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Summary information

Repository:	Simon Fraser University Archives and Records Management Department
Title:	Doug Cole fonds
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Administrative history / Biographical sketch

Note

Dr. Douglas Cole was a Professor of History at Simon Fraser University from 1966 to 1997. His teaching and research interests centred on Canada: specifically, on the history of Canadian art, anthropology, and Indian-White relations. He was an active member of the university community, serving on a number of committees and as president of the Faculty Association from 1986 to 1988.

Douglas Lowell Cole was born in Mason City, Washington on December 9, 1938. In 1960, he received a Bachelor of Arts degree in history from Whitman College in Walla Walla, Washington.

Cole went on to complete his masters degree at George Washington University in Washington, DC in 1962 and then completed his Ph.D. at the University of Washington in 1968. Both his post-graduate degree theses focused on topics relevant to Canadian history. His MA thesis, "The United States and Canadian Diplomatic Independence, 1918-1926," and his Ph.D. thesis "John S. Ewart and the Canadian Nation," prepared him to accept a position teaching topics in Canadian history at Simon Fraser University. During his career, Dr. Cole wrote numerous scholarly articles and books. In 1977, he co-wrote *From Desolation to Splendour*, a history of the changing perceptions of BC's landscape. Other books include *Phillips in Print: The Selected Writing of Walter Phillips on Canadian Nature and Art* (co-authored with M. Tippet), *Captured Heritage*, and *An Iron Hand Upon the People* (co-authored with Ira Chaikin). He has also contributed to *BC Studies*, *Journal of Canadian Studies*, *Canadian Review of Nationalism*, *Canadian Historical Review*, and others.

Dr. Cole was also the recipient of a number of awards, citations and honours. He was a finalist for the Harold Adams Innis Prize for best work in English in Social Sciences for *An Iron Hand Upon the People*. He was also awarded a Regional History Award from the Canadian Historical Association in 1987, the

Molson Research Prize in 1986, and the Eaton Award for the best British Columbia book in 1978. Dr. Cole was also granted a University Research Professorship in 1990. Dr. Cole passed away August 18, 1997.

Scope and content

Fonds consists of records reflecting the academic and personal life of Douglas Cole. The correspondence series consists primarily of the personal views of Dr. Cole on matters of historical scholarship, university affairs and his own career as a professor. A few letters were made or received by Dr. Cole in his capacity as a University employee performing his official duties — for example, marking students' work and providing reference letters. Fonds also includes some unpublished articles, conference papers, research notes and lectures.

Notes

Title notes

- **Source of title proper:** Title of fonds based on its provenance.

Immediate source of acquisition

The Douglas Cole fonds was donated to the SFU Archives in 1998 by Christine Mullins, the wife of Douglas Cole.

Arrangement

The materials were arranged by the Archivist.

Restrictions on access

Correspondence series contains some documents that must be restricted in accordance with provincial Freedom of Information / Protection of Privacy legislation. These documents contain information relating to the employment and educational history of third parties such as students. Please see the archivist for further details.

Finding aids

Series descriptions and file lists are available.

Accruals

No further accruals are expected.

Other notes

- **Publication status:** published
- **Level of detail:** Full
- **Status description:** Published

Access points

- Department of History
- Exploration, discovery and travel (subject)
- First nations (subject)

Series descriptions

Series F-35-1: Correspondence

Date: 1964 - 1995 (date of creation)

Scope and content:

Series consists of correspondence created and received by Dr. Douglas Cole in both his personal and professional life. Includes records that reflect his teaching and research interests, and his involvement in various university committees and professional offices. Also includes correspondence relating to awards, honours, and citations, research funding and publication of work.

Physical description: 96 cm of textual records

Publication status:

published

Subseries F-35-1-1: General correspondence

Date: 1964 - 1995 (date of creation)

Physical description: 92 cm of textual records

Publication status:

published

File / item list

Reference code	Title	Dates	Access status	Container
F-35-1-1-0-1	File - Correspondence	1964 - 1966	Restricted in whole	35-1
F-35-1-1-0-2	File - Correspondence - jobs	1965 - 1970	Restricted in whole	35-1

F-35-1-1-0-3	File - Correspondence - dissertation	1965 - 1972	Restricted in whole	35-1
F-35-1-1-0-4	File - Correspondence - Sampson	1966 - 1969	Restricted in whole	35-1
F-35-1-1-0-5	File - Correspondence	1967	Restricted in whole	35-1
F-35-1-1-0-6	File - Correspondence	1968	Restricted in whole	35-1
F-35-1-1-0-7	File - Correspondence	1969	Restricted in whole	35-1
F-35-1-1-0-8	File - Correspondence - Sampson	1969 - 1973	Restricted in whole	35-1
F-35-1-1-0-9	File - Correspondence	1970	Restricted in whole	35-2
F-35-1-1-0-10	File - Correspondence	1971	Restricted in whole	35-2
F-35-1-1-0-11	File - Correspondence	1972	Restricted in whole	35-2
F-35-1-1-0-12	File - Correspondence - 1/2	1973	Restricted in whole	35-2
F-35-1-1-0-13	File - Correspondence - 2/2	1973	Restricted in whole	35-2
F-35-1-1-0-14	File - Correspondence	1973 - 1974	Restricted in whole	35-2
F-35-1-1-0-15	File - Correspondence	1974	Restricted in whole	35-2
F-35-1-1-0-16	File - Correspondence	1974 - 1975	Restricted in whole	35-2
F-35-1-1-0-17	File - Correspondence - 1/2	1975	Restricted in whole	35-3
F-35-1-1-0-18	File - Correspondence - 2/2	1975	Restricted in whole	35-3
F-35-1-1-0-19	File - Correspondence - 1/2	1975 - 1976	Restricted in whole	35-3
F-35-1-1-0-20	File - Correspondence - 2/2	1975 - 1976	Restricted in whole	35-3
F-35-1-1-0-21	File - Correspondence	1976 - 1977	Restricted in whole	35-3
F-35-1-1-0-22	File - Correspondence	1977 - 1978	Restricted in whole	35-3
F-35-1-1-0-23	File - Correspondence	1978	Restricted in whole	35-4
F-35-1-1-0-24	File - Correspondence - 1/2	1978 - 1980	Restricted in whole	35-4
F-35-1-1-0-25	File - Correspondence - 2/2	1978 - 1980	Restricted in whole	35-4
F-35-1-1-0-26	File - Correspondence	1979	Restricted in whole	35-4
F-35-1-1-0-27	File - Correspondence	1980 - 1981	Restricted in whole	35-4
F-35-1-1-0-28	File - Correspondence - 1/2	1981	Restricted in whole	35-4
F-35-1-1-0-29	File - Correspondence - 2/2	1981	Restricted in whole	35-5
F-35-1-1-0-30	File - Correspondence	1982 - 1983	Restricted in whole	35-5
F-35-1-1-0-31	File - Correspondence - 1/2	1983	Restricted in whole	35-5
F-35-1-1-0-32	File - Correspondence - 2/2	1983	Restricted in whole	35-5
F-35-1-1-0-33	File - Correspondence - 1/2	1984	Restricted in whole	35-5
F-35-1-1-0-34	File - Correspondence - 2/2	1984	Restricted in whole	35-5
F-35-1-1-0-35	File - Correspondence - 1/2	1985	Restricted in whole	35-6
F-35-1-1-0-36	File - Correspondence - 2/2	1985	Restricted in whole	35-6
F-35-1-1-0-37	File - Correspondence - 1/2	1986	Restricted in part	35-6
F-35-1-1-0-38	File - Correspondence - 2/2	1986	Restricted in part	35-6
F-35-1-1-0-39	File - Correspondence	1987	Restricted in whole	35-6
F-35-1-1-0-40	File - Correspondence - 1/2	1988	Restricted in whole	35-6
F-35-1-1-0-41	File - Correspondence - 2/2	1988	Restricted in whole	35-7
F-35-1-1-0-42	File - Correspondence - 1/2	1989	Restricted in whole	35-7
F-35-1-1-0-43	File - Correspondence - 2/2	1989	Restricted in whole	35-7
F-35-1-1-0-44	File - Correspondence - 1/2	1990	Restricted in whole	35-7
F-35-1-1-0-45	File - Correspondence - 2/2	1990	Restricted in whole	35-7
F-35-1-1-0-46	File - Correspondence	1990 - 1991	Restricted in whole	35-7
F-35-1-1-0-47	File - Correspondence - 1/2	1991	Restricted in whole	35-7
F-35-1-1-0-48	File - Correspondence - 2/2	1991	Restricted in whole	35-8
F-35-1-1-0-49	File - Correspondence - Canadian Studies Program	1994	Restricted in whole	35-8
F-35-1-1-0-50	File - Correspondence	1995	Restricted in whole	35-8

Subseries F-35-1-2: Research correspondence

Date: 1975 - 1991 (date of creation)

<u>Physical description</u> : 4 cm of textual records				
<u>Publication status</u> :				
published				
File / item list				
Reference code	Title	Dates	Access status	Container
F-35-1-2-0-1	File - Correspondence - The Beaver article on Paul Rand	1975 - 1976	Open	35-8
F-35-1-2-0-2	File - Correspondence - Bacstrom research	1977 - 1980	Open	35-8
F-35-1-2-0-3	File - Correspondence - Cunneah entry The Dictionary of Canadian Biography	1979 - 1980	Open	35-8
F-35-1-2-0-4	File - Correspondence - Ida Halpern	1988 - 1991	Open	35-8
Series F-35-2: Unpublished articles, conference papers, research notes, and lectures				
<u>Date</u> : 1947 - 1995 (date of creation)				
<u>Scope and content</u> :				
Series consists of unpublished work of Dr. Douglas Cole. Records reflect topics in Canadian and art history, such as anthropological exploration in the northwest, Indian policy, aesthetic views of the Canadian wilderness, and the like. Includes articles, conference papers, research notes and lectures.				
<u>Physical description</u> : 18 cm of textual records				
<u>Publication status</u> :				
published				
File / item list				
Reference code	Title	Dates	Access status	Container
F-35-2-0-0-1	File - Ewert lecture	1968	Open	35-8
F-35-2-0-0-2	File - Monash paper	1968	Open	35-8
F-35-2-0-0-3	File - Warren, H.J. - research notes for article in The Islander	1973	Open	35-8
F-35-2-0-0-4	File - Conference papers and lectures - 1/2	1975 - 1995	Open	35-8
F-35-2-0-0-5	File - Conference papers and lectures - 2/2	1975 - 1995	Open	35-8
F-35-2-0-0-6	File - Wilderness Values and Canadian Taste, 1895-1930	1976	Open	35-9
F-35-2-0-0-7	File - Bacstrom - research notes	1977 - 1980	Open	35-9
F-35-2-0-0-8	File - Paul Rand - exhibit catalogue	1979	Open	35-9
F-35-2-0-0-9	File - Conference papers	1981	Open	35-9
F-35-2-0-0-10	File - Indians and WW II	1989 - 1990	Open	35-9
F-35-2-0-0-11	File - Desperately Seeking Absolution: A Response	1995	Open	35-9
F-35-2-0-0-12	File - Conference papers		Open	35-9

F-35-2-0-0-13	File - National Gallery Controversy - notes for article (unpublished)		Open	35-9
F-35-2-0-0-14	File - Notes for unpublished article - Frederick Whymper		Open	35-9
F-35-2-0-0-15	File - Articles written by or about Ida Halpern	1952 - 1986	Open	35-9
F-35-2-0-0-16	File - Articles written by or about Ida Halpern	1955 - 1957	Open	35-9
F-35-2-0-0-17	File - Articles written by or about Ida Halpern	1947 - 1987	Open	35-9
F-35-2-0-0-18	File - Photographs of George and Ida Halpern		Open	35-9