INTRODUCTION

DONOR INFORMATION
The records were donated to the University of Missouri by Jean Gaddy Wilson on 17 August 1988 (Accession No. 4862).

ORGANIZATIONAL SKETCH
In 1984, under the auspices of the nonprofit organization U.S.-Japan Communications, the feasibility of a bilateral conference made up of prominent media women was investigated. Six months of strategic input established a small planning committee to review and update goals. Results of the study demonstrated overwhelming endorsement of the proposed project. Conference parameters and criteria for participation were also solidified by the planning committee.

With women playing an increasingly prominent role in the communications industry throughout the world, the conference proved beneficial not only to women in media, but also academic and other institutions worldwide.

SCOPE AND CONTENT NOTE
The records are comprised of six folders and ten audio cassettes. The folders consist of proposals, schedules, reports, correspondence, questionnaires, articles and notes related to the International Women’s Media Project Conference. The audio cassettes relate to individual topics examined during the conference.

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f. 1-4 General Files
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