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Scope and content note:

This series contains correspondence, reports, speeches, notes, memorandums, agendas, and telegrams composed by and concerning members of the National Security Council staff during the Johnson Administration, some Presidential aides, senators, and former Presidents who were involved in national security issues. Some of the correspondents included are President Dwight Eisenhower, Senator J. William Fulbright, Vice President Hubert Humphrey, Senator Robert Kennedy, Senator Mike Mansfield, and President Harry Truman.

Topics include the Vietnam War, foreign aid, including food aid to India, Pakistan, and other countries; nuclear weapons and disarmament, including the Soviet nuclear program; various treaties; foreign education; proposed foreign travel by President Lyndon Johnson, Mrs. Johnson, and various members of the National Security Council staff; administrative operations and personnel management; nautical and marine matters; legislative programs; activities of the Joint Chiefs of Staff; international air rights; the Colorado River Bill; the President's Foreign Intelligence Advisory Board (PFIAB); the North Atlantic Treaty Organization (NATO); the United Nations; and U.S. policy in Latin America, Africa, Middle East, Soviet Union, South Asia, Southeast Asia; Far East, and Vietnam.

The material in these folders is not always indicative of the responsibilities of these NSC staffers. Many NSC staffers have very small folders in this file but have substantial material incorporated into other NSF files.

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Processing note:

Since a great deal of material in these folders was closed due to security classification when the file was processed, the researcher should be sure to look carefully at the withdrawal sheets at the front of each folder, and then initiate mandatory review requests for items that might be of interest.

- Date range: 1963-1969
- 4 linear feet
- Available for research (Open)

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1	Ash Memos [1966-1967]	Russell Ash's folder contains a small amount of material reflecting his responsibility for internal security matters.	10/6/81
1	Bator Memos [1964-1967]	This folder contains material on the following subjects: Prime Minister Wilson's visit in 1967, the European economic situation, European trade issues, NATO, 1967 tax proposals, textile imports, balance of payments, tripartite nuclear talks, Vietnam, and foreign aid.	11/14/83
1	Belk Memos [1964]	Consists of a memo regarding foreign service training.	10/6/81
1	Bowdler Memos [1965-1968]	This folder includes memoranda on: British-Honduran mediation, tuna boat seizures, the Council on Latin America, Javits Amendment to the Aid Bill of 1966, the Rio Conference, Argentinean-Chilean shooting incident, visits of US officials to Latin America, Mrs. Johnson's proposed trip to Latin America, the dispute over Ankoko Island, and Cuban guerrilla support. Also contained in this folder are general summaries of Latin American developments and material on the following countries: Cuba, Peru, Chile, Mexico, Haiti, Venezuela, Bolivia, Colombia, Uruguay, Belize, Panama, Brazil, Ecuador, and the Dominican Republic.	2/10/84
1	Colonel Bowman Memos [1965-1966]	Includes memoranda on Vietnam, the President's Omaha speech, a proposal for a North American international school for community development, Joint Chiefs of Staff activities, the growing independence of countries of the Free World, and national planning.	7/2/82
1	Brubeck Memos [1964]	Small file containing material on the 1964 foreign aid bill, automobile parts tariff, and CAB international air rights.	10/6/81
1	Califano Memos [1966-1967]	Contains material on: a cease fire in the Middle East, the use of university resources in foreign policy research, domestic sugar prices, establishment of a Committee on Foreign Aid, legislative programs, the New Delhi Conference, the Rent Supplement Program, and Califano's remarks on Government Management.	10/6/81
1	Cater Memos [1964-1966]	Small file containing material on Vietnam, White House news regarding foreign policy, and the government information program on foreign affairs.	10/6/81

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1	Chase, G. [1964-1966]	Contains materials on the following: the Dominican Republic, Southern Rhodesia, Panama, PL 480, proposed Presidential trips to Latin America and San Francisco, and various Presidential speeches and appointments.	8/16/81
2	Cooper Memos [1964-1966]	Contains memoranda on Southeast Asia and the Vietnam situation, suggestions for various Presidential speeches, campaign preparations, and the international rice situation.	7/2/82
2	Davis Memos [1965-1966]	Contains reports of Davis' contacts with journalists and Congressmen, memoranda analyzing UN issues, memoranda of conversations between Davis and numerous Eastern European and Soviet officials, and other material on Eastern European countries and the Soviet Union.	8/6/84
2	DeLuca Memos [1965-1966]	Contains material on West European communism, the PCI (an Italian political party), and the creation of an office for Religious Liaison.	Open
2	Eagleburger Memos [1966-1967]	Small file containing material on the NATO trilateral talks and reports of Eagleburger's meetings with officials from the Yugoslavian embassy.	8/16/83
2	Eisenhower, Dwight D., General [1954-1968]	Contains briefings of the former President from 1964 to 1968 dealing with Vietnam, the Middle East, Soviet missile and nuclear programs, General de Gaulle, the Dominican Republic, Rhodesia, and the Indo-Pak struggle for Kashmir. Also in this folder are materials on Eisenhower's public statements on Vietnam.	9/15/83
3	President Eisenhower [1965-1968]	Contains briefings, lists of bipartisan Congressional meetings held by Johnson and by Eisenhower, lists of Johnson's contacts with Eisenhower (both pre-Presidential and Presidential), and statements of Eisenhower on Vietnam.	10/27/83
3	[Eisenhower] 8/20/65-- Material taken by General Goodpaster to Gettysburg	Contains briefings of Eisenhower on Vietnam and materials on the Collective Defense Treaty, the situation in Southeast Asia, and US policy therein.	8/18/83
3	Forrestal Memos [1964-1965]	Small file containing material on Forrestal's 1965 trip to the Far East and memoranda analyzing Far Eastern and Vietnamese matters.	Open

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3	Fried Memos [1967-1968]	This folder contains one biographic memo on Fried and a note regarding an appointment for the American Consulate General of Germany with a Department of Commerce official.	7/2/82
3	Senator Fulbright [1966-1967]	Contains materials on the Rio Treaty, economic development loans, Vietnam, the Middle East arms race, and the role of Congress in determining foreign policy.	prior to 12/1/78
3	Colonel Ginsburgh Memos [1966-1968]	Contains memoranda reflecting Ginsburgh's role as liaison with the JCS and reporting his conversations with press people on Vietnam. There is also some information on military assistance and US troop strength in Europe.	12/2/83
3	Goldstein Memos [1967-1968]	Contains memoranda on the Department of Treasury's foreign and domestic business responsibilities, US stockpiles, law of the sea issues, and Goldstein's 1968 trip to Paris.	8/18/83
3	Hamilton Memos [1965-1968]	Contains materials on India, Africa, negotiations on Vietnam, Asian Bank bills, the World Bank and regional banks, foreign aid, and campaign data cards.	Open
3	Haynes Memos [1965-1966]	Contains reports of conversations with columnists regarding African problems and memoranda on numerous sub-Saharan African countries.	12/5/83
4	[Humphrey] Vice President, Vol. 1	Contains material on the following: military spending of the Shah of Iran, Humphrey's conversations with representatives of the anti-Sukarno forces, Vietnam, Laos, invitations to Congressmen to visit Cambodia, Humphrey's East Asian trips, Humphrey's conversations with Norman Cousins on US-Vietnam policy, conversations with Kosygin on India and Vietnam, India-Pakistan relations, the Latin American agricultural situation, Cuba, US relations with Eastern European countries, the US food supply situation, the sale of wheat to Russia, the visit of Pope Paul to the UN, Vice Presidential speeches, and Vice Presidential meetings with Brazilian, Japanese, Venezuelan, German, Peruvian, and Italian officials.	Open
4	[Humphrey] Vice President, Vol. 2 [7/66-5/68]	Contains Vice Presidential speeches and drafts and materials on: PL 480, Soviet sunflower oil, Italian floods in 1966, the Vice President's visit to the Korean inaugural, the Non-Proliferation Treaty, the Italian Socialist party, NATO, Vietnam, Indonesia, Latin America, France, the Middle East, and North Africa.	10/18/82

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5	Jenkins Memos [Alfred] [1966-1969]	Contains material on East Asia (principally China), and memoranda relating Jenkins' press contacts.	8/5/84
5	Jenkins Memos [Walter] [1964]	Small file containing memoranda for White House office personnel dealing with administrative issues, and material on the presence of American troops in NATO.	Jun-82
5	Jessup Memos [1964-1968]	Contains materials on educational TV, psychological and social research, the Dominican Republic, the Asia Foundation, and Soviet military strength.	12/29/83
5	C. Johnson Memos [1965-1968]	Contains memoranda on: nuclear matters (including civil uses of nuclear engineering, supply of nuclear materials to France, the Nuclear Test Ban Treaty, and the AEC), cooperation between Soviets and US in space, NASA activities, nautical and marine matters, the Star III Research Submarine, repatriation of the Bikini Islanders, and visits of foreign ambassadors to US scientific institutions.	8/5/84
5	Jim Jones Memos [1966-1968]	Small file containing memoranda reflecting Jones' role as Assistant Appointments Secretary to Pres. Johnson.	8/25/83
5	Jorden Memos [1966-1968]	Reports of Jorden's conversations with the press and material on Vietnam and East Asia in general.	8/25/83
5	Spurgeon Keeny Memos [1964-1968]	Contains reports of meetings with officials attached to the Soviet embassy, memoranda of Keeny's conversations with journalists, and memoranda on the Soviet Union, Czechoslovakia, India, the Outer Space Treaty, civil uses of atomic energy, ABM deployment, and the Nuclear Non-Proliferation Treaty.	2/24/84
5	Senator Robert Kennedy Memos and Misc. [1966-1967]	Contains memoranda on a Kennedy statement on Africa and on the Rio Conference, correspondence regarding his February 1967 speech on China, and a transcript of a 1967 interview with Robert Kennedy on the "Today" show.	9/5/80
5	Kintner Memos [1966-1967]	Contains speech drafts, memoranda on Johnson's foreign and domestic policy speeches, and policy guidelines regarding Vietnam.	8/5/84
5	Klein Memos [1964-1965]	Contains memoranda on NATO, the United Kingdom, France, West Germany, Italy, Vietnam, and Eastern Europe (particularly Rumania and the USSR).	8/5/84

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6	Komer Memos, Vol. 1 [1/63-8/65]	Contains reports on Komer's conversations with the press and materials on the following: India, Pakistan, the Middle East, Cyprus, North Africa, Vietnam, Indonesia, Malaysia, balance of payments, foreign aid, and population control.	11/14/83
6	Komer Memos, Vol. 2 [9/65-5/66]	Contains material on India and Pakistan, Vietnam, the Middle East, Africa, a possible fertilizer consortium and the World Bank, world wheat supplies, and reports on Komer's conversations with the press.	3/9/84
6	Col. Lemnitzer Memos [1968]	Folder consists of one 1968 memorandum from Rostow to the President regarding Lemnitzer's helping Robert Ginsburgh on the NSC staff.	8/23/83
6	Manatos Memos [1966-1967]	Small file containing memoranda on Manatos' Congressional correspondence and contacts, mainly regarding foreign policy issues.	9/5/80
6	Senator Mansfield [1966-1967]	Contains correspondence between Mansfield and the President and other materials on Vietnam and US policy therein, the US-Mexico Interparliamentary Conference, the Mansfield Resolution, and Mansfield's proposed trip to the USSR, Mongolia, and China.	prior to 12/1/78
6	Vietnam--Mansfield Memo and Reply [1964-1967]	Consists of memoranda regarding Mansfield's views and proposals on the Vietnam War.	prior to 12/1/78
7	Moose Memos [1967]	Contains reports of Moose's contacts with the press, instructions for the White House Press Office in dealing with military and foreign affairs inquiries, Sen. Thomas Kuchel's remarks regarding the election in Vietnam, and requests to Walt Rostow for appointments with various reporters.	8/23/83
7	R. Morris Memos [1968]	Small file with material on a Morris meeting with a TASS correspondent and on building peace throughout the world.	8/12/83
7	Moyers Memos [1964-1966]	Contains material on Indonesia, Latin America, meetings with press correspondents, and notes for and drafts of foreign policy speeches.	8/23/83
7	Neustadt Memos [1964-1965]	Consists primarily of memoranda regarding Neustadt's proposals on foreign policy, particularly concerning NATO and Western European/US relations.	9/14/83
7	Redmon Memos [1966]	Contains one memorandum on facts to fight inflation.	8/12/83

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7	Roche Memos [1967-1968]	Contains memoranda on Vietnam, China, Cuba, and Roche's contacts with the press.	8/23/83
7	Ropa Memos [1965-1967]	Contains memoranda on Vietnam and other East Asian countries, US aid to Asian countries, and Senate speech drafts for foreign aid debates.	8/23/83
7	Rostow Memos [1966-1968]	Large file with information on: staffing of the NSC and personnel issues, the domestic economic situation, wage and price guidelines, Sen. Gruening's views on birth control legislation, foreign aid, the situation in Vietnam, China, McCloy's report on NATO, PM Wilson's cabinet changes, Latin America, and the Middle East. Also included are reports on Rostow's press contacts, a speech draft on Vietnam, and agendas for some Tuesday luncheons and NSC meetings.	9/13/83
7	Saunders Memos [1965-1968]	Contains memoranda on India, Pakistan, North Africa, Greece, AID, the Middle East, and relations between various Middle Eastern nations and Vietnam.	9/12/83
8	Sayre Memos [1964-1965]	Contains material on Latin America, primarily in reports of staff meetings of the State Department's Bureau of American Republic's Affairs (ARA). This folder also contains some material on the Colorado River bill.	12/29/83
8	Lou Schwartz [1968]	Small file containing Schwartz's reports on his contacts with the press.	8/23/83
8	Smith Memos [1967]	Contains three memos: on a meeting between JFK and Eisenhower, on LBJ's breakfast meeting with Sen. Mansfield and Amb. Goldberg, and on the guarding of a munitions warehouse in Alexandria, Virginia.	8/23/83
8	Thomson Memos [1964-1966]	Contains memoranda on Poland, China, Vietnam, and the situation in Southeast Asia in general.	7/6/82
8	Former President Truman [1967-1968]	Contains material on policy briefings on the Middle East for former President Truman.	12/29/83
8	Ullman Memos [1967]	Small file containing Ullman's reports on conversations with Soviet officials.	8/23/83
8	[Valenti File regarding the Dominican Republic] [1965]	Contains material on the Dominican Intervention of 1965, including lists of meetings and calls, a list of State Department initiatives during this crisis, and memoranda analyzing Communist participation.	3/22/85

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8	Watson Memos [1966]	Three items: two on meetings, one on Vietnam.	8/23/83
8	Wriggins Memos, 1966	Contains memoranda on the following: Turkey, Afghanistan, Pakistan, India, Ceylon, the Middle East, Southeast Asia, foreign trade, and food aid.	11/21/84
8	Wriggins Memos, 1967	Contains memoranda on the above countries as well as Nepal, Yemen, and Algeria.	8/8/84
8	Wright Memos [1967-1968]	Small file containing memoranda on Indonesia, New Zealand, Australia, and Vietnam.	8/23/83