

UMFK President's Office Records
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Collection Overview

Creator

University of Maine at Fort Kent staff

Dates

1990-1991, 2008, 2018, undated

Extent

1 framed document and 1 folder

Provenance

Materials were collected by the President's office and donated by Lisa Roy, the executive assistant to the president on behalf of their office.

Language

English

Conservation Notes

Not applicable

Conditions Governing Access and Use

Restrictions

Access: No restrictions

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Collection Description

Historical and Biographical Information

The institution currently known as the University of Maine at Fort Kent was established in 1878 as the Madawaska Training School with the goal of training teachers who would serve their community. Over the years, the institution has undergone a few name changes, with the final

name change to the University of Maine at Fort Kent happening in 1979. Despite its different names, the institution and its mission has stayed the same throughout its history.

The President's office serves the University presidents and their operations. The current president at the time of this finding aid's creation is President Deb Hedeem who has been serving as UMFK's president for two years. Her executive assistant, Lisa Roy, donated these materials to the Acadian Archives when the President's office was being cleaned in preparation for a move.

The Acadian Archives was created in 1990 as an effort to preserve the Acadian, French-Canadian, and local history and culture of the Saint John Valley region. The archives creation was a community effort and has continued to garner support from its community patrons who use our services and attend programs regularly. Representatives John Martin and Judy Paradis among others played important roles in supporting the Archives mission and getting funding passed in the Maine Legislature, including to build the Archives' current building.

Scope and Content

This collection is made up of one framed document and one folder of administrative documents and correspondence. The framed document pertains to the University as an institution and the other documents pertain to the Acadian Archives' creation in 1990.

Arrangement

The files in the folder were partially rearranged by the processing archivist into chronological order.

Separated Materials (If Applicable)

Not applicable

Subject Headings

Acadian Archives/Archives acadiennes- University of Maine at Fort Kent
Acadians-History
Dumond, Richard
French-Canadian
Hedeem, Deb
Martin, James
Martin, John L.
Paradis, Judy Hn.
Saint John Valley
Samels, James F.
Short, John
University of Maine at Fort Kent
University presidents

Related Materials

Chasse, Geraldine Pelletier. *Already 50 years: 1943-1993*. (book) LD 3141.M5652 C45 1993
Chasse, Marc. *UMFK: 125 years of excellence inauguration*. DVD F27.S35 U6 2003

Chasse, Marc. *UMFK: 125 years of excellence; UMFK alumni Therese (Jacques) Dumond and Geraldine Chasse*. DVD F27.S35 U55 2003

University of Maine at Fort Kent. *The University of Maine at Fort Kent: a century of progress*. LD3172.F52 U5 1978

University of Maine at Fort Kent collection, 1880s-1984, MCC-00149

University of Maine at Fort Kent. *Acadian Archives/Archives acadiennes annual report*.

Collection Inventory

Folder	Description	Dates
No folder	Framed document on Flagship State Colleges. Has a couple paragraphs on UMFK and how it serves rural community needs at the bottom.	2008-02
1	Acadian Archives Statement of Purpose & language policy (as approved by the Archives Advisory Council in 1990)	1990-04-09
1	Acadian Archives/Archives Acadiennes Statement of Purpose (mission and functions) as endorsed by the department's advisory council in 1990	1990
1	Acadian Archives/Archives Acadiennes Policy Statement (endorsed during a meeting of the Acadian Archives Campus/Community Advisory Committee)	1990-11-27
1	Acadian Archives/Archives Acadiennes Campus Community Advisory Council overview and articles of organization	Undated
1	Acadian Archives/Archives Acadiennes Campus Community Advisory Council by-laws	Undated
1	Document signed by former president Richard Dumont, who was UMFK's president at the time of signing this establishing the Forestry Program Fund and the Acadian Archives Fund.	1991-02-27
1	Letter from President John Short to Dr. Robert Neely, the vice chancellor for Academic Affairs for the University of Maine System in support of a Franco-American coalition between the Franco collections on different UMS campuses. Has an email correspondence between Lisa Roy, from the president's office and Lise Pelletier, the Acadian Archives director at the time.	2018-03-21/22
1	Acadian Archives Strategic Plan 2018-2023	Undated