

**Finding Aid to the Sociology & Anthropology Department
College of Arts, Humanities, & Social Sciences**

Sociology & Anthropology Department

Sociology & Anthropology Department records, 1970-2005

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ADMINISTRATIVE HISTORY

The first indication of any type of sociology course work is in the 1936-1937 bulletin under the Department of Social and Economic Science, which became the Department of Economics and Sociology in 1939. In 1939 the department changed to the Department of Social Science, including sociology, history, and economics, and in 1940 politics also became a component in the department. In 1967, sociology was a component in the Division of Social and Behavioral Sciences. In 1972 sociology was

listed as a major with course work in anthropology offered and in 1978 the present Department of Sociology and Anthropology was created. The emergency management component was added in 2002.

SCOPE AND CONTENT

The records consist of eight folders, including departmental facts (1989, 1993), memos about speakers coming to campus (1976, 1978), a proposed human relations major (early 1980s), departmental highlights (1988-1989), a booklet on using the internet by Gary Goreham, recruitment/public relations brochures (1970s), a brochure on the emergency management program (2004), and a brochure on the masters in sociology (2005).

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Sociology and Anthropology – NDSU Facts, 1989, 1993

Speakers, 1976, 1978

Human Relations major – proposed, c. 1982

Sociology/Anthropology Departmental Summary – “narrative highlights,” 1988-1989

Using the Internet in College Classes, Gary Goreham, Department of Sociology/Anthropology, 1996

Sociology/Anthropology brochures, 1970s

Emergency Management Program – brochure, May 2004

Masters in Sociology – brochure, August 2005

Sociology 403: Great Plains Sociology – syllabus – n.d.

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