

# Guide to the Richard Nash Gould Research Materials Used in the Publication "The Twentieth Century Project"

RU 996



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## Collection Overview

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**CALL NUMBER:** RU 996

**CREATOR:** Gould, Richard Nash

**TITLE:** Richard Nash Gould research materials used in the publication "The Twentieth Century Project"

**DATES:** 1900-2005

**PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION:** 2.27 linear feet (4 boxes, 1 envelope)

**PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION:** 63692.8 Megabytes

**LANGUAGE:** English

**SUMMARY:** The material consists of a pamphlet entitled *The Draft*, sheet music, political buttons, photographs, color transparencies, digital images of photographs and album covers and memorabilia used to illustrate Richard Nash Gould's two volume publication on Yale College and the Whiffenpoofs in the twentieth century, titled *The Twentieth Century Project*. Many of the images are copies from the holdings of the Yale University Library. Also included is a digital copy of the publication.

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

b.      box  
f.      folder

## Administrative Information

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### Immediate Source of Acquisition

The records were a gift of Richard Nash Gould, 2005, 2012 and 2013.

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### Conditions Governing Access

The materials are open for research.

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### Conditions Governing Use

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### Preferred Citation

Richard Nash Gould Research Materials Used in the Publication *The Twentieth Century Project* (RU 996). Manuscripts and Archives, Yale University Library.

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### Processing Information

Yale University records are arranged and described at the accession level by the creating office. The University Archives creates collection level descriptive records, but typically does no further arrangement and description at the accession level.

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## Scope and Contents

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See also the project website at <http://www.thetwentiethcenturyproject.com/Home.htm>

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### General note

Forms part of Yale Record Group 49 (YRG 49), Papers and projects on Yale.

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### Arrangement

The records are arranged by accession.

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## Collection Contents

### Accession 2006-A-100: Richard Nash Gould research materials used in the publication *The Twentieth Century Project* , 1900-2005

b.1 Sheet music, political buttons, and memorabilia

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Computer files used to create *The Twentieth Century Project* Volume I, Yale College - Twentieth Century

*2343 Computer Files (TIFF, PDF, BMP)*

Beginning in 1900 and concluding with the events of 2001, Volume I is a chronological history of Yale College in the 20th century. Using excerpts drawn primarily from contemporary Yale College publications and from writings and books by Yale College graduates, Volume I portrays the day-to-day life and times at Yale College during the last century. Volume I contains 440 pages and includes over 2,500 photographs and graphic images.

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Computer files used to create *The Twentieth Century Project* Volume II, Whiffenpoofs - Twentieth Century

*3467 Computer Files (TIFF, PDF, BMP)*

The Whiffenpoofs are an a capella singing group founded in 1909 by five Yale College undergraduates. Volume II tells their story. In 158 pages, Volume II includes A MUSICAL HISTORY by Charles Henry Buck III '69 with Robert Richards Birge '68, an index of WHIFFENPOOFS from their founding in 1909 to 2004, an index of over 500 Whiffenpoof SONG ARRANGEMENTS, an index of 70 RECORDINGS from 1915 to 2004, plus 134 SONG TRACKS containing over five hours of music selected from those recordings on 4 CDs, and over 2,000 photographs and graphic images.

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**Accession 2012-A-025: Richard Nash Gould research materials used in the publication  
*The Twentieth Century Project* , 1906-2003**

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b. 1, f. 1-3	Photographs collected and possibly used by Richard N. Gould in his <i>The Twentieth Century Project</i>	
b. 1, f. 4	Publication: <i>The Draft: Views From the Yale Community</i>	Undated

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**Accession 2012-A-072: Richard Nash Gould research materials used in the publication  
*The Twentieth Century Project* , 1942-1999**  
(2 boxes)

b. 1, f. 1	Whiffenpoofs research materials - book illustrations, digital image print-outs, and photographs	1942-1954
b. 1, f. 2	Whiffenpoofs research materials - digital print-outs and photographs	1955-1967
b. 1, f. 3	Whiffenpoofs research materials - digital print-outs, photographs and correspondence	1967-1999
b. 1, f. 4	Whiffenpoofs research materials - digital image print-outs, photographs, correspondence and song lists	1981-1999

**Accession 2013-A-057: Richard Nash Gould research materials used in the publication  
*The Twentieth Century Project* , 1901-1999**

b. 1, f. 1-2	Color transparencies	Undated, 1901
b. 1, f. 3	Photographs- Ben Cutler	Circa 1950
b. 1, f. 4-5	Photographs- Whiffenpoofs 90th reunion	1999



Accession 2020-A-0003: Richard Nash Gould  
research materials used in the publication The  
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**Accession 2020-A-0003: Richard Nash Gould research materials used in the publication  
*The Twentieth Century Project* , 2004-2015**

## **Selected Search Terms**

The following terms have been used to index the description of this collection in the Library's online catalog. They are grouped by name of person or organization, by subject or location, and by occupation and listed alphabetically therein.

### **Genres / Formats**

Born digital

### **Names**

Gould, Richard Nash

### **Corporate Bodies**

Whiffenpoofs (Musical group)

Yale College (1887- ) -- History

Yale University -- Alumni and alumnae

Yale University -- History

Yale University -- Students