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Gordon Greenwood Collection

Size
20 boxes, 2 parcels, 1 album

Contents
Correspondence, publications, manuscripts and other material written by or relating to Professor Gordon Greenwood

Date range
c1920 to 2012

Biography
Gordon Greenwood (17 Sep 1913 – 4 Nov 1986) was appointed the McCaughey professor of history at the University of Queensland in 1949. Over the next thirty years he greatly expanded the size and reputation of the History department. He published many texts, and was involved in a range of institutes and organisations over the course of his career. He established the Australian Journal of Politics and History in 1955 and served as the editor until 1982. He was a member of the University Senate from 1953 to 1983. He retired from teaching in 1982 and was made Professor Emeritus in 1983. In 1989 the University of Queensland posthumously dedicated the Gordon Greenwood building in his honour. Helen Derrick is his daughter, and has posthumously published some of Greenwood’s manuscripts.

Notes
Unrestricted access, except Box 17 restricted. Application for access may be submitted to the Fryer Librarian for consideration. Prior to donation, material in this collection was arranged in subject files and selected documents were digitised. Folders marked [scanned] contain at least one document that has been digitised. Files may contain correspondence, publications, handwritten or typescript notes, newspaper cuttings, or photos. Files are heavily annotated with notes that may include relevant contextual information. Related material is held in the Fryer Library in UQFL346 Australian Journal of Politics and History Collection.

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Academic issues, Roles of the University, 1951 to 2010

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Academic issues, 1967 Radicals, 1967

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Academic issues, Expert panel in generalist qualifications, 1976
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University of Queensland Acts Amendment Bill, 1957 to 1984

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Academic issues, [School of Pacific Studies and overseas scholarships], [undated]

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Australian Institute of International Affairs, 1967 to 1983

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Australia-Japan Foundation, 1973 to 1980

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The Australian Journal of Politics and History
- Vol. 1 No. 1, 1955
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ANZAAS [Australian and New Zealand Association for the Advancement of Science], 1951

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BBC Prize [undated, folder empty]

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CMG – Queen’s birthday honours, 1981 to 1982 [includes 3 photographs]

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Extract from The Bulletin, 7 Jan 1959

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Faculty of Arts, 1952 [most documents undated]
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[Special article for the Far Eastern Economic Review by Gough Whitlam], 1972

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Friends, Norman Harper, 1965 to 1986

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Personal correspondence, 1954 to 1955

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Newspapers, radio, television, 1955 to c1970

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Awards and medals, 1964 to 1991

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Correspondence from Helen Derrick, 1988 to 2008

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Sydney University, 1935 to 1995 [partially restricted access, see Box 17]

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Funeral cards and obituaries, 1971 to 1991

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Publications list, 1955 to 2010

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‘History is a ladder’, typescript with handwritten annotations, 1 bound volume, [1965]
Folder 1 [scanned]
Correspondence relating to 'History is a ladder', 1965

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Reviews, *Australia: a social and political history*, 1954 to 1957

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Centenary history Brisbane, 1956

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Reviews, 1959 to 1975

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Publication payment for *History of the 20th century*, 1969

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Reviews, *Questioning the past*, 1974

Folder 7
Correspondence and photos, *The modern world*, 1963

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Reviews, photos, *The modern world*, 1964

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Reviews, *Approaches to Asia*, 1972 to 1976

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Reviews, *Documents on Australian International Affairs*, 1977 to 1979
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Building dedication, 1989

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Harvard Chair offer, 1981 to 1982

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History Department, background papers and application for chair, 1947 to 1949

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History Department, CV [curriculum vitae] to 1949

Folder 10 [scanned]  
Background to UQ History School, 1922 to 1964

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History Department, grants and reports, 1976 to 1980

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History Department, correspondence relating to Ian (‘Sandy’) McNaughton, 1954

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History Department, 1956 overseas trip, UNESCO Committee, 1955 to 1956

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History Department, correspondence, 1962 to 1969

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Correspondence, 1971 to 1982

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History Department, 1970 issues, 1971 to 1973

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History Department, 1970s headship row, 1977 to 1978

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History Department, correspondence, 1980 to 1986

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History Department, correspondence, 1973 to 1980

Folder 8
History Department, Teaching garden, 1986

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History Department, Visiting scholars: Handlin, McCulloch, De Santis, Graebner, 1977 to 1983

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Redmond Barry Award, 1973 to 1985

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Folder 1 [scanned]
Research, Letter from Dr D L J Cuddy to Gordon Greenwood, 2 Jan 1977
Folder 2 [scanned]
Research, ‘Australia as an isolated outpost in the South Seas’, drafts, typescript with handwritten annotations, [undated]

Folder 3 [scanned]
Research, topics to research in the United States, [undated]

Folder 4 [scanned]
The Australian-American Mail Steamship Issue 1835 – 1875, typescript, 25p

Folder 5 [scanned]
Three typescript essays on 19th century Australian-American trade, [undated]

Folder 6 [scanned]
Research, Australian-American trade, 1971

Folder 7
Communist Party Dissolution Act, [1950]

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Research, Australian imperialism in the South Pacific, [undated]

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Research, Australian imperialism in the South Pacific, 1967 to 1971

Folder 10
Research, Australian-American relations, 1979

Folder 11
Research, Essex in the 19th century Pacific, [after 1971]

Folder 12 [scanned]
‘Australia, the Pacific Islands, and Antarctica’, typescript with handwritten annotations, 38p
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Research topics, Federalism, [1937] to 1976

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Research, Federalism, 1961

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Research, Sports letters, 1982 to 2006

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Research, whaling, [after 1970]

Folder 5
‘The character of whaling in Australian and South Pacific Waters, 1830 to 1850’ typescript, 8p [2 copies] and 10 photos

Folder 6 [scanned]
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Research, whaling, [after 1962]

Folder 8 [scanned]
Speeches and articles, Brisbane City Council, 1952 to 1959

Folder 9 [scanned]
Speeches and articles, Education issues, 1951 to 1958

Folder 10 [scanned]
Speeches and articles, Foreign relations, c1951 to c1954

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Speeches and articles, Academic, c1954 to c1957
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Speeches and articles, History Department, humour, c1961 [most undated]

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Folder 1 [scanned]
Speeches and articles, Institute of Public Affairs, [1949]

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Speeches and articles, miscellaneous, c1957 to c1964

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Speeches and articles, retirement, 1983

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Speeches and articles, Social and political history, [undated]

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Speeches and articles, University life and Senate, 1954 to 1963 [most items undated]

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Speeches and articles, Sports, 1954 to 1959 [most items undated]

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Speeches and articles, Statistics, [undated]

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Testimonials and obituaries, Colleagues, [1970] to 2006

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Vice-Chancellorship, [1969?]
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Folder 12
Vice-Chancellorship, Offers, 1964 to 1970

Folder 13 [scanned]
Colleges of Advanced Education, Wark Committee [i.e., the Commonwealth Advisory Committee on Advanced Education, chaired by Ian W Wark], 1968 to 1978

Folder 14
Wark Committee, [1971]

Folder 15
Wark Committee, 1972

Folder 16 [scanned]
Wark Committee, 1970

Box 12

Wace, Nigel and Lovett, Bessie, *Yankee Maritime Activities and the Early History of Australia*, Canberra: Australian National University, Research School of Pacific Studies, 1973 (xiv, 131 p : graphs, maps, tables ; 29 cm.)


Folder 1
Wark Committee, 1970 to 1971

Folder 2
Two envelopes of photographs [primarily of current events, c1960? to c1980?]
Folder 3 [scanned]
University Press and Bookshop, 1970 to 1973

Folder 4 [scanned]
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Folder 5 [scanned]
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Senate, c1950 to 1984 [includes 2 photos]

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University of Queensland Rugby Union Club, 1911 to 1981

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Vice Regal, invitations, 1941 to 1980

Folder 7
Correspondence to Gordon and Thora Greenwood, 1943 to [1986]

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Correspondence from Gordon Greenwood to Thora Greenwood, 1933 to 1942
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University of Papua New Guinea, Committees, 1970 to 1971

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University of Papua New Guinea, 1984

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Folder 1 [scanned]
Asian Studies Department, Grants and submissions, 1955 to 1971

Folder 2 [scanned]
Conferences, 1954 to 1965 [includes 1 photo]

Folder 3
Australian Institute of International Affairs [photocopies from Legge, John, *Australian outlook: a history of the Australian Institute of International Affairs*, Canberra: Department of International Relations, Australian National University, 1999]

Folder 4 [scanned]
Copies of correspondence to and from William Hack, 1876 to 1877

Folder 5
Foreign policy, 1967

Folder 6
History Department, correspondence, 1978 to 1979

Folder 7 [scanned]
History Department, Lectures, 1981 to 1982

Folder 8
Research, Australian-American 19th century relations, [1966 to 1970?]

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Research, Australian-American 19th century relations, [undated]
Folder 10
Research, Australian-American 19th century relations, Martin Nothling’s notes for Robyn Besley, 1957 to 1971

Box 15
Folder 1 [scanned]
Research, Federalism, 1962 to 1968

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Research, Federalism, [undated]

Folder 3 [scanned]
Research, Intergovernmental relationships seminar, 1971

Folder 4 [scanned]
Research, Sport, 1973 to 1982

Folder 5 [scanned]
Research, Sport, 1981 to 1982

Box 16
Trophy, Library Association of Australia, Redmond Barry Award, ‘Professor Gordon Greenwood For Service in the Promotion of Libraries 1984’
Box containing 103 index cards of bibliographic details. Box marked ‘19c Aust-American Relations (after 1850) M Nothling’
USB hard drive, containing scanned copies of selected documents and photos from the collection, 2010 to 2012 (3.58 GB total)
USB stick, containing scanned copies of selected documents from the collection, 24 Jun 2012 (2.97 GB total)

Folder 1 [scanned]
Research, Sport, 1980

Folder 2
Copies of photos, honours and obituaries for Gordon Greenwood, 1935 to 1987
Folder 3
Photographs and negatives, c1930 to c1982

Box 17
These items have been removed from the filing sequence and are subject to restricted access. Application for access may be submitted to the Fryer Librarian for consideration.

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Sydney University, 1935 to 1995

From Box 7, Folder 13
History Department, Singhal, 1967 to 1986

From Box 11, Folder 8
Testimonials and obituaries, 1952 to 1977

From Box 12, Folder 4
Testimonials, 1979 to 1981

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Testimonials, 1973 to 1983

From Box 13, Folder 1
Testimonials, 1965 to 1972

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Testimonials, 1950 to 1983
Box 18


Folder 1

Gordon Greenwood Biography – ‘The early years’, 2 typescript drafts

Folder 2

Gordon Greenwood Biography – photographs

Folder 3

Gordon Greenwood Biography – ‘The early years’

Folder 4

Gordon Greenwood Biography – 104 Ashley Street Chatswood

Folder 5

Gordon Greenwood Biography – Chatswood, Willoughby, Hornsby

Folder 6

Gordon Greenwood Biography – Bibliography

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Gordon Greenwood Personal History – Hornsby

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Gordon Greenwood Personal History – Sydney

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Gordon Greenwood Personal History – Early years, Chatswood Public School
Folder 2
Gordon Greenwood Personal History – Congregationalist Background

Folder 3
Gordon Greenwood Personal History – Turramurra College

Folder 4
Gordon Greenwood Personal History – Knox Grammar School

Folder 5
Gordon Greenwood – Archived records

Folder 6
Greenwood, Gordon, ‘Confessions of the unrepentant’, typescript, 1938
Derrick, Helen, ‘Confessions of the unrepentant’, Dec 2012

Folder 7
Greenwood, Gorndon, ‘Spring madness : a play in three acts’, typescript, 88p
Transcriptions of 3 letters from Gordon Greenwood, 1937

Folder 8
Copies of change of name documents
Greenwood, Gordon, ‘Christmas story’, typescript with cuttings, c1944
Box with signs from University of Queensland History Department party, c1950s

Folder 9
Photographs in envelopes labelled:
- My father
- Turramurra and Knox
- Early years
- Turramurra Knox Grammar
**Box 20**

**Folder 1 [scanned]**
Correspondence from Gordon to family, c1964, with Helen Derrick’s research notes

**Folder 2 [scanned]**
Correspondence, Greenwood family, c1960 to c1980

**Folder 3 [scanned]**
Correspondence to Helen Derrick, 1967 to 1977

**Folder 4 [scanned]**
Three photographs and obituary of Gordon Greenwood

**Folder 5 [scanned]**
Six photographs of Greenwood 1959 to 1967, and related correspondence, Mar 2012

**Item 6**
USB drive (419 MB, 263 Files, 29 Folders), ‘Greenwood family letters’, containing PDF scans of letters

**Parcel 1**
Photographs, 1925 to c1930
Oversized documents from photograph album, 1973 to 1983

**Parcel 2**
Magee, E, *Le livre rouge*, London : Blackie, 1912 (96 p. : ill. (some col.) ; 22 cm) [inscribed by Gordon Greenwood, binding broken, missing pages]
Album 1

Contains items removed from two magnetic photograph albums. Pagination and captions from the originals are marked. Two oversized documents are housed in Parcel 1.

- Album 1: Photographs, postcards, correspondence, c1930 to 1986
- Album 2: Photographs and correspondence, c1920 to 1990