Reel-to-Reel Audio Recordings on CD-ROM

From 2008 to 2010, the College Archives sent select reel-to-reel recordings of speaker presentations at the College to a company specializing in media migration. The Richard R. Hallock Foundation provided a grant for the project in 2008-09. Additional funds were drawn from a special endowment, the Hunt Preservation Fund, established in 2007 to enable the Oberlin College Archives to undertake preservation, conservation and digital access projects for artworks, recordings, photographs, and other objects in need of treatment, stabilization and/or migration to new media. See the Office of Communications (RG 18) finding guide for an inventory of the titles and dates of these recorded presentations, as well as all reel-to-reel recordings in that record group. Additional sound recordings reside in the Sound Recordings Record Group (RG 37).

Speakers and Events

Affirmative Action (panel, 1983)
Allen Memorial Art Museum, Venturi Addition Dedication
Alumni Sesquicentennial Symposium
Anti-Apartheid Events (1987)
J. Barbash
Judith Becker (1975)
Max Beloff
Arthur Berger
Wendell Berry
Ann Binyon (1978)
Herbert Blau
Geoffrey Blodgett
Mario di Bonaventura
Julian Bond
Andrew Bongiorno
Jimmy Breslin
Robert McAfee Brown
John Cage
Robert K. Carr
Cesar Chavez
Shirley Chisholm
Kenneth B. Clark
Ramsey Clark
Kathleen (Eldridge) Cleaver
William Sloan Coffin, Jr.
Commencement Symposium on Student Unrest
Barry Commoner
Angela Davis
Education Commission Special Assembly
Education Facilities Laboratories Conference
Ralph Ellison
John Fischer
Donald Fleming
Betty Friedan
Milton Friedman
Robert W. Fuller
John Kenneth Galbraith
Harry Golden
Nathan Greenburg
Michael Harrington
Alex Haley
August Heckscher
Robert Heilbroner
Walter Heller
Melville Herskovits
Clyde Holbrook
Sidney Hook
Marilyn Horne (interview, 1978)
Jesse Jackson
Selma James
Ellen H. E. Johnson
John F. Kennedy Memorial Service
King Building Dedication
Martin Luther King, Jr.
Martin Luther King, Jr. Memorial Service
Henry A. Kissinger
John W. Kurtz
Max Lerner
Edward L. Long
David Love
Donald M. Love
Allard Lowenstein
Samuel Lubell
Roy Lucas
Staughton Lynd
William P. Malm (1975)
George S. May
Rollo May
Albert J. McQueen
Margaret Mead
Robert K. Merton
N. Scott Momaday
C. Wright Morris
Toni Morrison
Wayne Morse
Mudd Library Groundbreaking
Ralph Nader
Philleo Nash
Robert E. Neil
Richard Neustadt
Michael Novak
Oberlin and Black Education (panel, 1982)
Oberlin at Wooster (football game, 1996)
Claes Oldenburg
Rich Orloff
Donald J. Pease (interview, 1971)
Lucian Pye
Edwin O. Reischauer
Vinio Rossi
Harrison Salisbury
Andrew Sarris
Richard Schoonmaker
Robert Shaw
Thomas Sherman
Gary Snyder
Wolfgang Stechow
Wallace E. Stegner
Gloria Steinem (1982)
William E. Stevenson
Ronald Suny
Janet McKelvey Swift
Robert Tufts
Stewart Udall
Vietnam Assembly & Moratorium Panel
Robert Weaver
Robert Weinstock
Tom Wicker
Roy Wilkins
Harrison A. Williams Jr.
Olly W. Wilson, Jr.
Minoru Yamasaki
David P. Young