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OVERVIEW OF COLLECTION

Title: University Status Committee records

Date: 1970-1996

Extent: 1 box (0.42 linear feet)

Creator: Georgia Southern University

Language: English

Repository: Zach S. Henderson Library Special Collections, Georgia Southern University, Statesboro, GA. specolle@georgiasouthern.edu, 912-478-7819, library.georgiasouthern.edu.

Processing Note: Collection previously known as Georgia Southern doctorate attainment papers, 1970-1992 and Georgia Southern's first Doctorate: History of its attainment, 1970-1992. Finding aid revised in 2022 by Caetana S. Ricci, Graduate Assistant, under the supervision of Autumn Johnson, Special Collections Librarian.

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ABOUT THE COLLECTION

Administrative History: Georgia Southern University opened its doors as the First District Agricultural & Mechanical School in 1908. The school expanded and changed its educational goals many times throughout the years, which resulted in many name changes. The school was named Georgia Southern College in 1959, until 1990 when it gained university status.

Scope and Content: This collection consists of the University Status Committee of Georgia Southern College (later Georgia Southern University) records documenting their efforts to attain University status. Materials span 1970-1996 and include committee minutes, doctoral program proposals, handwritten and typescript correspondence as well as newspaper clippings.

Acquisitions Info: Gift of Newelle Anderson, 1996.

Access Points:

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Related Collections: [Georgia Southern College University Designation collection.](#)

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