

Finding Aid to the Stuart Brown Papers, 1929-2016

Summary Information

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Abstract: The Stuart Brown papers are a compilation of materials about the Charles Whitman University of Texas Tower case, professional publications and correspondence, research materials on play and human behavior, and audio-visual materials. The collection also contains publication materials, conference presentations, correspondence, and notes created or recorded by Stuart Brown throughout his career in psychiatry and the study of play. The bulk of the materials are dated between 1966-1967 and also 1986-2011.

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Controlled Access Terms

Personal Names

- Brown, Stuart L.
- Fagen, Bob

- Kennard, David
- Sutton-Smith, Brian
- Vaughan, Christopher
- Whitman, Charles A.
- Whitman, Charles Joseph, 1941-1966

Corporate Names

- The National Institute for Play

Subjects

- Adult play
- Brain
- Brown, Stuart L.
- Child development
- Child psychology
- Emotions and cognition
- Human development
- Mass murder--Texas--Austin
- Mass murderers
- Mass murderers--Texas--Austin--Biography
- Mass shootings
- Play
- Play behavior in animals
- Play--Psychological aspects
- Play--Research
- Play--Social aspects
- Social interaction in children
- Sutton-Smith, Brian
- Texas--Austin
- University of Texas at Austin
- Violence
- Whitman, Charles Joseph, 1941-1966

Biographical Note

Dr. Stuart Brown, the founder of the National Institute of Play, spent fifty years exploring the benefits of play. He researched types of play and how play affects humans and animals. He also studied play deprivation and its connections with violence, looking for causes and prevention. Brown shared his findings through published materials, television programming, conferences, speaking engagements, radio appearances, and resources at the National Institute of Play.

Brown started his career at Wheaton College where he earned his B.S. degree. He went on to train in general and internal medicine, psychiatry, and clinical research. He received an internal medicine fellowship the Mayo Clinic in Rochester, Minnesota. After his fellowship he went to Waco, Texas, where he became the Assistant Dean of Baylor University and a resident in psychiatry. He went on to become the founding Clinical Director and Chief of Psychiatry at Mercy Hospital & Medical Center and associate Professor at UCSD in San Diego.

While at Baylor University in 1966, Governor John Connally asked Dr. Brown to join the Fact Finding Task Force as a consulting psychiatrist for the Charles J. Whitman Texas Tower Case. (At that time, the case was considered the largest mass murder in U.S. history.) The case prompted Brown to further investigate violence, starting with a study of a group of young male murderers and drunk drivers. He continued his research on the role that play deprivation plays in violent persons.

Over the course of his career, Brown interviewed more than 8,000 people about their play behavior and explored links between play and success as an adult. After leaving his clinical career in 1989, he pursued play research further by looking for links between animal and human play behavior. He acquired information from animal experts who shared their discoveries about animal play. Brown also corresponded with Brian Sutton-Smith and other play scholars to continue the exploration of play and its importance to human development.

As of 2017, Brown continues to be involved with the National Institute for Play.

Collection Scope and Content Note

The Stuart Brown papers document five decades of play-related research, collaboration, and writing by one of the most prominent figures in the scholarship of play today. The bulk of the materials are dated between 1966 and 1967 and again from 1986-2011. The papers include the following print pieces: professional manuscripts, publications and drafts, research materials, notes, correspondence, and photos with negatives. (Also part of this collection are a variety of audiovisual media types, including audiocassette tapes, VHS tapes, Beta tapes, MiniDV tapes, 3.5" floppy disks, zip drives, DVDs, and Digital Audio Tapes.)

The collection reflects Brown's 50 years of experience in the field starting with the Charles J. Whitman Texas Tower case in 1966. The information in the collection supports Brown's research in psychology and his contribution to the study of play, specifically how play influences people throughout their lives. Additional information can be found in the Contents List section below.

The Stuart Brown papers are been arranged into three series, all of which have been divided into further subseries. The papers have been housed in 22 archival document boxes and three oversized folders, with audiovisual/digital materials housed in 19 additional boxes.

System of Arrangement

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Contents List

Series I: Charles J. Whitman case, 1929-1987

Scope and Content Note: This series houses original documentation and records relating to mass murderer Charles J. Whitman before and after the University of Texas (UT) Tower shooting on August 1, 1966. The files include academic records, personal records, diaries, police reports, medical reports, newspaper articles, and correspondence.

Subseries A: Charles J. Whitman's academic and military materials, 1959-1966

Scope and Content Note: This subseries contains academic, medical, legal, and financial records of Charles J. Whitman during his college years at the University of Texas. Also within this subseries are Whitman's personal notes from boot camp and one of his diaries.

Box 1

- Folder 1 Academic record, California Achievement Tests, Sr. Estelle High School data, 1959
- Folder 2 Charles J. Whitman military, boot camp notes, 1959
- Folder 3 Military, boot camp notes, n.d.
- Folder 4 Charles J. Whitman military, score book, n.d.
- Folder 5 Charles J. Whitman, Diary at a Glance, 1961
- Folder 6 Academic record, Disciplinary report, 1961
- Folder 7 Criminal investigation report, 11/1963
- Folder 8 Charles J. Whitman diary, 11/1963-2/1964
- Folder 9 Academic records, University of Texas placement tests, 1961-1965
- Folder 10 Academic records, University of Texas placement test, 1961-1965
- Folder 11 Academic records, University contact, 1966
- Folder 12 Academic transcripts, permanent record form, n.d.
- Folder 13 Academic transcripts, expenses, 1963-1964
- Folder 14 Academic transcripts, 1965-1966
- Folder 15 Academic records, psychiatric evaluation, 3/29/1966

Box 6

- Folder 1 "The University of Texas Summer 1966 Official Student Directory," *The Summer Texan*, Friday, June 17, 1966

Subseries B: Police reports, 1966

Scope and Content Note: This subseries contains police reports and information regarding the UT Tower mass shooting on August 1, 1966. A list of Charles J. Whitman's contacts is included in the series along with Dr. Brown's personal notes.

Box 1

- Folder 16 Charles J. Whitman contact lists, n.d.
- Folder 17 Charles J. Whitman notes, personal, 1966 and n.d.
- Folder 18 Property file, 8/1/1966

- Folder 19 Police reports, victims, 8/1/1966
- Folder 20 Police report, arsenal, 8/2/1966
- Folder 21 Police report, description of tower, 8/2/1966
- Folder 22 Police report, vehicle impounding report, 8/1/1966
- Folder 23 Police report, justifiable homicide, written by Sgt. Landis and Lt. Phifer, 8/2/1966
- Folder 24 Police report, Lt. M. Lee, 8/1/1966
- Folder 25 Police report, R. Martinez and A. Crum, 8/1/1966
- Folder 26 Police report, Sally O'Brien, 8/2/1966
- Folder 27 Police report, Sgt. T. Olsen, 8/2/1966
- Folder 28 Police report, Bob Ross, 8/2/1966
- Folder 29 Police report, Sgt. R. Schulle, 8/2/1966
- Folder 30 Police report, Sgt. E. Silvanage, 8/2/1966

Box 2

- Folder 1 Police report, Officer Billy Speed, written by Sgt. E. Tramp, 8/1/1966
- Folder 2 Police report, summary of shootings, 8/1/1966
- Folder 3 Police report, Charles A. Whitman, 8/1/1966

Subseries C: Interviews, 1966-1972

Scope and Content Note: This subseries holds interview transcripts and affidavits from people who knew the Whitman family or Charles J. Whitman. The interviews were conducted in the weeks following the UT Tower mass shooting on 8/1/1966, with later interviews done of Charles A. Whitman in 1972. Boxes 7 and 8 contain original audio-recordings on audio-cassette (though there is not a corresponding audio-cassette for each interview transcription noted in Box 2).

Box 2

- Folder 4 Interview, Dr. Clayton Chance, 8/10/1966
- Folder 5 Interview, Lawrence A. Fuess, 8/9/1966
- Folder 6 Interview, Mrs. Elaine Fuess, 8/11/1966
- Folder 7 Interview, Henry Grady Guest, 8/9/1966
- Folder 8 Interview, Mrs. Goldie Harris, n.d.
- Folder 9 Interview, Dr. Heatly, 8/15/1966
- Folder 10 Interview, Robert Morris, 8/10/1966
- Folder 11 Interview, Mrs. Palmer, 8/4/1966
- Folder 12 Interview, Sister Estrella, 8/13/1966
- Folder 13 Interview, Donald Holson Thornbury, 8/10/1966
- Folder 14 Interview, Albert J. Vinicek, 8/11/1966
- Folder 15 Interview, Mrs. Cheatam Waters, 8/9/1966
- Folder 16 Interview, Mr. Waters, 8/14/1966
- Folder 17 Interview, Charles A. Whitman, n.d.
- Folder 18 Interview, Mike Whitman, 8/14/1966
- Folder 19 Interview, Whitman Family, 8/13-8/14/1966
- Folder 20 Interview, Charles A. Whitman, 10/20/1972
- Folder 21 Affidavits, August 1966

Box 7

- Object 1 "Dr. Clayton Chance, Transcribed," Scotch Magnetic Cartridge 271, n.d. [c. 1966]
- Object 2 "Fuess, Mrs. H. Transcribed, 3rd sample," Scotch Magnetic Cartridge 271, n.d. [c. 1966]
- Object 3 "Fuess," Universal Compact Cassette, n.d. [c. 1966]
- Object 4 "Mrs. Fuess (1), Mrs. Fuess transcribed," Scotch Magnetic Cartridge 271, n.d. [c. 1966]
- Object 5 "Fuess #1, Transcribed, Good, 10/72 - excellent," Scotch Magnetic Cartridge 271, n.d. [c. 1966]
- Object 6 "Guest, Transcribed," Scotch Magnetic Cartridge 271, n.d. [c. 1966]
- Object 7 "Robt Morris, Transcribed," Scotch Magnetic Cartridge 271, n.d. [c. 1966]
- Object 8 "Thornbury, Transcribed," Scotch Magnetic Cartridge 271, n.d. [c. 1966]
- Object 9 "Mr. Vinicek, Transcribed," Scotch Magnetic Cartridge 271, n.d. [c. 1966]
- Object 10 "Mrs. Waters, ½ empty 8/13/66, Transcribed, Dr. Stubblefield, Mrs. Waters," Scotch Magnetic Cartridge 271, n.d. [c. 1966]

Box 8

- Object 1 "Mr. Waters, 8/13 & General discussion, Done," Scotch Magnetic Cartridge 271, n.d. [c. 1966]
- Object 2 "Whitman story 2nd cassette side I," Scotch Magnetic Cartridge 271, n.d. [c. 1966]
- Object 3 "Summarization - Definition of problem 8/14," Scotch Magnetic Cartridge 271, n.d. [c. 1966]
- Object 4 "Summary 8/14, Waters, John Milke, Pat Whitman," Scotch Magnetic Cartridge 271, n.d. [c. 1966]
- Object 5 "1972 - FLA: 1) Sacred Ht. Sch., 2) 1st interview CAW - 10/19/72, 3) Description of phone call = PW / 10/19/72 - Pat phone, Sr. Marilyn," Sony Low-Noise Compact Cassette, 1972
- Object 6 "Side B - Side 1 -- Charles A. Whitman, 10/20/72, Side A - Evening discussion - dinner with C.A.W. Typed 11/8/72," Sony Low-Noise Compact Cassette, 1972
- Object 7 "Side A -- Side 2 - C.A. Whitman, 10/20/72 - SHF, SB. Side B -- Side 3- C.A.W. cont'd 10/20/72, SHF & SB, Typed 11/8/72," Sony Low-Noise Compact Cassette, 1972
- Object 8 "Side A -- Side 4 - CAW 10/20/72 con't. SHF & SB, Typed 11/8/72," Sony Low-Noise Compact Cassette, 1972
- Object 9 [Empty container] "10/72 - 2 Blank have [illegible]," n.d.

Subseries D: Correspondence, 1966-1968

Scope and Content Note: This subseries houses correspondence and related press releases regarding the Charles J. Whitman case during the investigation of the UT Tower case.

Box 2

- Folder 22 Press releases, 8/1966-9/1966
- Folder 23 Professional correspondence, S. Brown, S.H. Frazier, R.L. Stubblefield, 1966-1968

Folder 24 Correspondence, Whitman case, 8/1966

Subseries E: Medical evaluations, 1966-1976

Scope and Content Note: This subseries contains comments, opinions, and reports from professionals who evaluated Charles J. Whitman before his death or after the UT Tower shooting. Professionally-evaluated observations include medical reports and handwriting analysis. The subseries also contains medical correspondence regarding Charles A. Whitman (father of Charles J. Whitman).

Box 3

Folder 1 Evaluation, Charles J. Whitman Autopsy, reference to skull and brain, n.d.
 Folder 2 Evaluation of Charles J. Whitman, Dr. Hilde Bruch, 1966
 Folder 3 Evaluation of Charles J. Whitman, Dr. Jack Ewalt, n.d.
 Folder 4 Evaluation of Charles J. Whitman, Dr. Hamilton, n.d.
 Folder 5 Charles J. Whitman case consultants, n.d.
 Folder 6 Evaluations of Charles J. Whitman-conferences, 8/1966
 Folder 7 Evaluation of Charles. J. Whitman, Frazier, Stubblefield, and Brown draft, n.d.
 Folder 8 Charles A. Whitman, medical, 1969-1970
 Folder 9 Charles A. Whitman, 1971-1976
 Folder 30 Evaluation of Charles J. Whitman – requested by Governor and Governor’s Committee, 1967

Subseries F: Publications, 1966-1981

Scope and Content Note: The subseries holds newspaper clippings, publication drafts, and publication correspondence regarding the UT Tower shooting and people who commit violent crimes.

Box 3

Folder 10 UT Tower news clippings, 1966-1972
 Folder 11 Correspondence, publications and workshops, 1969-1981
 Folder 12 Book draft - “Murder, the Fatal Equation,” n.d.
 Folder 13 Book draft - “Act of Murder,” n.d.
 Folder 14 Stuart Brown publication draft, n.d.
 Folder 15 Act of Murder, conference speech, n.d.

Box 6

Folder 2 Austin Statesman/The Austin-American Statesman, Newspaper sections, August 1-9, 1966 [copy 1, with annotations]
 Folder 3 Austin Statesman/The Austin-American Statesman, Newspaper sections, August 1-9, 1966 [copy 2, with annotations]

Subseries G: Miscellaneous research materials, 1929-1987 and n.d.

Scope and Content Note: This subseries contains notes and other miscellaneous documentation relating to Stuart Brown’s work on the UT Tower case. Also within this subseries are informational materials from organizations and articles related to crime, violence, and homicide.

Box 3

Folder 16 Professional notes, n.d.

- Folder 17 Investigation expenses, n.d.
- Folder 18 Whitman book notes, n.d.
- Folder 19 C.J.W. case, grant application, 4/1973
- Folder 20 Data report notes, n.d.
- Folder 21 Lieutenant John Drolla, notes, n.d.
- Folder 22 Dr. J.R. Ewalt, notes, n.d.
- Folder 23 Dr. Gernon, notes, n.d.
- Folder 24 Cheatum Hodges, notes, 1976 and n.d.
- Folder 25 Kreisle, notes, 8/9/1966 and n.d.
- Folder 26 Mr. Leissner, notes, n.d.
- Folder 27 Mr. Morris, notes, 8/10/1966
- Folder 28 Douglas Porter, notes, n.d.
- Folder 29 Barton Riley, notes, n.d.

Box 4

- Folder 1 Michael Thompson, notes, n.d.
- Folder 2 Miss. Tupper, notes, 8/10/1966
- Folder 3 Van Eldek, notes, n.d.
- Folder 4 Patrick Whitman, notes, n.d.
- Folder 5 Dr. Guze research questionnaire, n.d.
- Folder 6 HOGG Foundation, 8/1966-12/1969
- Folder 7 Crime research materials, 1974-1978, n.d.
- Folder 8 High risk children reference materials, 1975 and n.d.
- Folder 9 Homicide reference materials, 1968-1981
- Folder 10 Police stress project, 1980
- Folder 11 Crime Control Commission, 1980

Box 5

- Folder 1 Violence reference materials, 1971-1986
- Folder 2 Dangerousness research materials, 1977-1987
- Folder 3 Miscellaneous reference materials, 1929-1980
- Folder 4 Reference materials, Bibliography and keyword searches, n.d.

Oversized

- Folder 1 Timeline note panels about Charles J. Whitman and family, n.d. [4 panels]
- Folder 2 Timeline note panels about UT Tower shooting victims, n.d. [7 panels]
- Folder 3 Timeline note panels about violent killers in history, n.d. [6 panels]

Series II: Professional papers, 1962-2016

Scope and Content Note: This series houses professional papers of Stuart Brown as well as some from Brian Sutton-Smith (from the collection of Stuart Brown), including publications, correspondence, conference materials, photos, and early book efforts. Also in this series is information from the National Institute for Play, founded by Stuart Brown, and raw audiovisual footage for *The Promise of Play* documentary.

Subseries A: Stuart Brown, 1985-2016

Scope and Content Note: This subseries holds the correspondence, publication materials, press materials (including photos), and workshop information gathered by Stuart Brown, as well as National Institute for Play materials. (Many of the folder titles have retained their original names from Brown.)

Box 9

- Folder 1 Animal articles by Stuart Brown, 12/1994
- Folder 2 Article, Lego Learning Institute, 10/2003
- Folder 3 Articles, obesity and fitness, 2004 and n.d.
- Folder 4 Conference, Festival of Toys, 9/20/1985
- Folder 5 Conference materials, 2008-2016
- Folder 6 Conference, PR photo, 1996-2008
- Folder 7 Conference materials, Vincent and Associates, 2007
- Folder 8 Correspondence, Jan Miller, Power of Play, 1998
- Folder 9 Early book efforts with Christopher Vaughan, 2008
- Folder 10 Miscellaneous research materials, Blue Sky pre-school curriculum, n.d.
- Folder 11 Miscellaneous research materials, articles, 2010-2015
- Folder 12 National Institute for Play, executive briefing, 2008
- Folder 13 National Institute for Play, Jeff's initial fund-raising document, 12/2003
- Folder 14 National Institute for Play programs, Jeff's funding, n.d.
- Folder 15 National Institute for Play logo, n.d.
- Folder 16 National Institute for Play, notes, n.d.
- Folder 17 National Institute for Play, Play Core (DVD), 2010
- Folder 18 National Institute for Play, P.R. correspondence, 2009
- Folder 19 National Institute for Play, website layout, 5/5/2000
- Folder 20 The Institute for Play fundraiser document, mission statement, strategy, and program for David Liskin, 12/29/2003

Box 10

- Folder 1 Notes, play book, 1990 and n.d.
- Folder 2 Notes, play history/themes, 2004
- Folder 3 Jeff Peyton, Brain and Learning websites, 10/4/2004
- Folder 4 Play presentation, n.d.
- Folder 5 Play, toy file articles, 2004 and n.d.
- Folder 6 Power of Play, book agreement, 1998
- Folder 7 Promise of Play collaboration, agreement, 2000
- Folder 8 Promise of Play post-production script, n.d.
- Folder 9 Promise of Play, publication, Playing for Keeps, n.d.
- Folder 10 Promise of Play, PBS series, P.R., 1998-2000

- Folder 11 Publication, radio segment, 3/17/2009
Folder 12 Publications, Stuart Brown, 2009-2013

Subseries B: Brian Sutton-Smith, 1962-2004

Scope and Content Note: This subseries contains correspondence, publication materials, reference, and conference information about Brian Sutton-Smith, including his collaborative efforts with Stuart Brown.

Box 10

- Folder 13 Brian Sutton-Smith articles, 1962-2000
Folder 14 Brian Sutton-Smith articles, 1985-1998 and n.d.
Folder 15 Brian Sutton-Smith articles, 1997-1999 and n.d.

Box 11

- Folder 1 Brian Sutton-Smith articles, games, 1963-1972 and n.d.
Folder 2 Brian Sutton-Smith, bibliography, 1994
Folder 3 Brian Sutton-Smith, Play biography, 1997 and n.d.
Folder 4 Brian Sutton-Smith, book reviews, 1996-1998 and n.d.
Folder 5 Brian Sutton-Smith, correspondence, 1989-1997
Folder 6 Brian Sutton-Smith, correspondence, 1997-2008
Folder 7 Brian Sutton-Smith, correspondence for Promise of Play, 1/14/1990-10/24/1998
Folder 8 Brian Sutton-Smith, correspondence with Stuart Brown, 1998-2001
Folder 9 Brian Sutton-Smith, C.V. and resume, 1/1998
Folder 10 Brian Sutton-Smith, documentary correspondence, n.d.
Folder 11 Brian Sutton-Smith, Ideas about play, TV series and book, 1996
Folder 12 Brian Sutton-Smith, Natural History publication, 1994

Box 12

- Folder 1 Brian Sutton-Smith, folklore and games in the pacific, play and art, n.d.
Folder 2 Brian Sutton-Smith, Play Ideas, 3/1997-4/1997
Folder 3 Brian Sutton-Smith, new book ideas, 11/1990-8/1996
Folder 4 Brian Sutton-Smith, photos with Stuart Brown, 1999 and n.d.
Folder 5 Brian Sutton-Smith, Play book notes with David Kennard and Stuart Brown, 6/1992-7/8/1998
Folder 6 Brian Sutton-Smith, basic play notes, 1990
Folder 7 Brian Sutton-Smith, play notes, importance of play, n.d.
Folder 8 Brian Sutton-Smith, play notes of tentative book, 1995
Folder 9 Brian Sutton-Smith, play notes on Universal play, 1/19/1995
Folder 10 Brian Sutton-Smith, Play production, letter, 1/1994
Folder 11 Brian Sutton-Smith, Promise of Play, Controversial Correspondence, 2000
Folder 12 Brian Sutton-Smith, Promise of Play Transcript, tapes 600-605, n.d.
Folder 13 Brian Sutton-Smith, Promise of Play, vision for the film, 1994-2004
Folder 14 Brian Sutton-Smith, proposals, 1996-1998
Folder 15 Brian Sutton-Smith, proposal for book, 6/12/1996
Folder 16 Brian Sutton-Smith, proposal for book/TV script, 2/1997
Folder 17 Brian Sutton-Smith, publication, life and story, 1994

- Folder 18 Brian Sutton-Smith, Seven Ways of Gaming Power Through Play correspondence, 8/1998
- Folder 19 Brian Sutton-Smith, My Story draft, n.d.
- Folder 20 Brian Sutton-Smith, TASP newsletters, 2003-2004
- Folder 21 Brian Sutton-Smith, TV Script, Promise for the human future, 1/1997-8/1997
- Folder 22 Brian Sutton-Smith, Telecourse, McMahon Festival Play, 6/6/2001
- Folder 23 "Toy Manufacturers of America Guide to Toys and Play," 9/28/2004

Subseries C: Audiovisual and digital materials, 1999-2000

Scope and Content Note: This series contains audiovisual and digital materials created during the filming for *The Promise of Play* documentary, spanning several different audiovisual formats. Video formats include VHS, BetaCam, MiniDV, and DVD. Audio formats are standard audiocassettes and Digital Audio Tapes. Digital formats include floppy disk, data tapes, and zip disks. These tapes hold raw footage and other preparatory materials for the final cut of the three-hour-long *Promise of Play* PBS series. A separate inventory has been created for these materials and can be viewed upon request.

[See separate **Stuart Brown audiovisual and digital materials inventory spreadsheet.**]

Series III: Play research materials, 1969-2015

Scope and Content Note: This series holds research materials and notes pertaining to play, human behavior, and animal behavior. There are publications from animal and play experts as well as drafts for publications, correspondence and interviews. The series also contains materials related to human development, play behavior, and human violence. There are materials related to Stuart Brown's presentations and speeches as well.

Subseries A: Research materials and notes, 1969-2015

Scope and Content Note: This subseries contains research materials from newspapers, journals, magazines, websites, workshops, conferences, and books pertaining to play, human behavior, humans and biology, brain development, play personalities, violence, people who commit violent acts, and animal play behavior. There are also organizational research materials through radio, news reports, a telecourse, television, and corporate reports. Some materials, including public relations pieces and correspondence, are related to speeches and conference events.

Box 13

- Folder 1 AARP, Gateway, 2013
- Folder 2 Articles by Stuart Brown, 1995 and n.d.
- Folder 3 Stuart Brown, transcript, CBS interview, 1985
- Folder 4 CBC, radio interview, n.d.
- Folder 5 Conference materials, 2012-2015
- Folder 6 GoGo Research, 2013

- Folder 7 “Goodenough” file, one hour documentary “Secret Spaces,” n.d.
- Folder 8 Hand-brain co-evolution, Nate Jones, 2008
- Folder 9 Myth, Campbell Trust Lawsuit, 1999
- Folder 10 New Dimensions interview, 2014
- Folder 11 Presentations, 2012-2013
- Folder 12 Promotional events, 1996, 2005
- Folder 13 P.R., conferences, 2007-2011
- Folder 14 Research materials, bibliography, n.d.
- Folder 15 Research materials, adult play, 1991-2003

Box 14

- Folder 1 Research materials, bibliography citations, n.d.
- Folder 2 Research materials, book reviews on play, 1998-1999 and n.d.
- Folder 3 Research materials, book reviews on sleep, 1999
- Folder 4 Research materials on AARP, “Life Reimagined,” 2013
- Folder 5 Research materials on addiction, 1996-2001
- Folder 6 Research materials on adult play, 1999-2001
- Folder 7 Research materials on aesthetics, art, 1999-2001 and n.d.
- Folder 8 Research materials on aesthetics, Frank Barrett articles, 1998-2000
- Folder 9 Research materials on Aesthetic play, 2001
- Folder 10 Research materials on affiliation, 1996
- Folder 11 Research materials on aging, 1997-2000 and n.d.
- Folder 12 Research materials on animal play, 1994-2000 and n.d.
- Folder 13 Research materials on anxiety, 1988
- Folder 14 Research materials on arts, dance, 10/8/1999
- Folder 15 Research materials on astrology, 7/1997
- Folder 16 Research materials on attention deficit disorder, 1998
- Folder 17 Research materials on attention deficit/hyperactivity disorder, 1998-1999
- Folder 18 Research materials on attunement play, 2002-2015
- Folder 19 Research materials on autism, Bruno Bettelheim article, 3/1987
- Folder 20 Research materials on arts, literature, 1996, 2011
- Folder 21 Research materials on arts, music/rhythm, 1998-1999 and n.d.
- Folder 22 Research materials on arts, poetry, 1995, 1999
- Folder 23 Research materials on behavior, animals, 1987-2008

Box 15

- Folder 1 Research materials on behavior, evolution of animal primates, 1985
- Folder 2 Research materials on behavior, evolution of bears, n.d.
- Folder 3 Research materials on behavior, evolution of birds, 1978-2000
- Folder 4 Research materials on behavior, evolution of chimps, 1986-1990
- Folder 5 Research materials on behavior, evolution of dogs, 1993-1994
- Folder 6 Research materials on behavior, evolution of dolphins, 1991-1997
- Folder 7 Research materials on behavior, evolution of gorillas, 4/1988
- Folder 8 Research materials on behavior, evolution of humans, 1978-2000
- Folder 9 Research materials on behavior, evolution of humans compared to animals, 1982-1986

- Folder 10 Research materials on behavior, evolution of kangaroos, 1991
- Folder 11 Research materials on behavior, evolution of reptiles, 1996
- Folder 12 Research materials on behavior, evolution of salamanders, 1987
- Folder 13 Research materials on behavior, evolution of whales, 1969, 1999
- Folder 14 Research materials on biology, 1998 and n.d.
- Folder 15 Research materials on biology, evolutionary, 4/18/1990
- Folder 16 Research materials on bipolar disorder, n.d.
- Folder 17 Research materials on body, 5/10/1998
- Folder 18 Research materials on bonding/attachment, 1996-1999
- Folder 19 Research materials on brain, neural networks, 1988-2001
- Folder 20 Research materials on brain activity, 2003-2005
- Folder 21 Research materials on brain damage, 1997, 2000
- Folder 22 Research materials on brain development and function, 1990-2001
- Folder 23 Research materials on brain diseases, 1996, 1999
- Folder 24 Research materials on brain imaging, 2001-2003
- Folder 25 Research materials on brain/mind, 1995-1996
- Folder 26 Research materials on brain science, 1998-2000 and n.d.
- Folder 27 Research materials on business, 2006

Box 16

- Folder 1 Research materials on child abuse, 1985 and n.d.
- Folder 2 Research materials on child care, 1998 and n.d.
- Folder 3 Research materials on child development, n.d.
- Folder 4 Research materials on child development, 1993-1998 and n.d.
- Folder 5 Research materials on comedy/humor, 1995-2001
- Folder 6 Research materials on communications, 1994-1995
- Folder 7 Research materials on community, 1996-2004 and n.d.
- Folder 8 Research materials on complexity/chaos theory, 1988-2000
- Folder 9 Research materials on computers/technology, 1997-1998
- Folder 10 Research materials on corporate play, 1997-2001 and n.d.
- Folder 11 Research materials on creativity, 1994-2006
- Folder 12 Research materials on current book resources, 1999-2011
- Folder 13 Research materials on discovery, Jack, 2012
- Folder 14 Research materials on drug abuse and alcoholism, prevention, 1987
- Folder 15 Research materials on evolution, basic theories, 1999-2012 and n.d.
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