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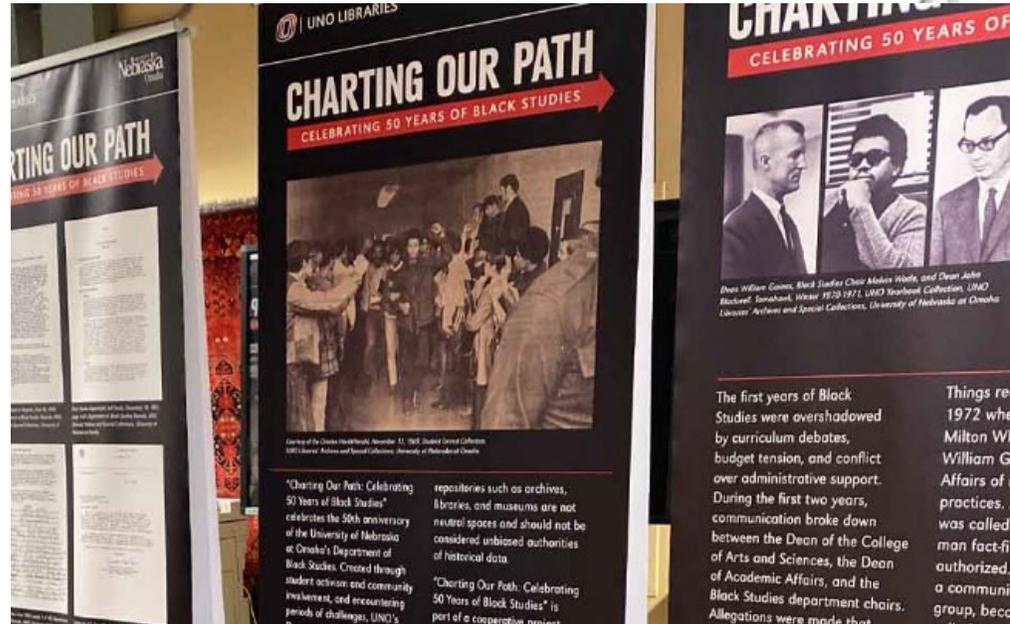
Public Witnessing as Catalyst for Community Repair

Partnerships & Processing
in the Archives

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Situating Archives & Special Collections

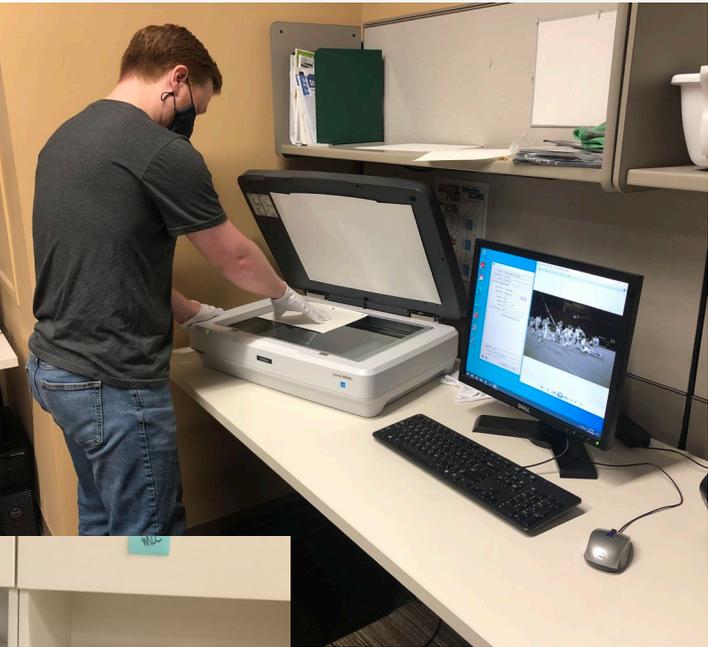
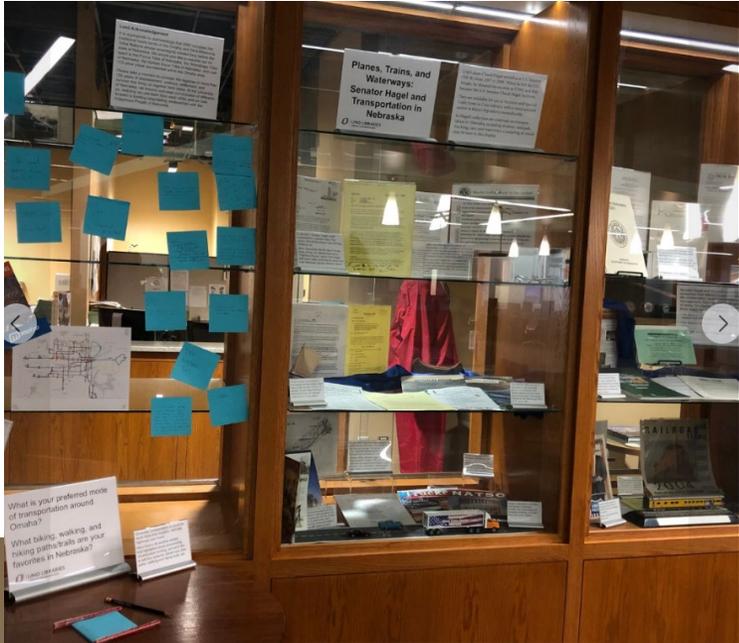


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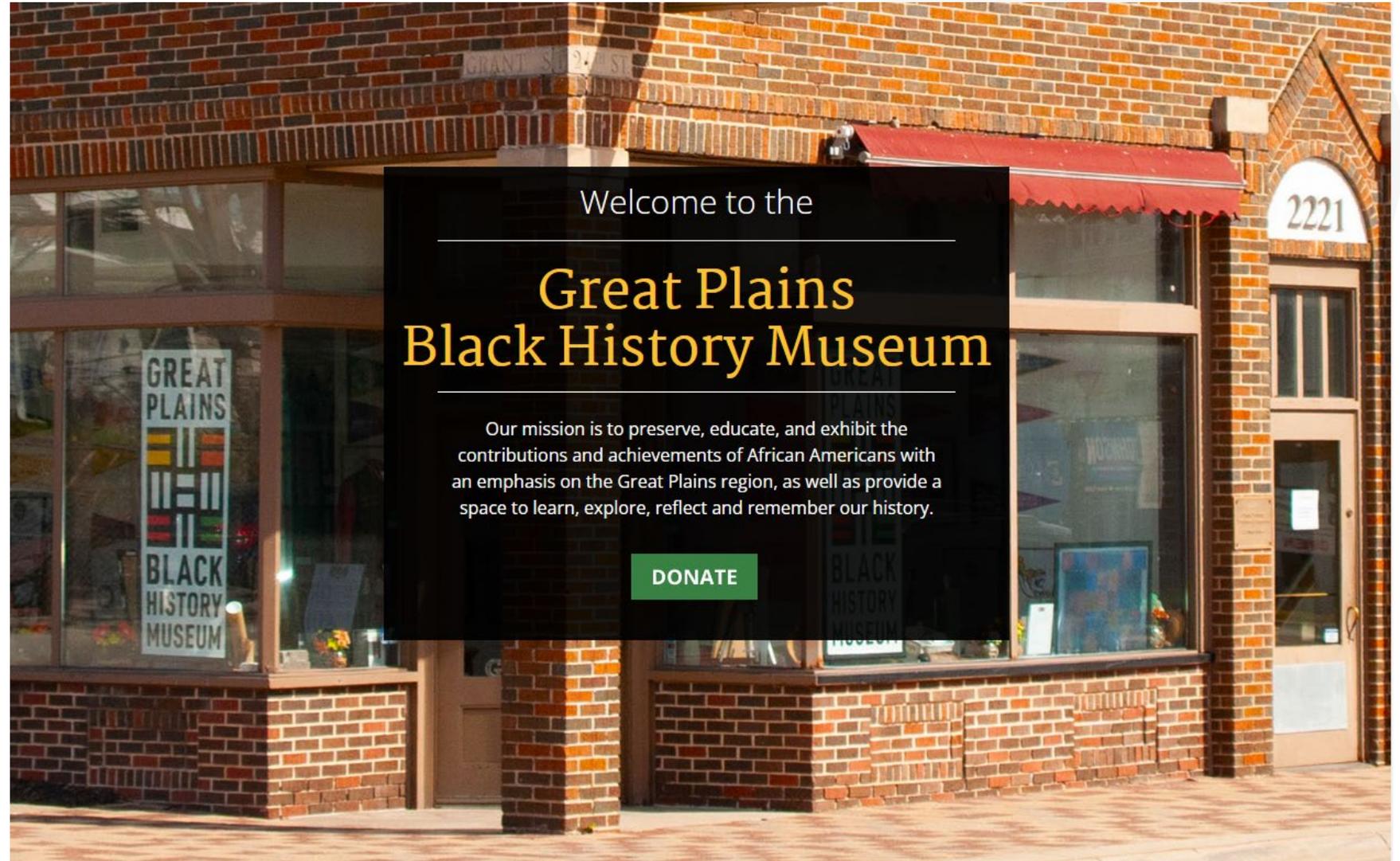


Processing, Digital Projects, and Outreach



Forming a Partnership

- Celebrating grand opening
- Touring exhibits
- Recognizing the need
- Internal grant





UNO Department of Black Studies Records

Collection – Multiple Containers Identifier: UNO-0263



University of Nebraska at Omaha Archives & Special Collections | UNO Department of Black Studies Records

- Collection Overview
- Collection Organization
- Container Inventory

Scope and Contents

Records collected from and about the Department of Black Studies at the University of Nebraska at Omaha document the formative years of the department. The collection documents program planning, conflict with Academic Affairs in the 1970s, newsletters, correspondence, and other material. Further description is available by clicking on each series.



These folders were originally held in the University Archives File Cabinet Collection. These folders were later supplemented by, and combined with, additional donated records to make up the current UNO Department of Black Studies Records. Within the General subseries, there are emails and letters sent from members of the department of Black Studies. Also included are documents regarding the 35th Anniversary of the department which took place in 2007....

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Dates

1970-2012

Creator

- University of Nebraska at Omaha. Department of Black Studies (Creator, Organization)

Search Collection

From year To year

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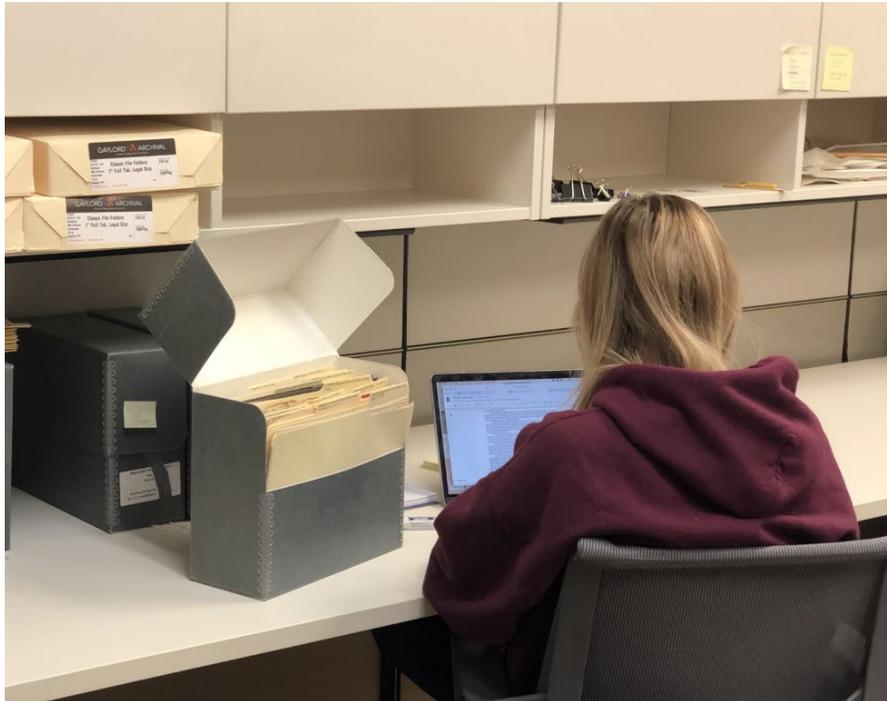
- UNO Department of Black Studies Records
- + General, 1968-1998
 - 35th Anniversary, 2007
- + Black Studies and BLAC vs Academic Affairs, 1972
 - Black Studies Newsletter, 1972-2004
 - Black Studies Report, 1980-1981
 - Clippings, 1971-2011
 - Establishing the Department, 1970-1971
 - Flyers and Programs, 1997-2012
 - Malcolm X Festival, 2001-2010
 - NAACP case to defend reduction of Black Studies to an academic program, 1983-1984
 - News Releases, 1972-2011



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Processing the Collection



Great Plains Black History Museum Collection

Collection – Box: 1-16 Identifier: GPBHM

University of Nebraska at Omaha Archives & Special Collections | Great Plains Black History Museum Collection

Collection Overview Collection Organization Container Inventory

Scope and Contents

Archival material from the Great Plains Black History Museum (GPBHM) consists of over 200 document boxes of letters, photographs, clippings, artifacts, and other collection material. An archivist for the GPBHM inventoried the material and identified potential series for the collection, including Local Histories, Black Institutions, Family Papers, Rare Books, Musical Scores, Bertha Calloway's Research Collection, Photographs, Artifacts, and Unknown...

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Dates

1906 - 1997

Conditions Governing Access

This material is temporarily in the custody of UNO Libraries Archives and Special Collections. Access to this material requires permission from staff of the Great Plains Black History Museum.

Biographical / Historical

The Great Plains Black History Museum officially opened in February 1976. In its early years, it received funding from the city of Omaha and private and corporate foundations. They operated on a shoe-string budget with founder Bertha Calloway often working without a salary. Calloway was always gathering artifacts, stories, and papers relating to Black History, and sought to share the rich history of African Americans with the Omaha community. As during...

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Search

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Great Plains Black History Museum Collection

- + Black History
- + Black Studies at the University of Nebraska at Omaha (UNO)
- + Education (College)
- + Education (PreK-12)
- + Museum Administration
- + Military
- + Sports
- + Miscellaneous



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Future of the Partnership



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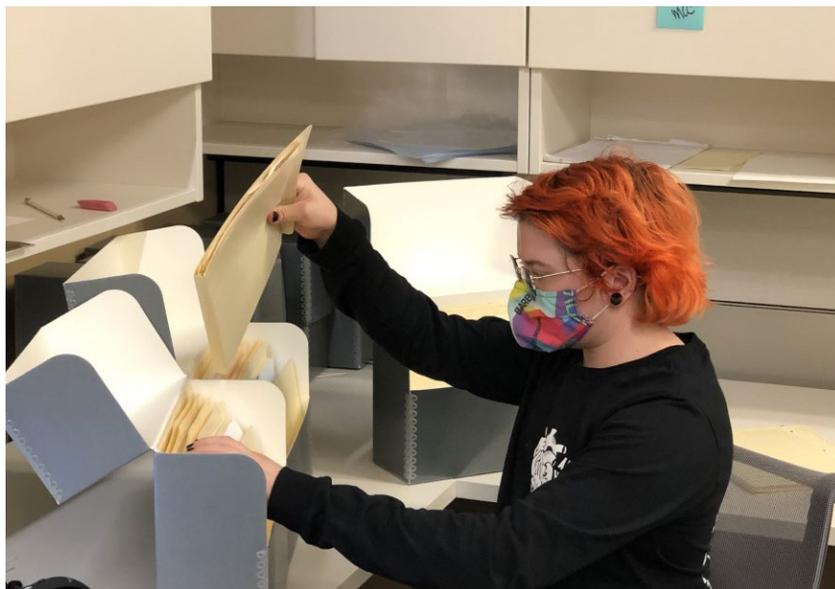
Latinx Collections on Campus

To start:

- Office of Latino/Latin American Studies (OLLAS)
- Lourdes Gouveia Papers
- David Lopez Papers



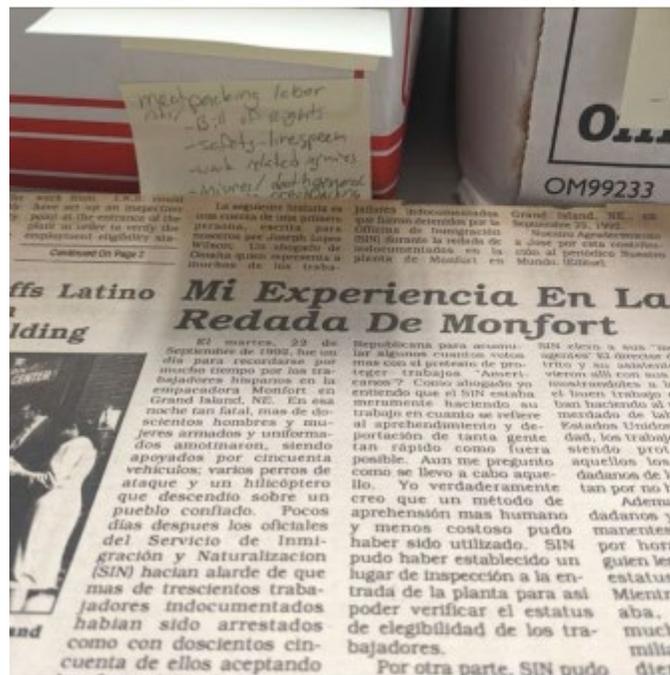
Processing the Collections



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ICYMI: Archives and Special Collections project assistant Kassian has been organizing the Lourdes Gouveia Papers this spring and summer as part of an ongoing #SHARP grant from the [American Library Association](#): American Rescue Plan with funding from the National Endowment For Humanities. This collection includes around 20 years of research on Latinx and Chicanx experience globally, but especially in the Midwest. View the collection and learn more about the #SHARP grant: <https://hubs.ly/Q01jJS6t0>



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Lourdes Gouveia Papers

Collection – Box: 1-20 Identifier: UNO-0234

University of Nebraska at Omaha Archives & Special Collections | Lourdes Gouveia Papers

Collection Overview | Collection Organization | Container Inventory

Content Description

Dr. Lourdes Gouveia, professor at UNO, gathered a considerable amount of information about Latino immigrants in the Nebraska meat packing industry, particularly in Lexington, Nebraska. This collection reflects her efforts and consists of her research materials, data, and writing from 1988 - 2016. Much of the collection collects Gouveia's research in Lexington, Nebraska during the 1990s. In Lexington, Gouveia studied the impact of the opening of a...

[See more >](#)

Dates

- 1870 - 2015
- Majority of material found within 1980 - 2010

Creator

- [Gouveia, Lourdes](#) (Creator, Person)

Conditions Governing Access

The collection is open for research use. Manuscript collections and archival records may contain materials with sensitive or confidential information that is protected under federal or state right to privacy laws and regulations, the Nebraska Public Records Statutes (Neb. Rev. Stat. §§ 84-712 through 84-712.09), and other relevant regulations. Confidential material may include.

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Lourdes Gouveia Papers
+ Audio Visual, 1990-2010
+ Lexington Research Materials, 1989-1997
+ Lexington Secondary Data, 1870-1997
+ Lexington Notes, 1990-1997
+ Lexington Primary Data, 1990-1995
+ General Research Data, 1999-2003
+ Gouveia's Papers and Presentations, 1991-2007
+ Gouveia Research and Non Profit Applications, 1990-2009
+ INS Task Force, 1993-2000





Thank you!

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