

Guide to the Vine Deloria Papers

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CALL NUMBER: WA MSS S-2661

CREATOR: Deloria, Vine

TITLE: Vine Deloria papers

DATES: circa 1969-2005

PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION: 160.50 linear feet (171 boxes + 3 broadside folders)

LANGUAGE: English

SUMMARY: The Vine Deloria papers consist of writings, correspondence, subject files, legal files, teaching files, organizational records, awards and tributes, photographs, audiovisual materials, and electronic media documenting the life and work of Vine Deloria. Writings, correspondence, and subject files form the bulk of the collection and document his involvement in issues relating to Native Americans. Organizational correspondence and organizational records document the many groups with which Deloria was affiliated.

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Key to the container abbreviations used in the PDF finding aid:

b. box
 item barcode

Administrative Information

Immediate Source of Acquisition

Purchased from the estate of Vine Deloria on the Frederick W. and Carrie S. Beinecke Fund for Western Americana, 2010.

December 2011 acquisition: Gift of Northwest Indian College, 2011.

Conditions Governing Access

The materials are open for research.

Box 172 (audiovisual material): Restricted fragile material. Reference copies may be requested. Consult Access Services for further information.

Boxes 173-174 (computer disks): Restricted fragile material. Reference copies of electronic files may be requested. Consult Access Services for further information.

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Preferred Citation

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Processing Information

Collections are processed to a variety of levels, depending on the work necessary to make them usable, their perceived research value, the availability of staff, competing priorities, and whether or not further accruals are expected. The library attempts to provide a basic level of preservation and access for all collections [as they are acquired], and does more extensive processing of higher priority collections as time and resources permit.

This collection received a basic level of processing, including rehousing and minimal organization.

Information included in the Description of Papers note and Collection Contents section is drawn from information supplied with the collection and from an initial survey of the contents. Folder titles appearing in the contents list below are often based on those provided by the creator or previous custodian. Titles have not been verified against the contents of the folders in all cases. Otherwise, folder titles are supplied by staff during initial processing.

This finding aid may be updated periodically to account for new acquisitions to the collection and/or revisions in arrangement and description.

Vine Deloria (1933-2005)

Vine Deloria Jr., author, theologian, historian, lawyer, and community organizer was a member of the Standing Rock Sioux. Born on March 26, 1933 in Martin, South Dakota near the Pine Ridge Oglala Sioux Reservation, he was the grandson of *Tipi Sapa* (Black Lodge), also known as Rev. Philip Joseph Deloria, an Episcopal priest and a leader of the Yankton band of the Nakota Nation. Deloria's father, Vine Sr. (1901-1990), studied English and Christian theology and became an Episcopal archdeacon and missionary on the Standing Rock Indian Reservation, to which he transferred the family's tribal citizenship. Deloria Jr.'s aunt was the anthropologist Ella Deloria (1881-1971).

First educated at reservation schools, Deloria graduated from Kent School in 1951. After serving in the Marines from 1954 through 1956, he graduated from Iowa State University in 1958 with a degree in general science. In 1963 he earned a masters degree in theology from the Lutheran School of Theology in Rock Island, Illinois.

Rather than joining the ministry, Deloria became executive director of the National Congress of American Indians, the largest intertribal organization in the United States. From 1964 through 1967 he lobbied Capitol Hill, worked to build tribal coalitions, and fought religious and political repression on the reservations. Under his leadership, membership in the NCAI grew from 19 to 156 tribes.

In 1969, Deloria published *Custer Died for Your Sins: An Indian Manifesto*, the first of more than twenty books and 200 articles he would write or edit on matters concerning Native Americans. A year later he received a law degree from the University of Colorado, and began his academic career at Western Washington State College at Bellingham, Washington.

While teaching at Western Washington State College he advocated for the treaty fishing rights of local Native American tribes and worked on the legal case that led to the historic Boldt Decision of the United States District Court for the Western District of Washington. In 1977, he became a board member of the National Museum of the American Indian.

Deloria became Professor of Political Science at the University of Arizona in 1978. Over the next twelve years he established the first master's program in American Indian Studies in the United States. From 1990 to 2000, Deloria taught American studies, law, history, religion and political science at the University of Colorado, Boulder. In 2000 he returned to Arizona and taught at the School of Law.

Vine Deloria Jr., died on November 13, 2005 in Golden, Colorado.

Scope and Contents

The Vine Deloria papers consist of writings, correspondence, subject files, legal files, teaching files, organizational records, awards and tributes, photographs, audiovisual materials, and electronic media documenting the life and work of Vine Deloria. Writings, correspondence, and subject files form the bulk of the collection and document his involvement in issues relating to Native Americans. Organizational correspondence and organizational records document the many groups with which Deloria was affiliated.

Arrangement

Organized into ten series: I. Writings, circa 1969-2005. II. Correspondence, 1969-2005. III. Subject Files, circa 1969-2003. IV. Legal Files, circa 1992-2004. V. Teaching Files. VI. Organizational Records, 1973-1995. VII. Awards and Tributes, 1970-2005. VIII. Photographs. IX. Audiovisual Materials, circa 1994-1996. X. December 2011 acquisition, 2002.

Collection Contents

Series I: Writings, circa 1969-2005

12.79 linear feet (14 boxes)

The series includes typescripts for many of Vine Deloria's books, some of which are accompanied by research materials; drafts for assorted writings projects, including works in progress at the time of his death; and television and movie projects.

Writings are in the order in which they were received. Boxes are listed in rough alphabetic order based on the box labels.

b. 1	American Indians, American Justice <i>4 Folders</i>	circa 1983
b. 1	The Nations Within <i>4 Folders</i>	circa 1984
b. 1	American Indian Policy in the Twentieth Century <i>2 Folders</i>	circa 1985
b. 1	Typescripts <i>3 Folders</i>	
b. 1	Frank Waters Book - Articles	circa 1993
b. 1	Frank Waters <i>2 Folders</i>	circa 1993
b. 1	Frank Waters Anthology	
b. 2	Custer Died for Your Sins <i>3 Folders</i>	circa 1969
b. 2	We Talk, You Listen <i>2 Folders</i>	circa 1970
b. 2	God is Red <i>3 Folders</i>	circa 1973
b. 2	Indians of the Pacific Northwest <i>2 Folders</i>	circa 1977
b. 2	Indians of the Pacific Northwest - Doubleday - Research and Working Papers	circa 1977
b. 2	Behind the Trail of Broken Treaties <i>3 Folders</i>	circa 1974
b. 2	Research Materials - Behind the Trail of Broken Treaties - Dell	circa 1974
b. 2	Behind the Trail of Broken Treaties - Revised Edition	circa 1974
b. 2	The Metaphysics of Modern Existence <i>4 Folders</i>	circa 1979
b. 3 Oversize	Indians of the Pacific Northwest - Photos and maps	circa 1977
b. 4	Writing files, large projects (includes writings, correspondence, and research files)	

b. 5	Writing projects II, 1989-	circa 1989
b. 6	Drafts of manuscripts	
b. 7	Fall 2005 Miscellaneous Manuscripts, etc. Includes a note describing the contents of boxes 7-10. These files were loose in Vine Deloria's library and office at the time of his death and may properly belong elsewhere among Deloria's files.	2005
b. 8	Fall 2005 Miscellaneous correspondence, etc. These files were loose in Vine Deloria's library and office at the time of his death and may properly belong elsewhere among Deloria's files. Copies of electronic files are available through Access Services: Disk #1, #2 and #3.	
b. 9	Fall 2005 Manuscripts, Jung, etc. These files were loose in Vine Deloria's library and office at the time of his death and may properly belong elsewhere among Deloria's files.	
b. 10	Fall 2005 Manuscripts, Jung, etc. These files were loose in Vine Deloria's library and office at the time of his death and may properly belong elsewhere among Deloria's files.	
b. 11	Special writing projects Files combine writings, correspondence, and subject files, and includes notes from Vine Deloria on several of the projects. Also includes: Wounded Knee scrapbook.	
b. 12	Television/movie projects	
b. 13	Typescripts: Tribes, Treaties & Constitutional Tribulations; World We Used to Live In; C. G. Jung & Sioux Traditions	
b. 14	Typescripts: Tribes, Treaties & Constitutional Tribulations; World We Used to Live In; C. G. Jung & Sioux Traditions	

Series II: Correspondence, 1969-2005*44.38 linear feet (37 boxes)*

The series includes correspondence relating to Vine Deloria's involvement in organizations relating to Native Americans, teaching, research, publishing, and other topics. Within the organizational correspondence, names of the included groups are listed in notes for each box.

Correspondence is arranged into five subseries: chronological, organizational, individual, publisher, and academic. Within individual boxes correspondence is arranged as received, either chronologically or alphabetically.

Chronological correspondence

b. 15	Correspondence	pre-1969, 1969-1973
b. 16	Correspondence	1974-1978
b. 17	Correspondence	1978-1982
b. 18	Correspondence	1982-1987
b. 19	Correspondence	1987-1991
b. 20	Correspondence	1991-1994
b. 21	Correspondence	1994-1997
b. 22	Correspondence Office cabinet 1, drawer 1	1997-2000
b. 23	Correspondence	2001-2005

Organizational correspondence

b. 24	Akbar Foundation to Education Testing Service This box includes correspondence relating to the following organizations: Akbar Foundation, American Civil Liberties Union, American Friends Service Committee, American Indian Anti-Defamation Council, American Indian Development Association, Arrow, Inc., American Indian Science and Engineering Society, Aspen Institute, Buffalo Bill Center, Center for Constitutional Rights, Chinook Fund, Cinnamon Productions, Christic Institute, Colorado Bicentennial Commission, Custer Battfield Memorial Land Purchase Program, Daybreak Films, Donner Foundation, Disability Rights Education and Defense Fund, James Draper/Kelly Associates, EATWOT, Educational Challenges, and Educational Testing Service.
b. 25	Field Foundation to Indian Law Resource Center This box includes correspondence relating to the following organizations: Field Foundation, Ford Foundation, Forum for Contemporary History, Foundation for the Preservation of American Indian Art and Culture, Freewheelin' Films, Friends of Pyramid Lake, Friends of Carl Jung, Richard Fulton, Inc., Guggenheim Fellowships, IFCO, Interreligious Foundation for Community Organization, Indian Council Fire, and Indian Law Resource Center.

Organizational correspondence (continued)

- b. 26 [Indian Rights Association to National Indian Youth Council](#)
This box includes correspondence relating to the following organizations: Indian Rights Association, Institute for World Order, Institute for International Education, Lilly Foundation, National Coalition of Treaty Tribes, National Congress of American Indians, National Council of Churches, National Endowment for the Humanities, and National Indian Youth Council.
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- b. 27 National Minority Military Museum - Sun Valley Center for Arts & Humanities
This box includes correspondence relating to the following organizations: National Minority Military Museum, National Science Foundation, Native American Rights Fund, Native American Theological Association, Neihardt Foundation, Rattlesnake Productions, Rural Ethnic Institute, Sachem Foundation, San Diego State American Indian Program Review, Save the Children, Senate Committee on Aging, Sinte Gleska College, Small Tribes Organization of Western Washington, Society for the Study of Native American Religious Traditions, Southwest Intergroup Council, Standing Rock Sioux Tribe, and Sun Valley Center for Arts and Humanities.
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- b. 28 Sun Valley Movie Conference - Alan Walker, Program Corp of America
This box includes correspondence relating to the following organizations: Sun Valley Movie Conference; Tribal Sovereignty Project; Theology in Global Context; Theology in the Americas; and Alan Walker, Program Corp of America.
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- b. 29 White House: Papers & Correspondence
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- b. 30 Acquisitions Committee, Denver Public Library - Standing Rock Sioux Tribe
This box includes correspondence relating to the following organizations: Acquisitions Committee, Denver Public Library; American Indian Law Alliance; American Indian Science and Engineering Society; Colorado Historical Society; Denver Public Library; Evangelical Lutheran Church of America; Fund of the Four Directions; Hampton University; Inter-Tribal Bison Cooperative; Lannan Foundation; Native American Fish and Wildlife Association; National Indian Law Professors; Native Lands Institute; Society for Ecological Restoration; Snake River Institute; and Standing Rock Sioux Tribe.
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- b. 31 National Museum of the American Indian; Rapid City Museum
Office legal-size file cabinet, drawer 2; includes hard hat.
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Organizational correspondence (continued)

- b. 32 Council of 100 - Tides Foundation
Office cabinet 1, drawer 4.
- This box includes correspondence relating to the following organizations: Council of 100; Buffalo Field Campaign; National Wildlife Federation Tribal Lands Advisory Council; American Indian Research and Policy Institute; American Indian Ritual Object Foundation; University of Arizona LLM Program; Gene Autry Museum; Center for Western Studies, Augustana College, Sioux Falls; Colorado Center for the Book; Foundation for Preservation of American Indian Art and Culture; Indian Law Resource Center; Inter-Tribal Bison Cooperative; Kent School; Robert and Joy Leland Charitable Trust; National Wildlife Federation NEPA Committee; National Institute of Justice W.E.B. DuBois Fellowship Program; Native Lands; Rural Ethnic Institute; School of American Research; Standing Rock Historical Society; TKA Associates International; and Tides Foundation.
- Not in alphabetical order.

- b. 33 Niehardt Foundation - John Hay Whitney Foundation Grant
- This box includes correspondence relating to the following organizations: Niehardt Foundation, Lutheran School of Theology, Educational Foundation of America, Rosa Minoka Hill Fund, Institute of the North American West, IRI-HITF Foundation, NativeLands Institute, Howard Simons Foundation for American Indian Journalists, Smithsonian Institute, TKA Community Development Grant, Western Social Science Association, Western Political Science Association, John Hay Whitney Foundation.
- Not in alphabetical order.

Individual correspondence

Individual correspondence is arranged alphabetically within each box.

- b. 34 [Adams, Hank - Bridger, Bobby](#)
- b. 35 Bridger, Bobby - Crosswait, Helen
- b. 36 DeGrazia, Alfred - Hansen, Evan
- b. 37 Hardaker, Chris - Luebben, Thomas
- b. 38 Lurie, Nancy - Pierce, Dick
- b. 39 Pierite, Joseph A., Chief - Sutton, Imre
- b. 40 Svendsen, David - Wood, Nancy
- b. 41 Armstrong, Dean - Irwin, Lee
Office cabinet 1, drawer 2
- b. 42 Jaffe, Mark - Wright, Will
Office cabinet 1, drawer 3
- b. 43 Archambeau, Kenneth - Wilkins, David

Publisher correspondence

- b. 44 Chronological 1969-1976

Publisher correspondence (continued)

b. 45	Chronological	1977-1989
b. 46	Chronological	1992-1996
b. 47	Chronological	1997-2003
b. 48	Alphabetical, Akwesasne Notes - Westwater Press	
b. 49	Publishers by name, not in order	
Academic correspondence		
b. 50	University of Arizona: Brand, Miles - Pre-Law Advisory Committee	
b. 51	University of Colorado	1990s

Series III: Subject Files, circa 1969-2003*98.25 linear feet (88 boxes + 3 broadside folders)*

The series consists of research into many areas relating to Native Americans, in particular legal issues including treaties and landmark litigation, as well as clippings and other materials related to Deloria's life and work. Most descriptions are transcribed from box labels, binders, scrapbooks, etc.

Subject files are arranged into six subseries based on format: files, binders, scrapbooks, printed materials, clippings, and card files. Within each subseries the files are organized in rough alphabetic order.

Files	
b. 52	Active project files, arranged by subject
b. 53	Active research files on monsters
b. 54	American history to Pre-Columbian expeditions
b. 55	Archaeology, Anthropology, Kennewick Man
b. 56	Bering Straigs - settlement of North America; Pre-Columbian History - Mound Builders; Environmental Materials - Pro & Con for Indians as environmentalists; Folklore as Fact; Rock Art & Inscriptions
b. 57	Bibliographies, legal indexes
b. 58	Case files: Lumbee, Ottawat/Potawatomi, Seneca-Cayuga, Western Shoshone
b. 59	Conferences - law and theology, traditional knowledge
b. 60	Congressional reports - serial sets, colonial laws, allotment, Doolittle JOM, Percap-1923, Delegation Act, etc.
b. 61	Congressional reports - serial sets, Removal Act, termination, etc.
b. 62	Copies of dissertations, monographs, reports
b. 63	Decennial Digest, Indian legends, myths
b. 64	Education research files
b. 65	Evolution and additions
b. 66	Files on various tribes and native peoples,
b. 67	Files - Personalities, Kulas, Pam Colorado, Stanley, etc.; Pranks and Controversies, Churchill, othe frauds
b. 68	Files relating to land rights, occupation cases, various tribes
b. 69	General Indian articles; Morphic Resonance; Pre-Columbian articles; Catastrophism
b. 70	Hanta Yo Controversy, Jamake Highwater correspondence and files
b. 71	Jamake Highwater files
b. 72	Indians, Legal and political articles

Files (continued)

b. 73	Indian Reorganization Act - Hearings to Repeal, Articles interpreting and commenting on IRA, Appropriations Acts, Termination/Alcatraz, BIA buildings
b. 74	Indian Reorganization Act - Self-Government Hearings, Indian Congresses
b. 75	Indians - Soul & Visions, Miscellaneous historical articles
b. 76	Law Reviews, general Indian topics, non-Indian topics
b. 77	Law Reviews, international status, Indian claims, water rights
b. 78	Legislation files
b. 79	Leventhal materials for Miamis and Delawares, Sacred Sites (1995)
b. 80	Miscellaneous articles
b. 81	Miscellaneous cases (by name)
b. 82	Miscellaneous files on treaties, education, etc.
b. 83	Miscellaneous files
b. 84	Miscellaneous files
b. 85	NAGPRA materials, Commissioner of Indian Affairs - Annual reports, Jesuit relations, land issues
b. 86	Old treaty project files, Spanish-Mexican - Old drafts of chapters
b. 87	Origins of the Solar System - Asteroid, Meteor, Moon, etc.; Geology - eras, strata; Scientific Measuring Devices
b. 88	Peyote Case - Other Litigation
b. 89	Pre-History - Zuni Creation Myths; miscellaneous chronological files, binders
b. 90	Religious Freedom - Reports, Correspondence, Testimony
b. 91	Religious Freedom - research files
b. 92	Research files on religion
b. 93	Research files on religion
b. 94	Sacred Sites project
b. 95	Sacred Sites project
b. 96	Sacred Sites project
b. 97	Sioux Indians - Anthropological, Historical, Cultural, Religious articles
b. 98	Sioux Indians - Congressional reports
b. 99	Sioux Nation - Federal documets, briefs
b. 100	Treaties reference material

Files (continued)

b. 101	Treaty Rights: Congressional debates, historical articles, miscellaneous articles
b. 102	Treaty study, law reviews
b. 103	Tribal legal problems
b. 104	Weird and Miscellaneous (Blue People, Roswell, aliens, etc.)
b. 105	Working files, dinosaur binder
b. 106	Yankton Sioux Litigation, Supreme Court decision and papers, Jurisdictional case - 1988

Binders

Binders are organized alphabetically by title.

b. 107	American Indian Treaties course
b. 107	Articles on Creation
b. 107	Articles on Indians, 1970s
b. 108	ASPR XI through Revisions
b. 108	Case law involving 1868 treaties - non-Sioux
b. 108	Cases on "Of Utmost Good Faith"
b. 109	Cases on "Sacred as fee Simple"
b. 109	Claims Cases
b. 109	Creation - Evolution Litigation
b. 109	Decennial Digest, Constitution, Religious Liberty & Freedom of Conscience
b. 109	Decennial Digest, Indian Treaties
b. 110	Depredations Cases & Other Claims - Sisseton, Yankton, Lower Brule, etc.
b. 110	Docket C-531, Black Hills Claim
b. 110	Docket Nos 74 and 332-C, Black Hills Claim
b. 110	Education & Schools, 1848-1965
b. 111	Executive Summary, Miami Tribe of Oklahoma Illinois Land Claim
b. 111	Federal District Court Indian Cases
b. 111	Federal Indian Legislation, 66th Congress to 100th Congress
b. 111	Federal Religious Status Relevant to Indians Including NAGPRA
b. 112	Federal Statues, At Large American Indians, Volumes 1-20
b. 112	Federal Statues Dealing with Sioux Indians

Binders (continued)

b. 112	Guide to Records in the Military Archives Division Pertaining to Indian-White Relations
b. 112	Indian Legislation Beginning in 1934 by Congress
b. 113	Important Federal Statutes
b. 113	Indian Bibliographies
b. 113	Indian Cases Dealing With Application of the Fifth Amendment to Indians
b. 113	Johnson-O'Malley, 48 Stat 596, Essay on Background, History and Application
b. 113	Journals of the Continental Congress
b. 114	Legal Universe, 10th Amendment Cases
b. 114	Legal Universe, Blacks
b. 114	Legal Universe, Japanese, Chinese
b. 114	Legal Universe, Labor, Criminals, Color of Law
b. 114	Legal Universe, Natural World, Corporations, Property
b. 115	Legal Universe, Territories, American Indians
b. 115	Legal Universe Women, Children
b. 115	Lower Federal Court Cases, Indian Treaties
b. 115	Michigan Wisconsin Fishing Rights Cases
b. 116	Miscellaneous
b. 116	Miscellaneous Federal Cases
b. 116	Miscellaneous Statutes
b. 116	Newspaper Clippings, Indian Matters
b. 116	Newspaper Clippings on Indians
b. 117	Newspaper items, non-Indians
b. 117	Religious Freedom, Lower Court Cases, Indians
b. 117	Sioux Indians, Lower Federal Cases
b. 117	State Court Cases
b. 118	Statutes dealing with Commissions to the Indians
b. 118	Supreme Court Cases, Indians to 1870
b. 118	Supreme Court Cases, Indians, 1871-1910
b. 118	Supreme Court Cases, Indians, 1911-1960

Binders (continued)

b. 118	Supreme Court Cases, Indians, 1961-1980
b. 119	Supreme Court Cases, 1981-
b. 119	Supreme Court Cases, Mexican Americans
b. 119	Supreme Court Cases, Non-Indian
b. 119	Supreme Court Cases, Religious Freedom
b. 120	Treaties, Decennial Digest, Supreme Court Digest
b. 120	Treaty Book, Great Britain, Canada
b. 120	Treaty Cases, Lower Courts, Non-Indian
b. 120	Tribes & States, William James Sidis
b. 120	Tucson Artifacts
b. 121	Tuscon Artifacts
b. 121	Wisdom of Congress Cases
b. 121	Volume IIB: Ratified Agreements, Conventions, Railroad Agreements, Settlement Acts
b. 121	Untitled binder of legal cases
b. 122	Untitled binder of legal cases
b. 122	Untitled binder of legal cases
b. 122	Untitled binder of treaties
b. 122	Untitled binder of treaties
b. 122	Untitled binder of treaties
b. 122	Untitled binder of appropriation acts
	Scrapbooks
	Scrapbooks are organized alphabetically by title.
b. 123 Oversize	American Indians, American Justice
b. 123 Oversize	Custer Died for Your Sins, reviews
b. 124 Oversize	The Metaphysics of Modern Existence; The Aggressions of Civilization; A Sender of Words; American Indian Policy in the 20th Century
b. 124 Oversize	Interviews: Custer Died for Your Sins
b. 125 Oversize	Of Utmost Good Faith; Red Man in the New World Drama; God is Red; Behind the Trail of Broken Treaties
b. 125 Oversize	Red Earth, White Lies, reviews
b. 126 Oversize	Vine Deloria, Jr. Newspaper Interviews & Articles

Scrapbooks (continued)

b. 126 Oversize	Vine Deloria, 1976-1987	
b. 127 Oversize	Vine Deloria, 1988-97	
b. 127 Oversize	We Talk, You Listen	
b. 127 Oversize	We Talk, You Listen, reviews	
Printed materials		
b. 128	Miscellaneous periodicals	
b. 129	Miscellaneous volumes	
b. 130 Oversize	<i>Red Earth White Lies</i> poster	
b. 130 Oversize	Sioux Nation for Nixon headband	
b. 130 Oversize	Event posters	
b. 130 Oversize	National Book Festival posters	2002
b. 130 Oversize	Three signed posters of Ghandi, Martin Luther King, Jr., and Albert Einstein, by Frank Szasz	
b. 131 Broadside	Chart, A Correlated History of Earth	
b. 132 Broadside	Map, Pleistocene Lakes in Nevada	
b. 133 Broadside	Poster, National Museum of the American Indian, Native Writers Series	
Clippings		
b. 134	Miscellaneous articles, conferences, re: Vine, 1991-2003, in lieu of scrapbooks	1991-2003
b. 135 Oversize	Miscellaneous items removed from Box 134. This box includes a caricature, bumper sticker, clippings, National Conference of Christians and Jews certificate of recognition, 1971, a 2001 calendar, and a t-shirt.	1969-2001
b. 136	Miscellaneous reviews, etc., 1997-2002; VD & critique of Anthro.; IRA & Evolution; Duplicate reviews/articles; Escuela Tlatelolico; Jerelyn Lucero - artist - cover of Spirit's Reason	1997-2002
Card files		
b. 137	4 boxes of index cards listing VD's library	
b. 138	4 card file boxes: Claims cases; Supreme Court cases; Federal cases regarding American Indians; Federal Supplemental cases, Oklahoma state cases	
b. 139	4 card file boxes: Federal Reporter Second Series; Legal and Political; Indians (Topics, Traditions, Medicine Men, Original World); American Indians	
b. 140	4 card file boxes: Ethics and Phiosophy; Carl Jung; Philosophy and Science; Bibliography	
b. 141	4 card file boxes: Religion; Evolution; Catastrophism - Dissenting material; Current research (soul book)	

Card files (continued)

- b. 142 4 card file boxes: Anthros (refuting orthodox doctrines); Psychology (near death experiences); Geomythology; Social Sciences
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Series IV: Legal Files, circa 1992-2004*8.54 linear feet (9 boxes)*

The series consists of files relating to various Native American treaties, litigation against the Washington Redskins, and the Leonard Peltier/Wounded Knee case.

Legal files are in rough alphabetic order based on box labels as received.

b. 143	Treaties	
b. 144	Treaties	
b. 145	Treaties	
b. 146	Treaties Copies of electronic files are available through Access Services: Disk #4.	
b. 147	Treaties	
b. 148	Washington Redskins litigation	1992-1996
b. 149	Washington Redskins litigation	1998-2004
b. 150	Leonard Peltier - Consolidated Wounded Knee Case	
b. 151	Leonard Peltier - Consolidated Wounded Knee Case	

Series V: Teaching Files*11.46 linear feet (10 boxes)*

The series consists of teaching files, lecture notes, course materials, and photocopies of readings for classes taught by Vine Deloria at the University of Colorado and the University of Arizona.

Teaching files are arranged into three subseries: University of Colorado, University of Arizona, and readings. Within each box files are organized as received.

University of Colorado

b. 152	CU lecture notes, Indian place names - states
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b. 153	Course materials
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b. 154	Course materials
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b. 155	Student and course materials
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University of Arizona

b. 156	Course materials
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Readings

Originally labelled "Xeroxed Books."

Readings are arranged in rough alphabetic order by topic.

b. 157	American Indians & Origins
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b. 158	Catastrophism - Floods - Psychic Phenomena
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b. 159	Jewish scripture, Yanktonai ethnohistory
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b. 160	Science - Philosophy, Ancient Technology, Labor History, Eastern Religions
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b. 161	Papers written by friends - Wilkins, Tinker, Patten, Walker, Masse, NARFies
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Series VI: Organizational Records, 1973-1995

3.75 linear feet (3 boxes)

The series consists of records from the American Indian Research Associates, Office of Education and the National Museum of the American Indian.

Organizational records are arranged in rough alphabetic order. Within each box files are in the order in which they were recieved.

b. 162	American Indian Research Associates, Office of Education files	circa 1973-1980
b. 163	National Museum of the American Indian records	circa 1977-1992
b. 164	National Museum of the American Indian records	1989-1995

Series VII: Awards and Tributes, 1970-2005*2.08 linear feet (6 boxes)*

Awards and tributes consists of honorary degrees, awards, tributes, and other honors bestowed upon Vine Deloria.

b. 165	Tributes Also includes printed material.	2004-2006
b. 166	Honorary degrees and awards	circa 1970-1996
b. 167	Awards and medals	2001-2005
b. 168 Oversize	Awards	2004
b. 169 (Oversize)	Honorary degrees and awards	1976, 1991, 2001
b. 170 Oversize	District of Colorado attorney certificate, law school class photo	1970

Series VIII: Photographs

0.21 linear feet (1 box)

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- b. 171 [Vine Deloria, playing guitar on stage at a concert](#)
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- b. 171 ["Anyone urinating on the ground will be arrested"](#)
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Series IX: Audiovisual Materials, circa 1994-1996*1 linear foot (1 box)**19 VHS cassettes, 1 Betamax cassette, and 1 CD*

Audiovisual materials consist of videocassettes with recordings of interviews with and presentations by Vine Deloria, documentaries, news programs, and conference recordings. Also includes an Ella Fitzgerald and Louis Armstrong CD, "Ella and Louis Again."

Restricted fragile material. Reference copies may be requested. Consult Access Services for further information.

b. 172, ■■■■ 39002137189198	<p>White Bison, <i>Mens Gathering</i> <i>1 Videocassette (VHS) 00:21:51 Duration (HH:MM:SS.mmm)</i> Video is clipped. [Aviary] wamsss-266139002137189198ump4 Audiovisual material. Restricted fragile. Reference copies may be requested. Consult Access Services for further information.</p>	undated
b. 172, ■■■■ 39002137189180	<p><i>Snapshots in Complexity - The Lakota Sioux of South Dakota</i>, Traditional Healing Productions <i>1 Videocassette (VHS) 01:48:04 Duration (HH:MM:SS.mmm)</i> The program starts at the top of the tape. White levels are high and clipped. Video levels vary. [Aviary] wamsss-266139002137189180ump4 Audiovisual material. Restricted fragile. Reference copies may be requested. Consult Access Services for further information.</p>	1993
b. 172, ■■■■ 39002137189206	<p><i>Manifest Destiny: A Visual Expression of the Impact of U.S. Expansionist Policy on Native American Populations</i> <i>1 Videocassette (VHS) 00:31:00 Duration (HH:MM:SS.mmm)</i> White levels are high and clipped. [Aviary] Aviary wamsss-266139002137189206 Audiovisual material. Restricted fragile. Reference copies may be requested. Consult Access Services for further information.</p>	1996
b. 172, ■■■■ 39002137189214	<p>"My Strength is From the Fish" <i>1 Videocassette (VHS) 00:31:07 Duration (HH:MM:SS.mmm)</i> [Aviary] wamsss-266139002137189214ump4 Audiovisual material. Restricted fragile. Reference copies may be requested. Consult Access Services for further information.</p>	1994
b. 172, ■■■■ 39002137189222	<p><i>A Gathering for the Earth</i> <i>1 Videocassette (VHS) 02:55:30 Duration (HH:MM:SS.mmm)</i> Video levels vary. [Aviary] wamsss-266139002137189222ump4 Audiovisual material. Restricted fragile. Reference copies may be requested. Consult Access Services for further information.</p>	1995 April 21
b. 172, ■■■■ 39002137189230	<p>Zuni Settlement Act <i>1 Videocassette (VHS) 00:30:34 Duration (HH:MM:SS.mmm)</i> [Aviary] wamsss-266139002137189230ump4 Audiovisual material. Restricted fragile. Reference copies may be requested. Consult Access Services for further information.</p>	1990 February 10

b. 172, [REDACTED] 39002137189248	<i>The Red Road to Sobriety</i> , Kifaru Productions 1 Videocassette (VHS) 01:42:45 Duration (HH:MM:SS.mmm) [Aviary] wamsss-266139002137189248ump4 Audiovisual material. Restricted fragile. Reference copies may be requested. Consult Access Services for further information.	1995
b. 172, [REDACTED] 39002137189255	Portland AIRFA Hearing and Interview 1 Videocassette (VHS) 00:24:00 Duration (HH:MM:SS.mmm) Color levels vary throughout the program. [Aviary] wamsss-266139002137189255ump4 Audiovisual material. Restricted fragile. Reference copies may be requested. Consult Access Services for further information.	undated
b. 172, [REDACTED] 39002137189263	#714 <i>Remember My Lai</i> , Frontline 1 Videocassette (VHS) 01:00:13 Duration (HH:MM:SS.mmm) White levels are high and clipped. Video levels vary. Graphics color is highly saturated. Video is overexposed. [Aviary] wamsss-266139002137189263ump4 Audiovisual material. Restricted fragile. Reference copies may be requested. Consult Access Services for further information.	1989
b. 172, [REDACTED] 39002137189271	<i>The Buffalo - Symbol or Salvation?</i> 1 Videocassette (VHS) 00:41:42 Duration (HH:MM:SS.mmm) The color bleeds in the video. [Aviary] wamsss-266139002137189271ump4 Audiovisual material. Restricted fragile. Reference copies may be requested. Consult Access Services for further information.	1994
b. 172, [REDACTED] 39002137189289	Popper Wyoming Meetings 1 Videocassette (VHS) 00:28:58 Duration (HH:MM:SS.mmm) [Aviary] wamsss-266139002137189289ump4 Audiovisual material. Restricted fragile. Reference copies may be requested. Consult Access Services for further information.	1991
b. 172, [REDACTED] 39002137189297	<i>The Traditional Use of Peyote</i> 1 Videocassette (VHS) 00:18:43 Duration (HH:MM:SS.mmm) [Aviary] wamsss-266139002137189297ump4 Audiovisual material. Restricted fragile. Reference copies may be requested. Consult Access Services for further information.	1993
b. 172, [REDACTED] 39002137189305	Mr. Vine Deloria, Jr. - Community Reconciliation Breakfast 1 Videocassette (VHS) 02:03:11 Duration (HH:MM:SS.mmm) Program goes to black from 01:15:26-01:17:10. The frame freezes at the end of the program. [Aviary] wamsss-266139002137189305ump4 Audiovisual material. Restricted fragile. Reference copies may be requested. Consult Access Services for further information.	1996 May 9
b. 172, [REDACTED] 39002137189313	World of Thought Residency - "Issues in Indian Country" (meaning of the 1851 Treaty to Dakota people then and now), public presentation at the Treaty Site History Center in St. Peter, Minnesota 1 Videocassette (VHS) 02:04:23 Duration (HH:MM:SS.mmm) There is a freeze frame at the end of the program. [Aviary] wamsss-266139002137189313ump4 Audiovisual material. Restricted fragile. Reference copies may be requested. Consult Access Services for further information.	1996 May 6

b. 172, [REDACTED] 39002137189321	World of Thought Residency, "Community Memories and the Oral Tradition" public presentation <i>1 Videocassette (VHS) 01:37:33 Duration (HH:MM:SS.mmm)</i> White levels are high and clipped. The audio is low. [Aviary] wamsss-266139002137189321ump4 Audiovisual material. Restricted fragile. Reference copies may be requested. Consult Access Services for further information.	1996 May 7
b. 172, [REDACTED] 39002137189339	World of Thought Residency, open meeting with students, faculty and staff to wrap up week's activities <i>1 Videocassette (VHS) 01:37:06 Duration (HH:MM:SS.mmm)</i> There is a freeze frame at the end of the program. [Aviary] wamsss-266139002137189339ump4 Audiovisual material. Restricted fragile. Reference copies may be requested. Consult Access Services for further information.	1996 May 10
b. 172, [REDACTED] 39002137189347	World of Thought Residency, Brown Bag Lunch campus wide gathering CSU <i>1 Videocassette (VHS) 01:45:09 Duration (HH:MM:SS.mmm)</i> The program goes to black for several minutes about 52 minutes into the tape. A still image comes onto the screen and last for several minutes until the end of the program. [Aviary] wamsss-266139002137189347ump4 Audiovisual material. Restricted fragile. Reference copies may be requested. Consult Access Services for further information.	1996 May 9
b. 172, [REDACTED] 39002137189354	Zuni Settlement Act, "Healing the Hurts" <i>1 Videocassette (VHS) 01:01:59 Duration (HH:MM:SS.mmm)</i> [Aviary] wamsss-266139002137189354ump4 A note belonging to this videocassette reads: Dear Vine, I hope we've been able to get down to the guts of some of the hurt begin carried by our people in this video. Warm Greetings, Phil Jr. Audiovisual material. Restricted fragile. Reference copies may be requested. Consult Access Services for further information.	1990 February 10
b. 172, [REDACTED] 39002137189362	<i>The Peyote Road</i> <i>1 Videocassette (VHS) 01:02:06 Duration (HH:MM:SS.mmm)</i> Video levels vary. Video is overexposed at times. [Aviary] wamsss-266139002137189362ump4 Audiovisual material. Restricted fragile. Reference copies may be requested. Consult Access Services for further information.	undated
b. 172, [REDACTED] 39002137189370	Portland AIRFA hearing and interview, 2nd generation <i>1 Videocassette (U-matic) 00:24:22 Duration (HH:MM:SS.mmm)</i> The program begins on a freeze frame. [Aviary] wamsss-266139002137189370ump4 Audiovisual material. Restricted fragile. Reference copies may be requested. Consult Access Services for further information.	undated

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- b. 173 MNI SOSE (RAW CUT) Ironwood Films Carol Burns, Dir. 913-262-4137
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- b. 173 CHAP 1. REP CHAP 2. REP CHAP 3. REP CH-BIB2. REP VINE DELORIA JR.
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- b. 173 15E, 20A, 20C, 21X, 21K, 21L
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