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Guide to the papers of George R. Saunders, 1974-1975

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Collection Overview

Repository:	National Anthropological Archives
Title:	George R. Saunders papers
Date:	1974-1975
Identifier:	NAA.2006-09
Extent:	0.42 Linear feet (1 box)
Language:	English .
Summary:	George Saunders was an anthropologist and professor at Lawrence University, where he was a professor for 26 years. His collection consists of notes and photographs from his 1974 to 1975 ethnographic research in Demonte and surrounding areas in the Piemonte region of Italy.

Administrative Information

Provenance

The George R. Saunders papers were donated to the National Anthropological Archives in 2006 by George R. Saunders.

Processing Note

The archivist retained the original folder titles and organization of the materials. Folder titles assigned by the archivist are indicated by brackets. Names were redacted in "Personality Evaluations" to protect the privacy of individuals.

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Restrictions on Access

No restrictions on access.

Restrictions on Use

Contact repository for terms of use.

Biographical Note

George Saunders was awarded his PhD in Anthropology from University of California, San Diego in 1976. He conducted psychological and ethnographic studies in the Piemonte region of Italy in 1972, 1974 --1975, 1979, and 1980. During the 1980s, he studied the history of anthropology in Italy and Italian Pentecostalism. Although most of his research focused on Italy, George Saunders also studied the family dynamics and psychosocial adjustment of Hmong refugees in Appleton, Wisconsin from 1982 to 1985. In the summers of 1995 and 1997, he did preliminary research in India on American students abroad. In 2001 he retired from Lawrence University, where he was a professor for 26 years.

Scope and Content Note

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Container Listing

Box 1	Field Notes, 1974 - 1975 4 Folders Notes: 639 pages including pages 234-235, 366-367, and 375 which are in "Personality Evaluations"
Box 1	[Census Data], circa 1974-1975
Box 1	[Personality Evaluations], circa 1974-1975 Notes: Names have been redacted
Box 1	Pictures, circa 1974-1975 Notes: Thirteen b/w prints, most of which are unidentified