneous administrative matters, including circumstances surrounding the death of Dr French, honours lists, administrator evaluations, time and budget examinations, sabbaticals. Some items marked CONFIDENTIAL.

Restricted. Dean of Arts 78-83 Pre-History: Memoranda and correspondence, apparently miscellaneous across Arts. Matters such as tenure, salaries, private offices, and academia jokes are discussed. Some papers discussing conflict between faculty members are marked Private And Confidential.

Restricted. Dr French File, Fac of Arts: 1972-77. This file is primarily correspondence and memoranda between the Faculty of Arts and Dr French of Sociology, plus news clippings from the Argus and meeting minutes. Topics discussed include the election of a Chair for Sociology and the new experimental split between Anthropology and Sociology, as well as administrative frictions, accountings of the number of calculators and dictaphones on hand, Dr Chen, and correspondence that has been destroyed. Some marked PRIVATE AND CONFIDENTIAL.

Restricted. Ruiperez, Dr Raul, Department of Sociology / Ruiperez Aff. Sorted complete: One folder, also labelled ‘Ruiperez, Dr Raul, Department of Sociology.’ 1975-. Correspondence, memoranda, clippings, affidavits regarding Dr Ruiperez’ hiring, work with Addiction Research, and the lion’s share of the file regards legal concerns over his firing and conflicts with Dr French. Includes his CV and concerns about visas from the University of New Mexico. Conflict regarding it is evidenced between Dr Zimmermann and Dr Melnyk. Some internal correspondence is marked CONFIDENTIAL and EYES ONLY. English, Italian, Spanish, and Latin.

Restricted. LANG 1981: Has a Ruiperez clipping in. Should it be moved? Rest of file is memoranda, notes, and reports regarding conflict between Dr Zimmermann and Dr Seyffert, and the cancellation of a French Immersion programme. Some correspondence is CONFIDENTIAL.

LU - General Academic Evaluation Proposals / Teaching Evaluation Part of Deanship 1978-83: Articles, memoranda, guidebooks and proposals for course evaluations, along with concerns and critiques. Exams are included. Also surveys/evaluations for Arts students from 1967.

Box #12

Restricted. Blank folder ('Mr. G. D. McLeod,' on inside cover): Note, 'This folder contains 'Odds & Ends' relating to Fac. of Arts. - These bits illustrate relations within Fac of Arts - routine routinely!' 1973-1979. Internal correspondence and memoranda detailing minor issues - small conflicts between professors, complaints about exam writing conditions, discussions of publishing, disciplinary matters, programme proposals.

16: A ripped folder half upon which is written 'Any 2002, Dept of Hist. during Dean's years! 1978-1982. Memoranda and correspondence regarding research grants, library integration, off-campus course planning, corridor issues, budgets, convocation, farm safety programmes, course
scheduling. Also includes budget statements, course lists, meeting minutes, enrollment numbers, course reviews, honours graduands, minutes from Scarborough's history department, lists of Masters' theses and Honours' dissertations, meetings with secondary school history departments, Revisionist newsletter, continuation codes, course outlines, Dr. Zimmermann's alleged undercompensating a secretary, cheque requisitions, invitations, invigilation regulations. Budget statement marked CONFIDENTIAL.

Loose: Faculty of Arts Meeting of March 1972. Budget and enrollment. Six pages.

Loose: Memorandum, Faculty of Arts Committee. Bylaw changes. Ten pages.


Loose: Faculty of Arts 1969. Memoranda, CVs, recommendations for promotion. Twenty-three pages.

ARTS 1980-1983 Dean's Notes: 1979-1983. Handwritten notes, dates from 1981-82. Play invitations, establishment of an Arts Faculty Seminar Group, conflicts with Dr. Harrower and Mr. Nisenholt, invitations, subscriptions, Fine Arts space requirements, teaching loads, summer sessions, drafts for memoranda and correspondence, biographies, report on faculty development and retention from Western, 1979 Career Day, advertisement for Walden, Ministry educational goals, convocation address, correspondence courses. Article criticizing high school students' lack of preparation and trouble therefrom. Economics professors being rude to reporters. Faculty interviews, planning, sabbaticals, counselling, travel policy, Parliamentary debate on Mickey Mouse universities offering debased degrees, handwritten drafts.


Dept. of Hist. - Student's Visits 1973 - / Fac of Arts Promotion Activities!: Memoranda regarding high school students' visit to campus and professors' visits to high schools, 1973.

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- Unlabeled folder: Proposal for the annual report of the Faculty of Arts. The Tri-Annual report,

-A series of Faculty Assessment Forms folders for Anthropology, Economics, English, Fine Arts, Geography, History, Languages, Math (just a note instructing the reader to look in the Faculty of Science), Philosophy, Political Studies, Psychology, Social Work, and Sociology. Brief assessment of each department, list of the names and works of the faculty. Some have grant reports, enrollment lists, or CVs. Part of the Tri-Annual Report.

Personal file - Fac of Arts Promotion (pers. letters) 1970-1976: Agendas, minutes, correspondence, and expense reports primarily about promotions, student visits, et c. Issues noted with Dr Booth’s demotional speeches. Occasional other correspondence.


Restricted. P+T, 1969, 1972, 73, 75, etc.: Memoranda regarding applications and elections to the Promotion and Tenure committee. Committee members, nominations, and decisions. Conflicts surrounding procedure.

P&T, Promotion, 198X/9X 1989 &: Dr Zimmermann's own interactions with the Committees: 1973 promotion to Associate Professor, 1989 application to Full Professor.

Library Tour Special Lectures, etc. / P&T, Promotion, 1993/94: Actual promotion to Full Professor, 1994. Teaching evaluation records, ballot reports, recommendations.


P&T, Promotion, 1991/92 another dud!: Same as above. Aspersions cast on his time as Dean.

Promotion 1990/91, aborted!: Same as above.

Promotion File: 1993. Large amount of correspondence, recommendations, bibliographies, examples, articles, publications, and teaching records pursuant to Dr Zimmermann's applications for promotion.

Box #13

Loose: Lakehead University Faculty Association Executive Brief to the Senate Academic Committee, 1975. Twelve pages plus handwritten notes.

Loose: Correspondence regarding the S.F.A.C., 1971.

Sen. Org Com. Collection of Senate Committee's Terms of References (1987-changes-: Ethics

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guidelines for human subjects. Papers describing the composition of the Senate Organization Committee and the Joint Board-Senate Committee. Senate directories. Compositions of sub-committees.

Sen Org Com. 1990/1-92: Memorandum on legal matters. An academic paper regarding agriculture; unnamed, undated, missing the first thirty-one pages. Memoranda regarding the Senate Nominations Committee, Senate Organization Committee. Correspondence, memoranda and drafts regarding the establishment of the position of Professional Associate, Academic Associate, and Adjunct Professor - Professional Associate being chosen. Senate report on the Centre of Northern Studies. Handwritten drafts for SOC meeting reports. Minutes and reports regarding the creation of the Department of Native Studies. Schedules of Senate committee meetings. Terms of reference for various committees as of 1988. Drafts for student appeal procedures. The academic planning process. Scheduling and calendar changes. Handwritten memorandum.


SOC Ready to Go!:

-> SOC Current 1993-: 1987-1994. Terms of service, reports (final and otherwise) including one on Aboriginal Education and Training Strategy, 1992, correspondence regarding Dr Zimmermann’s retirement. Memoranda: Diverse representation on University boards, Terms of Reference revisions, change of name from Native Services to Aboriginal Services, the Department of Social Work becoming a faculty, status of Blind on campus, Eurocentrism, concerns of Senatorial empire-building, whether the Centre for Northern Studies should be in the Senate, marking schemata.


Box #14

LUFA, Executive 1969: Minutes, memoranda and correspondence regarding LUFA topics, including salary meetings, advertisement, labour action, faculty lounge liquor licenses, finances, parking, and the LUFA Constitution.

Restricted. LUFA, Executive, 1970: As above, with the addition of financial statements. Topics include the role of LUFA, classroom discipline policies, the proposed Lakehead-Confederation merger, accusations against staff, the Faculty Handbook, parking again, Professor Wightman's firing, closing of Russian Language courses, and procedures for tenure. English with some German.

Restricted. LUFA, Executive 1971, 1972: As above. Coordination with Confederation, anti-labour legislation (Bill 217), more Professor Wightman, and salary reductions.

LUFA, Executive 1973-1976 (Presidencies: E.R. Zimmermann (1? 7?) Petter Raffo (3) ????? Kent (2) 'Day of Study': Calculating teaching loads, dismissal of untenured faculty, outside-university work, teaching summer courses effectively for free, revising the Faculty Handbook, accusations of convocation silliness, the Day of Study to protest underfunding, librarians being under the LUFA umbrella, unionization.

LUFA, Executive 1988-: Pensions, possibility of strikes, the actual strike, post-strike analysis, Board of Governors perfidy during the strike, costs of university operations, formation of a Faculty Club [that is, a bar], republication of an amusing story, merit rewards, the introduction of office computers (20 mHz 386), job interview scripts, overcrowding, employment equity, politics on campus. Also there is a thank-you card addressed to Dr. Zimmermann.

LUFA, Executive 1989-: Strike anniversary, committee recruitment (including individual professors' preferences), Dr Zimmermann's presidency, smoking ban, pay equity, administrative infighting, mandatory retirement (Supreme Court, McKinney et al.), LUFA involvement with outside issues such as prison corruption, apartheid, and Pinochet, inconsistency in inconvenience allowances.

LUFA, Executive 1990: Disputes over the smoking ban and investigation into pay equity.

LUFA Schedule #2: Salary negotiations for Schedule #2 employees. Survey report, evaluations, handwritten notes.

LUFA Newsletter 1973-1980, selected copies only dealing with 'unionization': Also includes newspaper clippings and correspondence with Dr Zimmermann. Marginalia denotes conflict between Dr. Zimmermann and Dr. Booth. Newsletters feature passive-aggressive and aggressive-aggressive sniping in Suggested Quotations. Other issues include lack of faculty representation in decision-making, the Senate being boring, the necessity of beer for academic research, lack of tenures, redundancy dismissals, referring to faculty as 'employees'.

LUFA, Newsletters (1985 to 1990, but not condemn[?]), Only important single issues: Union negotiations, pay equity, funding information. Aforementioned amusing story wasn't.


-> LUFA, Executive 1986: Protests against Mulroney receiving a scientific award, LUFA elections, addition of computer technicians to LUFA, pensions, surveys for negotiation priorities, brief to 'Youth Asking Questions,' faculty morale.


Box #15


LUFA - Exec Com. 1974-76 Minutes, etc. / -Financial Crisis - 1970/69/71 files:

-> LU-'Crisis' Fall 1971: Newsletters, internal correspondence, news clippings, financial statements, memoranda regarding serious financial deficits and low enrollment. Accusations of overinflation of numbers, from Dr Zimmermann at Dr Tamblyn. Dr Tamblyn's resignation.
-> L.U.F.A. File (Minutes, announcements, etc.) 1969-70 I: Legal questions, ethics committees, CAUT policy on faculty discipline, ethics policy drafts, meeting minutes, faculty handbook, LUFA elections, parking, work-to-rule action.

-> L.U.F.A. File (Minutes, announcements, etc.) 1969-70 II: Faculty lounge, university governance reform, salaries.


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-> LU Early Days / SENATE - materials, 1967-: Minutes, Graduate Studies Committee, 1968. Senate


May - 1993 / De Haas, Susan: Newspaper clippings, most about the Strike and some about the university.

Box #16


1990 [checkmark]: Pension and retirement information from 1991 and 1990. Correspondence

Box #17

Restricted. Papers from 1971-76. LUFA salary brief, 1974. Salary offer from 1971. Report on LUFA Campaign, 1975. Executive meeting minutes, dues, grievances (Irwin, Chen, and Andritchuk), lobbying, withholding of dues from Western to CAUT over fee reform, unionisation, tenure quotas, LUFA representation of librarians, pay equity, financial statements, pensions, housing, surveys for other faculty unions, definition of sabbaticals. Some marked CONFIDENTIAL.

LU Pension Plan Drafts: Several copies of Drafts 4, 5, 6, 8, 9, and 10. Several are loose and unbound.

Miscellaneous Bills / Misc Cor: Newspaper clippings from 1985, detailing Tory pension indexing controversy.


Loose: For the Potential Negotiator of Pension Benefits: Some materials which Might be Adapted to Your University, plus some Personal Opinions of a Past Negotiator of Pension Benefits. February 1989. Four pages.


Loose: Attached are Sample Materials for the Conduct of a Mobile Pension Study Workshop......... February 1989. Four pages.


LU - Pension Plans 1973/4; 1989+: ...


Box #18

Coop 1990 I: French and English. CAUT annual report. Thanks to Dr Zimmermann for chairing a conference session - Strategic Use of Grievance. Drafts and discussion papers on university governance. Graduate study regarding unionisation. Hotel arrangement forms. Reports and memoranda on meeting observers, workshops, meetings, conferences, ethics, bylaws, Seven Days, conference finances. Bill C-52 lobbying. Some correspondence marked CONFIDENTIAL.


Co Op, 1991: CAUT memoranda. Outside professional activities, evaluations of the Professional Bargaining Conference, model clauses, meeting invitations, pension workshops, the Champlain strike, report on fraud and misconduct in academic research from the CAUT, confidentiality, legal costs, collective bargaining workshops, CAUT financial statements, employee assistance programmes, SPUL, openness in tenure procedures, salaries, mandatory retirement.


Co-op, Executive Correspondence: 1986-89. Primarily Netnorth and Bitnet emails with some handwritten notes, regarding bargaining agreements, executive positions, schedules, agenda drafts, whether the Negotiator belongs in the National Library, CBC document drafts, the Lakehead strike, reports for CAUT, the Vinogradov discrimination case, research funds during strikes, Dalhousie conflict, floppy disk copies of documents. Also 1989 CAUT reports.


Box #19


Lakehead Board of Education Critique Committee '83: 1982-83. Secondary Education Review Project. Meeting minutes and agendas, task force reports, internal papers and memoranda regarding the closure of high schools in Thunder Bay. Includes newspaper clippings and educational-district maps. Model for review board structure. Lists of committee members. Final report.


Com. School Council 83A MeD. / -file on Com. School etc - 2 files of relevant clippings 1968-1972:

-> Blank folder: Newspaper clippings regarding Board of Education elections. Drug pamphlets, 1969. Film programme listings. 1969 catalogue of the National Film Board.


-> J.A. MacDonald: Papers from the Sir John A. MacDonald Community School Council, 1970. Press release drafts, correspondence, minutes. Discussed are community groups, budgets, youth programmes, use of schools off-hours, education reform.

Cable 7 TV Programme - 1975-1980:

-> Unlabelled folder: Easter card, letter, and news-clippings, Margaret Shafai deportation case. Handwritten notes and letters of defense, 1979. Phone slip, document copies, and correspondence regarding the Riitta Sandhu immigration case, 1979. Letter to Mr G.W. McFadden, interview notes, and news-clippings regarding a Forum TV appearance, 1976. Correspondence relating to the Forum programme hosted by Dr Zimmermann. Correspondence relating to the 1974 municipal election, discussed on the show. Correspondence and invitations to local, provincial, and federal politicians regarding the show. Letter from NDP regarding Ian Stewart being representative on show, 1975. Correspondence regarding seven-ward design of Thunder Bay.

-> 'Modern World History'??: Media release regarding Canada Games Week personnel being hosted on Forum. News clippings related to topics discussed on the show, including food safety, cost of funerals, unions, cults, women’s property rights, abortion, victim protection.
Handwritten notes and newspaper clippings related to show topics, such as the Auditorium, food prices, educational cutbacks, Rhodesia, Anglican social reform, housing for seniors and the disabled, prison reform, children's aid. A bundle of pamphlets related to show topics.

M.S. + Handicapped: Handwritten notes, reports, pamphlets, and news clippings related to multiple sclerosis and housing for the disabled.


Unlabeled accordion folder:


Loose: Newspaper clippings - Jack Elwert obituary, high school graduation photographs.

Loose: Letter to Dr Zimmermann offering thanks for attending a scholarship presentation. Andrew P. Kane, 1999.

Loose: Handwritten notes for Elwert biography, including coat of arms and copies of German text.

Loose: Collection of photocopies. German text and dates, family records.

Loose: Correspondence between Dr Zimmermann and 'Charlotte.' 1983.

from 1989, and a brief up-to-date following. Thank-you card from Ted Elwert. Letters of thanks from award recipients. CIBC passbooks of Elwert account. Confederation College award report - Partnership 2000. Apology letter to Dr Epp for missing the NDP executive meeting where Dr Zimmermann was to present the report.

Loose: Two obituaries clipped from newspapers.


Box #20


... David Suzuki address, 1985. 1985 Convention (to which Dr Zimmermann was a delegate) Resolutions. Ontario NDP Government fact sheets, 1993. Convention resolutions, 1978...

Finance 1977: Tax credits for political contributions. 1978 letter from Ian Stewart announcing MP candidacy (same Ian Stewart as before?).


Box #21


Loose: Ontario Medical Association anti-Rae pamphlet.

Loose: 1990 letter to Dr Zimmermann from Shelley Wark-Martyn regarding the election, along with a short biography.


Loose: 1996 CCPA article on social spending myths.

Loose: 1996 article from the Action Canada Network regarding social justice.


1985-1975 [sic] Provincial: Correspondence, budget statements, news releases, newsletters from the NDP and the Ontario Federation of Labour regarding NDP activities, fundraising, the Ontario Medal for Good Citizenship, splitters and alienation, slights against Port Arthur and Dr Zimmermann, and labour issues. Correspondence with Dr Akram regarding charges of violation of the Public Hospital Act at St Joseph’s. Clippings regarding the death of Terry Lundquist. Handwritten draft of a report on store hours. Event invitations. Travel arrangements. Dr Zimmermann’s delegate forms. Dr Zimmermann’s election to President of the Executive Committee, 1977. Convention report, 1976.

NDP Women: 1976-78. NDP Women's Committee newsletters and publications. Addresses hours, unemployment, pay equity, marriage laws, the indivisibility of feminism and socialism, food
subsidies.


NDP - Election 1971 Foulds: Newspaper clippings, advertisements, and vote reports from the 1971 election.


Loose:


1958 Calendar of the Teachers’ Colleges.


Box #22


-> Motivans: Correspondence with Dr Motivans and memoranda regarding the right of the Dean to reduce marks.

... Bawdy song. Dr French’s curriculum vitae. Draft of chair rotation.

-> Sociology Harding file-: 1975-76. CV and letters of recommendation regarding Jim Harding’s application. Boycott at Simon Fraser.

-> Sociology - Deptal History Colfax file: 1976. Dr Colfax hired as a guest lecturer, not offered a permanent position, makes threatening phone calls.

Restricted. -> Stewart: 1976. 1983 note indicating ‘peculiarities’ in LU’s teaching and hiring, in producing and hiring an actually illiterate student. CV and letters of recommendation for hiring Mr Stewart as an off-campus teacher. Renewal of Mr Stewart’s contract. Doubts as to Mr Stewart’s doctoral status. Correspondence from Exeter confirming doubts.


Loose: Five miscellaneous Sociology articles, one written by Professor Lovekin.

Loose: Draft copy of book chapter introducing dialectical logic.