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BRIEF HISTORY OF CORE

The Congress of Racial Equality had its beginnings in the Fellowship of Reconciliation (FOR), a religious, pacifist organization. In 1941, FOR established a chapter at the University of Chicago. This group was concerned with racial equality and believed Gandhian nonviolent direct action could be used to combat racial discrimination.

In March 1942, the FOR chapter established a committee to discuss the formation of a civil rights group. In the following month, the committee formed a permanent interracial organization committed to the strategy of nonviolent direct action. In June, the group adopted the name Committee of Racial Equality (CORE), and worked against discrimination in Chicago restaurants through the use of the sit-in, a tactic it pioneered in the civil rights struggle. Early in its history, CORE remained dedicated to the desegregation of public facilities in the North, a goal with which several whites identified themselves.

CORE-type groups were established in such places as Detroit, New York, and Syracuse. In June 1943, these various groups met in Chicago and formed the National Federation of Committees of Racial Equality. Throughout the 1940s, CORE (the name Congress of Racial Equality was adopted in 1944) continued to establish local chapters and affiliates in the northern and western states. In 1947, CORE carried out its first national project, the Journey of Reconciliation, which tested discrimination in interstate travel in four states of the upper South.

By the 1950s CORE groups were being established in the South and the border states. The membership of these new affiliates was primarily black, and the interracial character of the northern chapters began to change during the late 1950s and early 1960s, as an increasing number of blacks became involved in the organization's struggle for racial equality.

In 1956, James R. Robinson became executive secretary of CORE. Under his direction CORE's staff expanded with the hiring of field representatives and a public relations officer. Robinson, adept at fund raising, was able to substantially increase CORE's financial resources.

In the 1960s, CORE's membership and activities expanded greatly. The organization's income went from \$60,000 in 1959 to \$900,000 by 1964. In 1964 CORE could count 124 affiliated groups. National CORE's relationship with the affiliates remained one of guidance. Since each local group was responsible for its own finances and program, conflicts often arose between National CORE and its affiliates.

When James L. Farmer was hired as CORE's national director in 1961, the organization entered a period of unparalleled civil rights activity, during which the national office grew and created new staff positions at headquarters and in the field. Not only had CORE begun involvement in sit-ins and picket lines that worked toward desegregating lunch counters across the South in 1960,

but in 1961 it organized a series of Freedom Rides similar to the earlier Journey of Reconciliation. The Freedom Ride campaign met with a violent response in the deep South, but the project brought CORE national exposure and led to the Interstate Commerce Commission rulings which banned discrimination in interstate travel.

CORE's attention focused increasingly on the southern states. CORE allied with the Southern Regional Council, the Student Nonviolent Coordinating Committee (SNCC), and the Southern Christian Leadership Conference (SCLC) to register black voters in states such as Louisiana, Mississippi, and Florida. The 1964 Mississippi Summer Project was a joint effort of CORE, SNCC, and SCLC, which as the Council of Federated Organizations (COFO) worked in the areas of voter registration and the establishment of community centers and freedom schools. During this project CORE once more became the center of national attention when three CORE workers, Michael Schwerner, James Chaney, and Andrew Goodman, were murdered in rural Mississippi.

By the mid-1960s, the nonviolent tactics and interracial philosophy of CORE were faced with growing opposition. In the North, CORE groups had shifted their emphasis from desegregating public accommodations to ending discrimination in housing, employment, and education--goals that proved to be more threatening to many whites. Several of CORE's black leaders and workers, however, felt that the civil rights movement not only was being stifled by white violence in the South, but was also being co-opted by white inactivity at the federal government level. Blacks, particularly in urban areas, became involved in a militant cry for "Black Power," and CORE's staff, officers, and membership were deeply divided over the direction the organization should take.

When CORE's official policy shifted to black separatism in 1966, several top staff members, including James Farmer, George Wiley, James McCain, and Carl Rachlin, resigned. CORE's new national director, Floyd McKissick, joined in the call for black power:

1966 shall be remembered as the year we left our imposed status of Negroes and became Black Men....1966 is the year of the concept of Black Power. The year when black men realized their full worth in society--their dignity and their beauty--and their power--the greatest power on the earth--the power of right (Quoted in August Meier and Elliott Rudwick, CORE: A Study in the Civil Rights Movement 1942-1968 [New York: Oxford University Press, 1973]).

At the 1966 CORE national convention in Baltimore, the organization officially endorsed black power and discarded its former commitment to nonviolence. At its 1967 convention, National CORE omitted "multiracial" from its constitution, and the organization excluded whites officially in the summer of 1968. This radical shift in ideology, however, had the near-disastrous effect of alienating much of CORE's financial support. Many local affiliates also split over National CORE's support of black separatism, and the organization moved to the brink of collapse between 1966 and 1968.

Roy Innis succeeded McKissick as national director in 1968, and sought to create a more stable and centralized leadership for CORE. However, the loss of both funds and many effective leaders, coupled with the divisions over black power, severely weakened CORE for a number of years.

DESCRIPTION OF THE ARRANGEMENT OF THE COLLECTION

The papers of the Congress of Racial Equality: Addendum, 1944-1968, chronicle the development of CORE from the time of its founding until the 1960s, when the organization underwent a transition from a commitment to nonviolent action to a militant philosophy of black power. Although the papers span the years from 1944 through 1968, by far the largest portion covers the period between 1961 and 1968. The papers include a quantity of material on the administration of Floyd McKissick--who served as national director from 1966 until 1968--and extensive documentation of CORE's desperate financial situation which brought the organization to the brink of collapse in 1965 and 1966. The materials relating extensively to CORE's earlier years are primarily those found in Subgroup C, the files on the National Action Council and Conventions.

The papers are arranged in seven subgroups, in accordance with the offices and departments by which they were designated when sent to the Martin Luther King, Jr. Center for Nonviolent Social Change, Inc. in Atlanta. The three largest subgroups in the CORE Addendum are Subgroup A, the National Directors' Files, 1960-1968; Subgroup E, the files of the Community Relations Department, 1949-1968; and Subgroup F, the files of the Organization Department, 1957-1968. These subgroups are divided into several series. The remaining four subgroups consist of a single series of files.

For the most part, the files in each subgroup and series are arranged alphabetically by subject category. Items within each subject file are arranged chronologically by year, month, and day, with undated materials placed at the end of all dated materials. The arrangement of each subgroup and series is described more fully in the individual descriptions.

For the purposes of micropublication, each subject file was assigned an identification number--such as A:I:1--which appears on each frame of the microfilm and indicates that the material is from Subgroup A, the National Directors' Files; Series I, the files of James Farmer; and is the first file in Series I. The files have been numbered consecutively within each subgroup or series, and this arrangement holds true for each of the seven subgroups. The identification numbers are identical to the numbering system used in this guide for the reel list of subject files and inclusive dates, which follows the description of each subgroup or series. Also, a frame counter was used to facilitate scholarly citation.

The researcher should be aware that there is a certain amount of inconsistency in filing by CORE's clerical staff. For example, the correspondence of an individual may be found under that person's name or organization, or under the subject discussed in the letter. Further, as a result of the erratic nature of CORE's internal administration--with staff members changing positions and departmental reorganizations, for instance--the researcher should expect to find some overlap among subgroups.

Employment and project applications and some printed materials in the CORE Addendum were not microfilmed. The researcher should consult individual subgroup descriptions for more detail on materials not microfilmed. Further,

a series of photographs on CORE were not microfilmed. These photographs, as well as a set of audio tapes on CORE and other materials not microfilmed, are available to the researcher at the Martin Luther King, Jr. Center for Nonviolent Social Change, Inc. in Atlanta, Georgia.

SUBGROUP AND SERIES DESCRIPTIONS AND REEL LIST

The papers of the Congress of Racial Equality: Addendum, 1944-1968, are arranged in the following subgroups, series, and subseries:

SUBGROUP A. NATIONAL DIRECTORS' FILES, 1960-1968

Series I. James Farmer, 1960-1966

Correspondence Files, 1960-1966
Invitations and Engagements Files, 1960-1966

Series II. Floyd McKissick, 1960-1968

Correspondence Files, 1960-1968
Invitations and Engagements Files, 1966-1968

SUBGROUP B. ASSOCIATE NATIONAL DIRECTOR'S FILES, 1960-1966

SUBGROUP C. NATIONAL ACTION COUNCIL AND CONVENTIONS, 1944-1967

SUBGROUP D. BOOKKEEPING FILES, 1962-1966

SUBGROUP E. COMMUNITY RELATIONS DEPARTMENT, 1949-1968

Series I. Administrative Files, 1961-1968

Series II. Fund-Raising Files, 1961-1968

Series III. Public Relations Files, 1949-1968

Administrative Files, 1962-1968
Publications, 1949-1967

Series IV. Subject Files, 1960-1967

SUBGROUP F. ORGANIZATION DEPARTMENT, 1957-1968

Series I. Administrative Files, 1962-1966

Series II. Chapter Files, 1958-1967

Series III. Regional Office and Field Staff Files, 1957-1968

Administrative Files, 1958-1967

Southern Office Files, 1960-1968

Northeastern Office Files, 1957-1967

Western Office Files, 1963-1966

SUBGROUP G. LEGAL DEPARTMENT, 1960-1967

SUBGROUP A. NATIONAL DIRECTORS' FILES, 1960-1968

Prior to 1961, CORE had only a few salaried staff members. The organization acted primarily through its affiliate chapters, with policy direction from the National Action Council (NAC). With the publicity and demand resulting from the sit-ins of 1960, CORE was forced to give increasing attention to internal administration and fund raising. To coordinate these activities, James L. Farmer joined CORE in 1961 as its first national director. He was responsible for the interpretation of policy directives from the NAC, supervision and coordination of the staff and their activities, fund raising, and leadership of the national organization and its affiliates.

The National Directors' Files are divided into two series: one for James Farmer, who served in the post from 1961 until 1966; and the other for Floyd McKissick, who was national director from 1966 until 1968. There are no materials in this subgroup on Roy Innis, who succeeded McKissick as national director in 1968.

Each series of the National Directors' Files is divided into Correspondence Files, and Invitations and Engagements Files. Types of materials found in the National Directors' Files include correspondence, reports and memoranda, speeches, news clippings, and printed materials relating to CORE's evolving programs and policies, and its interaction with the public and with other organizations.

SERIES I. JAMES FARMER, 1960-1966

James L. Farmer was a long-time union organizer and civil rights activist before he joined CORE's national staff in 1961. Farmer was one of the original founders of CORE in 1942, and he served as the organization's first national chairman. During the late 1940s and throughout the 1950s, Farmer was involved in union activities: he participated in the organization of the Upholsterers' International Union in the South; served as international representative of the State, County and Municipal Employees Union; and in 1958 was designated one of a five-man delegation from the International Confederation of Free Trade Unions to fifteen African countries. Farmer also served as a program director for the NAACP and was a commentator on radio and television programs sponsored by the United Auto Workers in Detroit.

As national director, Farmer not only planned but also participated in several CORE projects. He was among the original group of freedom riders in 1961 and, like most of the group, he spent forty days in jail. He was also imprisoned in August 1963 for leading a civil rights demonstration in Plaquemine, Louisiana.

The files of James Farmer are divided into Correspondence Files, 1960-1966 (A:I:1-109), and Invitations and Engagements Files, 1960-1966 (A:I:110-117). Included in the Correspondence Files are correspondence with other civil rights organizations, some speeches and articles, news clippings, memoranda, and printed materials on a variety of subjects. The files are arranged alphabetically by name of individual, name of organization, or subject, with materials within each file arranged chronologically by year, month, and day.

CORE's extensive involvement in the New York metropolitan area is well-documented in these files, particularly those relating to housing discrimination (A:I:39), police brutality (A:I:76), job discrimination (A:I:47), school integration (A:I:87), and New York City politics (A:I:79). Correspondence and reports on rioting in urban areas can be found in file A:I:85.

While there is less primary documentation in this series on CORE's participation in the southern civil rights movement, a general overview is provided in Farmer's Amsterdam News articles (A:I:6), and in other speeches and articles written by Farmer. Further, file A:I:31 contains materials on the freedom rides of 1961--lists of participants, reports, and correspondence concerning the continuing litigation over cases involving the participants. For further information on the freedom rides, the researcher should also consult B:I:12 and E:I:29-30.

Meeting minutes, memoranda, and lists pertaining to the NAC are located in A:I:66 (see also Subgroup C, E:I:48 and F:III:49-51). Biographical sketches on CORE staff members can be found in A:I:12.

The Invitations and Engagements Files consist of correspondence relating to invitations and speaking engagements of James Farmer, requests for autographs, transcripts of Farmer's radio and television appearances, and a few speeches. These files are in alphabetical order by topic of correspondence or type of material, with items within each file arranged chronologically by year, month, and day.

Several job applications and interviews and some routine financial papers in this series were not microfilmed.

Reel List

- Correspondence Files, 1960-1966
- Reel 1
1. "An Actor's Pact," n.d.
 2. Air Force Programs, Sept. 1962 - Mar. 19, 1963, n.d.
 3. American Committee on Africa, Jan. 14, 1965
 4. American Friends Service Committee, Triple Revolution, 1964
 5. Americus, Georgia, Nov. 22, 1963
 6. Amsterdam News Articles, 1965
 7. Annual Report, July 1, 1965
 8. Anti-CORE Letters, Apr. 28 - May 7, 1965
 9. Associated Musicians of Greater New York, Aug. 24, 1964
 10. Bail Bonds, Apr. 22, 1964
 11. Bibliography, Jan. 10, 1968
 12. Biographical Sketches, Sept. 15, 1960 - Oct. 1963, n.d.
 13. Boston University, Mar. 12, 1965
 14. Church and Race, June 1965
 15. Committees and Awards, Feb. 6, 1964 - Feb. 3, 1966
 16. Complaints, OEO, May 24, 1965 - Jan. 7, 1966
 17. Constitution, July 1, 1962
 18. Constitution and By-Laws, Feb. 13 - Sept. 22, 1964, n.d.
 19. Constitution, Chicago CORE, Apr. 1962
 20. CORElator, July 27, 1965 - Apr. 29, 1966, n.d.
 21. Correspondence, May 19, 1960 - Feb. 7, 1966, n.d.
 22. Country Cousin Work Program, July 14, 1967, n.d.
 23. Crank Letters, Aug. 26 - Sept. 2, 1964, n.d.
 24. Defense Documentation Center Report on Urban Insurgency, Dec. 1964
 25. Democratic Convention Challenge, Mar. 27 - May 4, 1964
 26. Democratic Platform Committee, Aug. 19, 1964
 27. Discrimination Complaints, n.d.
 28. Federal Aid to Education Conference, Jan. 20, 1964
 29. Financial Appeal, n.d.
 30. Freedom National Bank, 1963 - Aug. 5, 1965
 31. Freedom Rides, Apr. 26, 1961 - Jan. 31, 1966, n.d.
 32. "Freedom - When?" Aug. 8, 1963 - Feb. 16, 1966
 33. Goldwater, Barry, Sept. 18, 1964
 34. HARYOU-ACT, June 15, 1964
 35. Honoraria, Apr. 22, 1964 - Mar. 1, 1966, n.d.

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36. Hospitals, Apr. 7 - May 6, 1965
37. House Judiciary Committee Testimony, Mar. 23 - June 25, 1965
38. House Un-American Activities Committee, May 13 - June 1, 1965
39. Housing, 1961 - Aug. 1965

Reel 2

39. Housing, Oct. 1965 - Feb. 15, 1966
40. Humphrey, Hubert H., Jan. 15 - May 14, 1965
41. Iberville Industrial Voters League, Inc., Oct. 2, 1964
42. Information Requests, Mar. 20, 1962 - Dec. 30, 1965
43. Interracial Killings, Apr. 1963 - Mar. 1965
44. Itineraries, Nov. 1964 - Feb. 1966
45. Jewish Labor Committee, May 1961
46. Jewish Problem, Nov. 20, 1963 - Oct. 1965, n.d.
47. Job Discrimination, June 28, 1963 - Jan. 6, 1964
48. Johnson, Lyndon B., June 20, 1963 - Nov. 29, 1965
49. Jonesboro, Louisiana, Mar. 23 - Aug. 16, 1965, n.d.
50. Jury Selection, Nov. 26, 1965
51. Kennedy, John F., Nov. 28, 1963 - Jan. 7, 1964
52. Labor, Jan. 3, 1961 - Jan. 12, 1965, n.d.
53. Leadership Conference on Civil Rights, July 25, 1963 - Dec. 10, 1965
54. Legislation, Jan. 29, 1964 - 1965
55. Liberal Party of New York State, Apr. 22 - Dec. 7, 1964
56. Lindsay, John, Nov. 8 - Dec. 21, 1965
57. Louisiana Ku Klux Klan, n.d.
58. Lynx Agence Photographique de Presse, Jan. 22, 1962, n.d.
59. March on Washington, July 8, 1963 - Mar. 13, 1965
60. Mass Mailings, Oct. 2, 1964, n.d.
61. Meeting Notes, n.d.
62. Minimum Wage, Mar. 1963 - Sept. 28, 1965
63. Miscegenation, Mar. 28, 1965, n.d.
64. Miscellaneous, Oct. 16 - Dec. 2, 1963
65. NAACP Day, Feb. 18, 1960
66. National Action Council, Mar. 18, 1962 - Oct. 14, 1966
67. National Advisory Board, June 5, 1967
68. National Advisory Committee, Sept. 15, 1961 - June 21, 1967
69. National Committee Against Discrimination in Housing, Dec. 5, 1962 - Dec. 1965, n.d.
70. National Committee on Tithing, Jan. 21, 1965
71. Newspaper Clipping on Farmer, May 7, 1965
72. New York Times, Sept. 29, 1963
73. Niagara-Mohawk Demonstrations, n.d.
74. Oldham, Charles R., Sept. 19, 1957 - Jan. 29, 1962
75. Plaquemine, Nov. 26, 1963
76. Police Brutality, July 19, 1962 - Sept. 10, 1965, n.d.
77. Police Department Civilian Review Board, June 16, 1964 - Oct. 14, 1965
78. Political Action, n.d.

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- 79. Politics, New York City, Feb. 8 -
Dec. 13, 1965, n.d.
- 80. Position Papers, June 1948 - Feb. 1965, n.d.
- 81. Poverty Program, Mar. 4, 1964 - Mar. 10, 1965

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- 81. Poverty Program, Mar. 12 - Oct. 19, 1965, n.d.
- 82. Publications about Farmer, Jan. 2, 1964 -
Aug. 17, 1965, n.d.
- 83. Recommendations, n.d.
- 84. Republican Convention, June - July 1964
- 85. Riots, Apr. 28, 1964 - Jan. 11, 1966, n.d.
- 86. Rockefeller, Nelson A., Aug. 1, 1963 - July 22, 1965
- 87. School Integration, Oct. 25, 1960 - 1965, n.d.
- 88. Seeger, Pete, Jan. 31, 1966
- 89. "Sit-in Songs," n.d.
- 90. South African Crisis and American Action, Mar. 1965
- 91. Southern Education Project, Sept. 16, 1963 -
Dec. 3, 1964, n.d.
- 92. Speeches and Articles, Jan. 6, 1963 - Dec. 8, 1965, n.d.
- 93. Statement on Resignation of James Farmer, n.d.
- 94. Statements, Mar. 28, 1962 - May 20, 1965, n.d.
- 95. Steering Committee, July 28, 1962 - Jan. 9, 1964
- 96. Stockton, California, Dec. 2, 1961
- 97. Suggestions, Jan. 2, 1963 - Oct. 27, 1965
- 98. Suggestions for Pickets, n.d.
- 99. Testimonial Dinner, n.d.
- 100. Union Contracts, Oct. 18, 1960 - Apr. 15, 1964, n.d.
- 101. Union Negotiations, June 22, 1962 - Dec. 2, 1964
- 102. Unions, May 17, 1963 - Jan. 10, 1966
- 103. University of California Speech, Dec. 15, 1964
- 104. Urban Renewal, Nov. 12 - Dec. 15, 1965
- 105. Vietnam Ad Contributors, Sept. 27, 1965
- 106. Wagner, Robert F., Mar. 16-31, 1964
- 107. Western Regional Office, Dec. 10, 1963 - Nov. 19, 1964, n.d.
- 108. Wilkins, Roy, Oct. 9, 1959 - Feb. 25, 1960
- 109. Workshop Outline, n.d.

Invitations and Engagements Files, 1960-1966

- 110. Autographs, Mar. 24 - Dec. 27, 1965
- 111. Invitations Accepted, June 14, 1962 - Oct. 1963

Reel 4

- 111. Invitations Accepted, Oct. 1963 - Dec. 23, 1964
- 112. Invitations Declined, May 16, 1962 - Feb. 23, 1966
- 113. Invitations Referred, Feb. 1 - Dec. 20, 1965
- 114. Radio and TV Appearances, May 10, 1963 - Feb. 28, 1966
- 115. Radio and TV Transcripts, Dec. 16, 1963 - July 18, 1965
- 116. Speaking Engagements Accepted, June 29, 1960;
Jan. 5, 1965 - Mar. 9, 1966

Reel 5

- 117. Speaking Engagements Declined, Jan. 5, 1965 -
Feb. 23, 1966

SERIES II. FLOYD MCKISSICK, 1960-1968

Floyd B. McKissick, an attorney from Durham, North Carolina, succeeded James Farmer as national director of CORE in 1966. McKissick had been the first black admitted to the University of North Carolina Law School in 1951. In the late 1950s and early 1960s, he directed the Durham chapter of CORE and was state advisor of the NAACP Youth Groups. McKissick served as national chairman of CORE from 1963 until 1965, and was appointed national director by the organization's Board of Directors in March 1966.

CORE was encountering serious financial trouble at the time of McKissick's appointment, so the new national director was faced with the responsibility of reorganization from a business as well as a philosophical point of view. During McKissick's tenure between 1966 and 1968, CORE adopted an increasingly radical stance. The organization formally supported the movement for black separatism, and McKissick proved to be an outspoken opponent of the War in Vietnam.

The files of Floyd McKissick, like those of James Farmer, are divided into Correspondence Files, 1960-1968 (A:II:1-111) and Invitations and Engagements Files, 1966-1968 (A:II:112-117). The Correspondence Files reflect CORE's growing involvement in urban affairs, and include correspondence, memoranda, and reports on problems of education (A:II:33-35), employment (A:II:37-40), and housing (A:II:48) in the New York metropolitan area. File A:II:98 relates to CORE's participation in the Baltimore Target City Project of 1966.

McKissick's Correspondence Files also reflect the transformation of CORE's ideology and tactics. The files include a number of speeches, articles, and proposals on black power, both by McKissick and others. There are also several internal memoranda (see especially A:II:60-62) that reflect some of the policy decisions being made by CORE during McKissick's tenure as national director.

The Correspondence Files are arranged alphabetically by subject, name of individual, name of organization, or type of material, with items within each file in chronological order by year, month, and day.

The Invitations and Engagements Files include correspondence relating to invitations and speaking engagements, and requests for autographs. There is also a small group of invitations accepted on behalf of CORE by Ruth Turner (A:II:114), who was a member of the National Action Council. The Invitations and Engagements Files are in alphabetical order by type of material, with items within each file arranged chronologically by year, month, and day.

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- Reel 5
1. A. Philip Randolph Institute, Sept. 1966 - May 12, 1967
 2. American Dialog, Oct. 11, 1966
 3. American Society of Newspaper Editors, Apr. 20, 1967
 4. Amsterdam News, Jan. 31, 1967
 - 4A. Articles, Apr. 1965 - July 1967
 5. Bank Leumi Le-Israel, Mar. 3, 1967
 - 5A. Biographical Information on McKissick, Apr. 1967
 6. Black Business Conference Proposal, n.d.
 7. "A Black Manifesto-CORE," July 31, 1967
 8. "A Black Manifesto-CORE," Requests, July 1 - Oct. 5, 1967, n.d.
 9. "Black Power Defined," n.d.
 10. Black Skin, White Masks, Mar. 29, 1967
 11. Bogalusa, Louisiana, May 16, 1966
 12. Brooklyn, n.d.
 13. Calendar, 1967
 14. Civil Rights Legislation, Feb. - Apr. 26, 1966
 15. "The Civil Rights Movement is Dead," Oct. 9 - Nov. 10, 1966, n.d.
 16. Columbia University, Nov. 2, 1967 - Apr. 24, 1968
 17. Committee for a Winter Confrontation with Congress, Feb. 22 - Mar. 13, 1968
 18. Committee of Conscience Against Apartheid, June 22, 1966
 19. Complaints, Feb. 6, 1967 - May 14, 1968
 20. "Constructive Militancy," Dec. 8, 1966
 21. CORE Chapter Listing, n.d.
 22. CORE Educational Leadership Conference on Urban Affairs, May 20, 1967
 23. CORE in Action, Apr. 28 - June 1, 1966
 24. CORElator, 1967
 25. CORE Publications, Apr. 1966 - Mar. 8, 1967, n.d.
 26. CORE Special Events Committee, Jan. 20 - Sept. 8, 1967
 27. "CORE's Policy of New Direction," Feb. 1966
 28. Correspondence, Membership, Apr. 15 - Aug. 21, 1967
 29. Correspondence, miscellaneous, Jan. 5, 1966 - June 19, 1968
 30. "Crime in the Streets," Feb. 2, 1968
 31. DuBois, W.E.B., Dec. 30, 1967 - Feb. 13, 1968, n.d.
 32. Economic Development, Apr. 1968, n.d.
 33. Education, general, May 1965 - May 20, 1968
 34. Education, HEW, Mar. 4, 1966
 35. Education, I.S. 201, Jan. 29, 1966 - June 7, 1968, n.d.
 36. Educational Parks, Dec. 14, 1966 - June 27, 1967, n.d.
 37. Employment, Eastman-Kodak, Feb. 1 - Apr. 7, 1967, n.d.
 38. Employment, general, Jan. 6 - Sept. 1966

38. Employment, general, Oct. 1966 - May 1968, n.d.
39. Employment, Lever Brothers, Mar. 14, 1966 -
May 3, 1967, n.d.
40. Employment, Recruitment, Dec. 13, 1966 -
July 28, 1967, n.d.
41. Equal Employment Opportunity Commission,
July 13, 1967 - Mar. 26, 1968, n.d.
42. Everyman's Fund, Inc., Apr. 27 - July 12, 1966
43. Farmer, James, Mar. 24, 1964 - Feb. 28, 1967
44. Foundation for Community Development, Inc.,
Feb. 15, 1968
45. Fund Raising Letter, n.d.
46. "Genocide U.S.A.," July 21, 1967
47. Honoraria, Feb. 21, 1966 - Sept. 1, 1967
48. Housing, Apr. 15, 1966 - June 1967
49. Immigration Project, New York City, Apr. 11, 1966
50. International Medical Association, Jan. - June 11, 1968
51. "Is Integration Necessary?" Dec. 3, 1966
52. Itineraries, Feb. 1966 - Apr. 1968
53. Jones, LeRoi, Nov. 20, 1967 - Jan. 23, 1968, n.d.
54. Kaufman, Arnold S., "American Liberalism and Black Power,"
n.d.
55. Leadership Conference on Civil Rights, Jan. 11, 1967
56. Lecture Bureau, Nov. 8, 1966 - May 20, 1968, n.d.
57. Lynch, Lincoln, June 5 - July 28, 1967
58. "Magna Carta for Right of Black People," n.d.
59. "The Mechanism of Irrational Crowd Behavior," n.d.
60. Memoranda, Lynch, Lincoln, Oct. 18, 1966 - Sept. 25, 1967
61. Memoranda, McKissick, Floyd, Aug. 28 - Nov. 14, 1967
62. Memoranda, Program Department, Sept. 15 - Oct. 30, 1967
63. Metromedia, Inc., Aug. 21, 1967, n.d.
64. Metropolitan Applied Research Center, n.d.
65. Muhammad Ali, May 3, 1967
66. Muhammad, Elijah, Mar. 3, 1967
67. Mutual Real Estate Investment Trust, Apr. 19, 1966 -
Aug. 3, 1967, n.d.
68. Nation of Islam, July 30, 1962 - Apr. 1963
69. National Conference on Black Power, July 21 -
Oct. 30, 1967
70. National Conference on New Politics, Sept. 2, 1967
71. National Labor Relations Board, Feb. 4 - Apr. 12, 1967
72. North Carolina Leadership Conference on Economic
Development, n.d.
73. Notes, n.d.
74. New York State Constitution, n.d.
75. New York Times, July 11, 1967 - Jan. 2, 1968
76. Perreault, Oliver H., July 2, 1966 - Sept. 26, 1967, n.d.
77. Poor People's Campaign, May 8, 1968, n.d.
78. Powell, Adam Clayton, Mar. 2, 1967
79. "Programs for Black Power," Jan. 4, 1967
80. Proposal for an Afro-American Alliance, n.d.
81. Proposals, miscellaneous, Jan. 7 - July 27, 1966, n.d.

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82. "Public Education in America," Oct. 16, 1967
83. "Public Education in America: What Can Be Done?"
Oct. 1967
84. Rachlin, Carl, Feb. 8, 1967
85. "Racism in American Society," June 30, 1967
86. "Racism in Education," May 11-13, 1967
87. Requests for Articles by McKissick, Mar. 1966 -
Jan. 11, 1968, n.d.
88. Requests for Photos, Oct. 25, 1966 - June 9, 1967
89. Ribicoff Hearings, Nov. 2 - Apr. 15, 1967, n.d.
90. Rockefeller, Nelson, Apr. 19, 1966, n.d.
91. School Management Magazine, Apr. 10, 1967, n.d.
92. "Society, U.S.A.," Oct. 17, 1967, n.d.
93. "Soul and Capitalism," Nov. 19, 1966
94. Speech to American Society of Newspaper Editors,
Apr. 20, 1967
95. Staff Meeting Minutes, May 16 - June 5, 1967
96. Stock Exchange, Mar. 1, 1960 - July 1964
97. "Taken from Tape Recorder," Mar. 22, 1966
98. Target City Project, Baltimore, Apr. 18 - Oct. 14, 1966, n.d.
99. Telegrams, Mar. 3 - Apr. 20, 1967, n.d.
100. Telephone Threats, Apr. 28 - June 2, 1967

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101. U.S. Senate Committee on Urban Affairs, Dec. 8, 1966
102. "The Urban Crisis," et al., July 26, 1967, n.d.
103. Urban Training Center, May 25, 1966
104. Vietnam Ad, correspondence, Jan. 11, 1966 -
Apr. 11, 1968
105. Vietnam Ad, notes, Oct. 8 - Nov. 11, 1966, n.d.
106. Vietnam Ad, Veterans for Peace in Vietnam,
Jan. 3, 1967 - Apr. 1968
107. War Resisters League, Dec. 12, 1966 - Jan. 20, 1968
108. "When the Word is Given," Apr. 1, 1966
109. Wiley, George, Aug. 3, 1965
110. Wilson, Marlene, Feb. 3, 1966
111. Young, Pete, 1967

Invitations and Engagements Files, 1966-1968

112. Autographs, May 10, 1966 - June 1, 1967
113. Invitations and Speaking Engagements Accepted,
Feb. 15, 1966 - June 3, 1968
114. Invitations and Speaking Engagements Accepted, Turner, Ruth,
May 4 - Sept. 29, 1966
115. Invitations and Speaking Engagements Cancelled,
July 5, 1967 - Jan. 22, 1968
116. Invitations and Speaking Engagements Declined,
Feb. 1, 1966 - Jan. 1967

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116. Invitations and Speaking Engagements Declined,
Feb. - June 30, 1967
117. Speaking Engagements Pending, Aug. 1 - Sept. 30, 1967

SUBGROUP B. ASSOCIATE NATIONAL DIRECTOR'S FILES, 1960-1966

With the expansion of CORE's activities in the early 1960s, the national office required additional personnel for the coordination and supervision of staff activities. The post of assistant to the national director, established in 1962, was the forerunner to that of associate national director.

George Wiley, a chemistry professor at Syracuse University when he became involved in CORE, succeeded Richard Haley as associate national director in 1965, and served in that position for just more than a year. Wiley had launched several successful campaigns while an officer of the local CORE chapter at Syracuse, and was asked to join the National Action Council. In November 1964, Wiley left academic life to work full-time for national CORE. After over a year of desperate attempts to raise funds for the national organization, however, Wiley resigned to pursue the organization of welfare recipients, eventually founding the National Welfare Rights Organization.

Though extremely small, the single series of Subgroup B includes a large amount of substantive material on the administration of George Wiley. The series consists of internal memoranda from various CORE offices and departments, correspondence and printed materials relating to other organizations, and memoranda, reports, and staff lists that reflect the internal workings of the national office.

File B:I:16 contains reports, clippings, and printed materials on the Ku Klux Klan (see also E:III:38). File B:I:24 consists of correspondence and reports reflecting CORE's involvement in the Mississippi Freedom Democratic Party. There are also Legal Department materials in B:I:19, and B:I:20 contains correspondence of Floyd McKissick with Farmer, Gordon Carey, Wiley, and others.

The Associate National Director's Files are in alphabetical order by name of organization or individual, subject, or type of material, with items within each file arranged chronologically by year, month, and day. In order to assure a consistent numbering system for the entire CORE Addendum, a roman numeral "I" has been added between the subgroup and file identification for those subgroups that contain only one series.

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- Reel 8
1. Advisory Council on Plans for Progress, Nov. 2, 1964 - Oct. 22, 1965
 2. American Friends Service Committee, 1965
 3. Bookkeeping Department, Jan. 31, 1964 - Jan. 14, 1966
 4. Budgets, Sept. 10 - Oct. 1965
 5. Chapter Mailings, June 9 - Sept. 8, 1965, n.d.
 6. Community Relations, Feb. 11, 1964 - May 31, 1965, n.d.
 7. Conference of Independent Voters, Nov. 30, 1965
 8. CORE Constitution, n.d.
 9. CORE Union, Nov. 1, 1962 - Nov. 1965, n.d.
 10. Democratic National Committee, Sept. 24 - Oct. 6, 1965
 11. Field Staff, Florida, Aug. 2, 1965

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12. Freedom Rides, n.d.
13. Fund Raising Department, Feb. 15 - Nov. 11, 1965, n.d.
14. Housing, New York, Feb. 11, 1964
15. Job Descriptions, May 1965
16. Ku Klux Klan, May 27, 1964 - Nov. 10, 1965
17. Leadership Conference on Civil Rights, Dec. 30, 1964
18. Lease of National Office, Feb. 1, 1964 - Nov. 2, 1965
19. Legal Department, Mar. 16, 1963 - Dec. 29, 1965
20. McKissick, Floyd, July 24, 1963 - Feb. 3, 1966
21. Memoranda, July 8, 1963 - Feb. 2, 1966
22. Metropolitan Applied Research Center, 1960 -
Dec. 5, 1967
23. Mid-West Regional Action Council, Oct. 6, 1965 -
Jan. 5, 1966
24. Mississippi Freedom Democratic Party, Mar. 27, 1964 -
Dec. 2, 1965

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25. Monthly Reports, June 16 - Oct. 5, 1965
26. National Action Council, Aug. 1965
27. Non-Violence Project, 1962 - Jan. 18, 1966, n.d.
28. Northeast Region, Oct. 1965
29. Office Procedures, Dec. 1964 - July 22, 1965, n.d.
30. Office Supplies Inventory, n.d. [c.1965]
31. Officers, 1962
32. Organization Department, Sept. 6, 1963 - Dec. 13, 1965, n.d.
33. Pension Plan, Feb. 17, 1964
34. President's Committee on Equal Employment Opportunity,
July 2, 1963 - July 22, 1965, n.d.
35. Public Relations, June 26, 1965
36. Regional Action Council, Sept. 22, 1964 - Sept. 10, 1965
37. Scholarship, Education and Defense Fund Programs,
Aug. 31 - Oct. 22, 1965
38. South Carolina, Voter Registration, Nov. 21-22, 1965
39. Southern Office, Feb. 11, 1964 - Oct. 8, 1965
40. Staff List for National Office, Oct. 22, 1965
41. Staff Meetings, Mar. 9, 1963 - Jan. 4, 1966, n.d.
42. Vietnam, Dec. 30, 1963 - Aug. 1965, n.d.
43. Western Region, Dec. 2, 1964 - July 31, 1965
44. White House Conference on Civil Rights, Oct. 21, 1965
45. Worthy, William, Apr. 24 - Aug. 17, 1962, n.d.

SUBGROUP C. NATIONAL ACTION COUNCIL AND CONVENTIONS, 1944-1967

The National Action Council (NAC), the major policy-making component of CORE, was formed in 1962 to replace the National Council and the National Action Committee. The National Council, established in 1945, made policy decisions and accepted new local affiliates. The National Action Committee, created in 1956, met several times each year to decide matters of policy and personnel, and to initiate CORE projects.

After its formation in 1962, the NAC met twice each year. The body was composed of the national director, the CORE-lator editor, elected officers, and selected members of the affiliates. A steering committee, drawn from members of the NAC, met monthly to deal with pressing CORE business.

While there are omissions, there is a fairly complete set of NAC Minutes from 1944 through 1967. The minutes in these files are both originals and mimeographed copies, and they deal with such topics as CORE's financial affairs, the organization of local projects like pickets and boycotts, and evolution of CORE policy.

CORE's first annual convention was held in Chicago in 1943, and thereafter CORE held a convention each year, despite its financial situation. The following are those conventions covered in this subgroup:

June 16-20, 1948	Vermilion, Ohio
June 18-19, 1949	Camp Joy, Ohio
June 16-20, 1954	Cloverdale, Michigan
July 1957	St. Louis, Missouri
June 29-30, 1958	Penn Community Center, St. Helena Island, South Carolina
June 17-19, 1959	Pacific Palisades, California
July 1-3, 1960	St. Louis, Missouri
September 1-4, 1961	Washington, D.C.
June 28 - July 1, 1962	Miami, Florida
June 27-30, 1963	Dayton, Ohio
July 2-5, 1964	Kansas City, Missouri
July 1-5, 1965	Durham, North Carolina
June 30 - July 4, 1967	Oakland, California

The files on CORE conventions in this subgroup consist of minutes of meetings at conventions, policy directives, and financial materials. For some of the later conventions, there is correspondence from James Farmer and Gordon Carey, as well as delegate certifications from local chapters attending the conventions.

The researcher should note that there might be some overlap between this subgroup and Series 4 of the Papers of the Congress of Racial Equality, 1941-1967. However, there is a quantity of original material in this subgroup, such as correspondence, reports, and proposals relating to the 1964 and 1965 CORE Conventions. This subgroup also contains post-1965 materials not found in Series 4 of the other CORE Papers.

The files in the single series of Subgroup C are in chronological order, and then arranged alphabetically by subject or type of material when there are several files on one convention. Materials within each file are arranged chronologically by year, month, and day.

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1. National Action Council (NAC), Oct. 14, 1944, Minutes
 2. NAC, Mar. 3-4, 1945, Minutes
 3. NAC, Apr. 21, 1945, Minutes
 4. NAC, Oct. 13-14, 1945, Minutes
 5. NAC, Sept. 14, 1946, Minutes
 6. NAC, May 3, 1947, Minutes
 7. NAC, Sept. 13-14, 1947, Minutes
 8. NAC, Nov. 15-16, 1947, Minutes
 9. NAC, Jan. 24-25, 1948, Minutes
 10. NAC, Apr. 1948, Minutes
 11. Convention, June 1948, Report, June - Oct. 18, 1948
 12. Convention, June 1948, "Statement on the Communist Issue"
 13. NAC, June 16, 1948, Minutes
 14. NAC, Oct. 23-24, 1948, Minutes
 15. NAC, Jan. 22-23, 1949, Minutes
 16. NAC, Apr. 9-10, 1949, Minutes
 17. Convention, June 1949, Minutes, June 18 - Aug. 17, 1949
 18. Convention, June 1949, Resolutions
 19. Convention, June 1949, Treasurer's Report
 20. NAC, Sept. 20, 1949, Minutes
 21. NAC, Nov. 16, 1949, Minutes
 22. NAC, Jan. 11, 1950, Minutes
 23. NAC, Mar. 1950, Minutes
 24. Convention, June 1954, Minutes
 25. Convention, July 1957, Minutes
 26. NAC, Jan. 1958, Minutes
 27. NAC, Mar. 2, 1958, Minutes
 28. NAC, May 1958, Minutes
 29. Convention, June 1958, Minutes
 30. NAC, July 18, 1958, Minutes
 31. NAC, Jan. 1959, Minutes
 32. NAC, Feb. 17, 1959, Memorandum on Minutes, July 30 -
Dec. 8, 1958
 33. NAC, Mar. 16, 1959, Minutes
 34. NAC, Apr. 30, 1959, Minutes
 35. Convention, June 1959, Minutes
 36. NAC, July 6, 1959, Minutes
 37. NAC, Nov. 12, 1959, Minutes
 38. NAC, Dec. 15, 1959, Minutes
 39. Convention, July 1960, Minutes
 40. NAC, July 1960, Minutes
 41. NAC, Sept. 9, 1960, Minutes
 42. NAC, July 26, 1961, Minutes
 43. Convention, Sept. 1961, Minutes
 44. Convention, Sept. 1961, Report of National Director

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45. NAC, Sept. 1961, Minutes
46. NAC, Oct. 1961, Minutes
47. NAC, Nov. 27, 1961, Minutes
48. NAC, Dec. 15, 1961, Minutes
49. NAC, Jan. 26, 1962, Minutes
50. NAC, Feb. 1962, Minutes, Feb. 23 - Apr. 19, 1962
51. NAC, Mar. 23, 1962, Minutes
52. NAC, Apr. 27, 1962, Minutes
53. Convention, June 1962, Delegate List
54. Convention, June 1962, Mailings, May 15 - July 1, 1962
55. Convention, June 1962, Minutes
56. Convention, June 1962, National Director's Staff Report
57. NAC, June 1962, Minutes
58. NAC, July 28, 1962, Minutes
59. NAC, Sept. 7, 1962, Minutes
60. NAC, Oct. 26, 1962, Minutes
61. NAC, Nov. 30, 1962, Minutes
62. NAC, Feb. 22, 1963, Minutes
63. NAC, Mar. 29, 1963, Minutes
64. NAC, Apr. 26, 1963, Minutes
65. Convention, June 1963, Memoranda, Mar. 1 - May 31, 1963
66. Convention, June 1963, Minutes
67. Convention, June 1963, Resolutions
68. NAC, Aug. 1963, Minutes
69. NAC, Sept. 1963, Minutes
70. NAC, Nov. 22, 1963, Memorandum on Meeting
71. NAC, Dec. 7, 1963, Minutes
72. NAC, Jan. 1964, Minutes, Dec. 13, 1963 - Jan. 24, 1964
73. NAC, Apr. 11, 1964, Minutes
74. NAC, May 22, 1964, Minutes
75. Convention, July 1964, Correspondence, Nov. 27, 1963 -
Aug. 17, 1964
76. Convention, July 1964, Delegate Certifications
77. Convention, July 1964, Mailings
78. Convention, July 1964, Memoranda, Jan. 15 -
June 26, 1964, n.d.
79. Convention, July 1964, Minutes
80. Convention, July 1964, National Director's Report
81. Convention, July 1964, Program
82. Convention, July 1964, Proposals
83. Convention, July 1964, Report of the Resolutions Committee
84. Convention, July 1964, Schedule
85. Convention, July 1964, Site Arrangements, Mar. 16 -
June 23, 1964
86. Convention, July 1964, Staff List
87. Convention, July 1964, Washington, D.C., June 23-25, 1964
88. Convention, July 1964, Workshops, Mar. 12 - July 1964
89. NAC, Aug. 1964, Minutes, July 17 - Aug. 9, 1964
90. NAC, Sept. 1964, Minutes
91. NAC, Jan. 15, 1965, Minutes

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92. Convention, July 1965, Correspondence, Jan. 26 - June 22, 1965
93. Convention, July 1965, Finances, Mar. 8 - Nov. 3, 1965
94. Convention, July 1965, Greetings, June 29 - July 1, 1965
95. Convention, July 1965, Gregory Benefit, June 15-25, 1965
96. Convention, July 1965, Handbook
97. Convention, July 1965, Mailings
98. Convention, July 1965, National Director's Report
99. Convention, July 1965, Programs, Apr. 9 - June 15, 1965
100. Convention, July 1965, Program Participants, May 14 - July 28, 1965
101. Convention, July 1965, Report of General Counsel
102. Convention, July 1965, Report of the Convention Fund Raising Committee
103. Convention, July 1965, Resolutions
104. Convention, July 1965, Site Arrangements, Feb. 6, 1964 - Mar. 1, 1965
105. Convention, July 1965, Southern Office Report
106. NAC, Sept. 10, 1965, Financial Report
107. NAC, Jan. 1966, Minutes, Dec. 31, 1965 - Jan. 2, 1966
108. NAC, Mar. 18-20, 1966, Minutes
109. NAC, June 1966, Minutes
110. NAC, July 1-4, 1966, Minutes
111. NAC, Aug. 1966, Minutes
112. NAC, Sept. 1966, Minutes, Aug. 18 - Sept. 11, 1966
113. NAC, Dec. 1966, Minutes, Nov. 30 - Dec. 17, 1966
114. NAC, Jan. 1967, Minutes
115. NAC, Apr. 1967, Minutes
116. NAC, May 1967, Minutes
117. Convention, July 1967, Black Leadership Workshop
118. Convention, July 1967, Education Workshop

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119. Convention, July 1967, Minority TV
120. Convention, July 1967, Speech
121. NAC, July 6, 1967, Minutes
122. NAC, Aug. 25-27, 1967, Minutes
123. NAC, Oct. 1967, Minutes, Sept. 14 - Oct. 25, 1967

SUBGROUP D. BOOKKEEPING FILES, 1962-1966

The single series of this subgroup includes job descriptions, memoranda, telephone logs, and some correspondence relating to CORE's financial situation and its personnel. The job descriptions reveal much about the internal organization of CORE. The telephone logs are lists of calls made from different CORE offices. The Bookkeeping Files also include information on CORE's collective bargaining agreement with the Community and Social Agency Employees Union.

Certain materials in this subgroup were not microfilmed: appeal cards; invoices; payroll information and other employee information; and personnel files. These materials are available to the researcher at the King Center in Atlanta.

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- Reel 10
1. Coleman, Clara, Mar. 21 - June 18, 1962
 2. Job Descriptions, July 10, 1962 - Sept. 23, 1965, n.d.
 3. Memoranda, Feb. 22, 1962 - Sept. 19, 1966, n.d.
 4. New York CORE, Dec. 23, 1963
 5. Office Procedures, Aug. 6 - Oct. 5, 1964, n.d.
 6. Personnel Rosters, n.d.
 7. Southern Education Project, Sept. 4, 1964 -
Mar. 1, 1966, n.d.
 8. Telephone Logs, Jan. 1964 - Dec. 1965
 9. Union, Nov. 1963 - Dec. 27, 1965
 10. Volunteers, Jan. 8, 1963 - Sept. 1, 1964, n.d.

SUBGROUP E. COMMUNITY RELATIONS DEPARTMENT, 1949-1968

The Community Relations Department was created in October 1959 with Marvin Rich, who began his work for CORE in the St. Louis chapter, as its director. The department handled public relations and fund-raising activities, which included the distribution of press releases, and the organization of benefits, cocktail parties, and promotional campaigns. Rich resigned in 1965, and was replaced by Alan Gartner.

The files on the Community Relations Department are divided into four series: Administrative Files, 1961-1968; Fund-Raising Files, 1961-1968; Public Relations Files, 1949-1968; and Subject Files, 1960-1967.

The Administrative Files consist of correspondence, memoranda, and other materials from various CORE offices and from other organizations. The Fund-Raising Files contain correspondence, memoranda, and financial materials relating to the organization's continual drive for funds by means of benefits starring prominent entertainers, art shows, and small house parties. The Public Relations Files are comprised of publicity materials, mailing lists, press releases and CORE publications, and a fairly complete run of the CORE-lator, CORE's newsletter. The final series of Subgroup E, the Subject Files, includes news clippings, brochures, reports, and printed materials on such areas as education, employment, and housing.

SERIES I. ADMINISTRATIVE FILES, 1961-1968

The Administrative Files for the Community Relations Department reflect the variety of the department's activities. File E:I:25 contains an extensive run of correspondence of the department's two directors, Marvin Rich and Alan Gartner. There are many internal memoranda in this series (see especially E:I:37-47) from Assistant to the National Director Richard Haley and other national staff members, and memoranda and reports concerning the National Action Council (see also Subgroup C and F:III:49-51).

Several CORE projects are documented in these files as well. Files E:I:29-30 contain correspondence and reports concerning bonds and trials set for those arrested during the freedom rides of 1961. Files E:I:11-22 include correspondence of Marvin Rich and others, and reports from local affiliates, that document CORE's efforts to organize community centers in the southern states. There is also a file (E:I:69) on arrangements for speaking engagements by national staff for local programs and chapters.

Files E:I:64-66 include correspondence, memoranda, and reports on the CORE Scholarship, Education and Defense Fund (CORE-SEDF), which was established in 1962 by philanthropist Andrew Norman. Marvin Rich became executive director of CORE-SEDF in 1965, and the fund served as a source of money for CORE's legal activities and voter registration projects until Rich and CORE-SEDF broke with CORE in 1966 over the latter's radical shifts in policy. For further information on CORE-SEDF, the researcher should consult G:I:51-52.

The Administrative Files also contain correspondence, reports, and mailing lists pertaining to CORE publications (see E:I:53-61). Further, there is an incomplete run of mimeographed copies of "CORE in the Field," which dealt with CORE's efforts and problems at the local level. Finally, file E:I:67 consists of correspondence between National CORE and Lillian Smith, a southern writer and civil rights activist who was also a member of the NAC (see also E:II:45 and Smith's correspondence in the other body of CORE Papers).

The Administrative Files are in alphabetical order by subject, name of individual, or type of material, with items within each file in chronological order by year, month, and day.

Reel 10 cont. from D:I:10

- Reel 10
1. Biography, Castle, Doris Jean, 1965
 2. Biography, Dennis, David, Jan. 25, 1965
 3. Biography, Farmer, James, Feb. 1964, n.d.
 4. Biography, Rich, Marvin, 1965
 5. Bogalusa Chain Store Project, Aug. 27 - Sept. 1, 1965, n.d.
 6. Camp Kilmer Job Corps, Dec. 2 - 27, 1965
 7. Chaney, Goodman, Schwerner Memorial Book, Mar. 15 - Apr. 6, 1965
 8. Chapters, July 1, 1965
 9. Chapter Mailings, Jan. 1963 - July 13, 1964, n.d.
 10. Chicago Project, Aug. 21, 1964

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11. Community Centers, Baton Rouge, Louisiana, Nov. 25, 1964 - July 16, 1965
12. Community Centers, Canton, Mississippi, Jan. 7 - Apr. 6, 1965
13. Community Centers, Clarke County, Mississippi, Feb. 24 - Mar. 11, 1965
14. Community Centers, general, Jan. 29, 1965, n.d.
15. Community Centers, Harmony, Mississippi, Mar. 11, 1965
16. Community Centers, Jonesboro, Louisiana, Jan. - Mar. 23, 1965
17. Community Centers, Meridian, Mississippi, June 27, 1964 - Mar. 15, 1965, n.d.
18. Community Centers, Monroe, Louisiana, Jan. 20 - Mar. 8, 1965
19. Community Centers, Philadelphia, Mississippi, Nov. 25, 1964 - Mar. 23, 1965
20. Community Centers, Quincy, Florida, Jan. 12 - Mar. 23, 1965, n.d.
21. Community Centers, Shreveport, Louisiana, Mar. 11, 1965
22. Community Centers, Sumter, South Carolina, Mar. 3 - Apr. 6, 1965
23. CORE Guide to Negro History, Literature and Culture, May 3, 1965, n.d.
24. "CORE in the Field," July 31, 1964 - Nov. 1965, n.d.
25. Correspondence, Sept. 23, 1963 - Dec. 14, 1967
26. Council of Federated Organizations, Oct. 1964 - Mar. 23, 1965
27. Deacons for Defense, Oct. 28 - Dec. 2, 1965, n.d.
28. Endorsements, 1965
29. Freedom Rides, Bail Bonds, Sept. 11, 1961 - Dec. 8, 1965, n.d.
30. Freedom Rides, Trial Dates, Aug. 1961 - Jan. 1962, n.d.
31. Haley, Richard, Sept. 3, 1963 - Dec. 7, 1965
32. Information Requests, Jan. 27 - Aug. 26, 1965
33. Insurance Discrimination, Mar. 31 - June 9, 1964
34. Jones, Johnnie A., Feb. 21 - May 15, 1962
35. Literature Requests, Jan. 5 - July 30, 1965

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36. Martin Linen Supply Company Labor Strike, Sept. 1965
37. Memoranda, Associate Director, Jan. 9 - June 21, 1965
38. Memoranda, Bookkeeping, June 18, 1963 - July 16, 1965
39. Memoranda, Department of Organization, Feb. 26 - Mar. 12, 1965
40. Memoranda, Farmer, James, Jan. 20, 1964 - June 2, 1965, n.d.
41. Memoranda, Gartner, Alan, Feb. 15 - July 29, 1965
42. Memoranda, general, Jan. 3, 1964 - Nov. 29, 1965
43. Memoranda, Legal Department, Jan. 23, 1964 - Sept. 8, 1965
44. Memoranda, Mail Room, Jan. 8 - Nov. 22, 1965, n.d.
45. Memoranda, McKissick, Floyd, Jan. 10, 1968

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46. Memoranda, Membership Department, June 11, 1964 - Feb. 17, 1965
47. Memoranda, Office Management, July 13, 1964 - June 1, 1965, n.d.
48. National Action Council, Feb. 1964 - Nov. 17, 1965
49. New York CORE, Jan. 16, 1964
50. Northeastern Regional Office, Jan. 29 - May 3, 1965, n.d.
51. Philadelphia CORE, Nov. 1963
52. Photographs, correspondence, Jan. 5 - July 9, 1965
53. Publications, Bureau of Communication Research, May 13 - Sept. 20, 1965
54. Publications, Chaney, Goodman, Schwerner Volumes, Feb. 9 - Mar. 11, 1965
55. Publications, CORE-lator, Jan. 21 - Oct. 1, 1965
56. Publications, Film Information, Oct. 30, 1964 - July 6, 1965
57. Publications, Film Rental, Dec. 3, 1964 - June 1, 1965, n.d.
58. Publications, general, Feb. 26 - May 6, 1965
59. Publications, lists, Mar. 23, 1964 - 1965, n.d.
60. Publications, "Nonviolence," May 19 - Nov. 5, 1964
61. Publications, Song Books, correspondence, Apr. 7 - May 19, 1965, n.d.
62. Research Requests, Jan. 25 - Apr. 8, 1965
63. Reuther, Walter, May 11, 1965
64. Scholarship, Education and Defense Fund (SEDF), general, Feb. 25, 1964 - Mar. 1967
65. SEDF, Leadership Development Program, Sept. 16, 1963 - Apr. 27, 1966, n.d.
66. SEDF, Magazine Proposal, Dec. 6-20, 1962, n.d.
67. Smith, Lillian, June 19, 1961 - Sept. 24, 1965
68. Southern Education Project, Apr. 14 - Oct. 20, 1965, n.d.
69. Speaking Engagements, Mar. 29, 1961 - Apr. 18, 1962, n.d.
70. Tapes, May 7, 1965, n.d.
71. Telephone Logs, Nov. 1964
72. Trial Dates, June 1, 1964
73. Voter Education Project, Dec. 14, 1962
74. Western Regional Office, Nov. 6, 1964 - May 11, 1965, n.d.

SERIES II. FUND-RAISING FILES, 1961-1968

The Fund-Raising Files of the Community Relations Department offer insight into National CORE's constant need to fund its staff and special projects. The files contain correspondence on contributions to CORE (E:II:22) and on the distribution of CORE publicity materials, and correspondence and reports on a wide array of benefits and concerts sponsored by CORE.

Artists for CORE, an art exhibition designed to raise funds for the organization, is fully documented in files E:II:5-16. Materials on Artists for CORE include correspondence; memoranda and financial statements; lists of patrons, sponsors, purchases made, and artists; and news clippings and printed publicity materials.

The Fund-Raising Files are arranged alphabetically by name of benefit or subject, with items within each file arranged chronologically by year, month, and day.

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1. Afro-American Folkloric Troupe, July 28, 1964 - Nov. 2, 1965
 2. Amen Corner, Mar. 25 - Sept. 16, 1965, n.d.
 3. Americans in Harmony, July 30, 1965
 4. Appeal Letters and Bulletins, Feb. 16, 1964 - Oct. 18, 1965, n.d.
 5. Artists for CORE, Consignment Reports, Feb. 23 - Mar. 31, 1965
 6. Artists for CORE, Contracts, Mar. 18, 1964 - Nov. 23, 1965
 7. Artists for CORE, correspondence, Dec. 4, 1964 - May 14, 1965, n.d.
 8. Artists for CORE, Financial Information, Jan. 7, 1964 - Dec. 18, 1965, n.d.
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9. Artists for CORE, Lists of Patrons, May 25, 1964 - Apr. 26, 1965, n.d.
 10. Artists for CORE, Mailing Lists, Oct. 10, 1964 - June 1965, n.d.
 11. Artists for CORE, memoranda, Dec. 30, 1964 - May 20, 1965, n.d.
 12. Artists for CORE, miscellaneous, June 17, 1963 - Feb. 3, 1965
 13. Artists for CORE, press releases, Feb. 22 - Apr. 12, 1965, n.d.
 14. Artists for CORE, Publicity, May 17, 1963 - May 7, 1966
 15. Artists for CORE, Sample Kit, Mar. 25, 1964
 16. Artists for CORE, Thank-you Letters, May - June 1964
 17. Benefit Dinner, Oct. 1961

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18. Bergen County Benefit, June 2 - Aug. 23, 1965, n.d.
19. Broadway Answers Selma Benefit, Mar. 25 -
June 16, 1965, n.d.
20. Bittenwieser Party, Feb. 1962
21. Button Sales, Jan. 7 - June 28, 1965
22. Contributions, Mar. 12, 1962 - Sept. 27, 1965
23. Croton-on-Hudson Car Fund, Oct. 26, 1964
24. Davis, Sammy, Jr., Benefit, Feb. 2 - June 10, 1965
25. Direct Mail Campaign, Dec. 22, 1964 - Apr. 2, 1965, n.d.
26. Freedom Hats, Sept. 14, 1964 - July 13, 1965
27. Gandhi Award, June 21, 1965 - Mar. 16, 1966
28. Gregory, Dick, Tour, Aug. 19, 1964, n.d.
29. Grossman, Frank, Party, Nov. 23, 1964 - Jan. 12, 1965, n.d.
30. Holiday Cards, 1963 - 1967
31. Howard, Lisa, Memorial Contributions, July 8 -
Aug. 3, 1965
32. "Jazz Salute to Freedom," June 25, 1963 - Mar. 2, 1964
33. Labor Salute to Farmer, June 1 - Sept. 9, 1965, n.d.
34. Mailing List Removals, Sept. 30, 1964 - Mar. 25, 1965
35. Memoranda, Jan. 16, 1962 - Nov. 27, 1967
36. Miscellaneous, Jan. 29, 1962 - Jan. 21, 1968
37. Murphy, Maureen, Jan. 15 - Sept. 15, 1965
38. New Year's Eve Benefit, Dec. 28, 1964 - Nov. 12, 1965
39. Phonograph Records, Sept. 5, 1962 - Mar. 31, 1965
40. Publications, Feb. 9 - July 23, 1965
41. Rashbaum Party, June 25 - Oct. 15, 1965, n.d.
42. Robinson, Jackie, Benefit, Oct. 6, 1964 - Mar. 11, 1965
43. Rochester Benefit, May 5 - Oct. 1, 1965, n.d.
44. Simone, Nina, Benefit, Aug. 1965
45. Smith, Lillian, Nov. 18, 1963 - Sept. 8, 1965, n.d.
46. Wechsler, Abraham, Party, May 4 - June 18, 1965
47. Western Region, Kaufman, Walter, Mar. 2, 1965
48. Western Region, Mesher, Shirley, Jan. 2 - Feb. 1, 1965

SERIES III. PUBLIC RELATIONS FILES, 1949-1968

The public relations office within the Community Relations Department was responsible for preparing press releases, publishing the CORE newsletter, the CORE-lator, and printing other organizational publications. The Public Relations Files are divided into Administrative Files, 1962-1968; and Publications, 1949-1967.

The small group of Administrative Files, E:III:1-75, traces the shift of CORE's concerns and policies as the 1960s progressed. There is correspondence of Val Coleman and others within the public relations office with local CORE affiliates concerning the preparation of publicity materials, as well as mailing lists and printed materials to be used for publicity. Among the more important topics treated in these files is the drive by CORE to register blacks in Bogalusa, Louisiana (E:III:6).

The files on Publications, E:III:76-104, include a nearly complete run of CORE's newsletter, the CORE-lator (E:III:76). Between 1949 and 1965, the newsletter was edited by James Peck, and it chronicled the activities not only of the national office, but also of the local affiliates.

The numbered run of the CORE-lator, begun in 1953, is not complete like that found in Series 6 of the Papers of the Congress of Racial Equality, 1941-1967, which also contains 18 unnumbered issues prior to 1953. In file E:III:76, there are only ten unnumbered issues prior to 1953, but also one mimeographed issue for 1966, and two for 1967.

Files 77-103 consist of essays and pamphlets issued by CORE about various CORE programs and policies, as well as articles about CORE. These publications are arranged alphabetically by title.

File 104 contains a series of CORE press releases. There are just a few scattered press releases for the period between 1961 and 1963. A complete run of press releases can be found for March 1964 until March 1967, which goes beyond the press releases in Series 5 of the other body of CORE Papers.

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1. "All About CORE," n.d.
 2. Artists Civil Rights Assistance Fund, Inc., n.d.
 3. Associated Negro Press, July 2, 1965
 4. Benefit Concert, July 26, 1965, n.d.
 5. Black History Bibliography, Jan. 10, 1968
 6. Bogalusa Voters League, Apr. 22 - July 22, 1965
 7. Brooklyn Freedom Democratic Movement, July 9, 1965, n.d.
 8. The Cardinal, Jan. 1964
 9. "Civil Rights Activity and Reduction in Crime Among Negroes," Mar. 1965
 10. Community Relations Program, Jan. 10, 1968
 11. Congress of Racial Equality (CORE), Account Statements, 1965

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12. CORE, Collective Bargaining Agreement, Nov. 1, 1963
13. CORE, Community Centers, n.d.
14. CORE, Convention, May 31 - Aug. 8, 1965
15. CORE, St. Louis, Missouri, June 19, 1965
16. CORE, Southern Education Project, n.d.
17. CORE, Tape Recordings, 1964
18. Contact Lists, n.d.
19. Correspondence, Sept. 30, 1963 - Jan. 18, 1968
20. Council for Jobs and Freedom, 1965
21. Council of Federated Organizations, Philadelphia, Mississippi, n.d.

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22. "Cracking the Color Line," n.d.
23. Education, Nov. 22, 1966
24. Emancipation Proclamation, Sept. 22, 1962
25. Employment Workshop Booklet, May 1964
26. Episcopal Society for Racial and Cultural Unity, Aug. 1, 1965
27. Farmer Workers, n.d.
28. Florida, May 24 - June 9, 1965, n.d.
29. Free Speech Movement in California, Dec. 4, 1964
30. Freedom Budget, July 1966
31. Freedom Schools in Mississippi, 1964
32. Freedom-When?, June 16 - Aug. 11, 1965, n.d.
33. Harlem, Mar. 11, 1965
34. Holiday Cards, 1964
35. Itineraries, Aug. 1965, n.d.
36. Joseph, Gloria I., "Influence of Malcolm X," n.d.
37. Kaufman, Arnold S., "American Liberalism and Higher Education," n.d.
38. Ku Klux Klan, June 1965
39. Lawyers Constitutional Defense Committee, n.d.
40. Lindsay, John, June 23, 1965
41. "Louisiana Diary," Mar. 28, 1964
42. Mailing Lists, July 6, 1965, n.d.
43. Media Lists, n.d.
44. Memoranda, July 9-30, 1965, n.d.
45. Minimum Wage, Aug. 10, 1965, n.d.
46. Mississippi Project, 1964
47. Montgomery County Welfare Board, Apr. 30, 1965
48. NAACP, Nov. 25, 1962 - Feb. 1963
49. News Clippings, July 1965
50. New York Demonstrations, Aug. 1 - Sept. 27, 1963
51. Notes, n.d.
52. Organizational Chart, May 1965
53. Police in New York, June 28 - July 7, 1965, n.d.
54. Prince Edward County, Virginia, July 3, 1963 - July 20, 1965
55. Prison Convictions in Mississippi, July 25, 1964
56. Publications, n.d.
57. Remedial Education, Nov. 21, 1964

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58. Record Sales, n.d.
59. Report on Northern Trip, Apr. 6, 1964
60. Scholarship, Education and Defense Fund, n.d.
61. School Integration, Jan. 16, 1964
62. School Workshop Booklet, May 1965
63. Schwerner, Rita, Apr. 15, 1964
64. South Africa, July 16, 1964
65. Southern Christian Leadership Conference, May 6, 1965
66. Southern Conference Educational Fund, Inc.,
Apr. 19, 1965
67. Southern Courier, n.d.
68. Student Nonviolent Coordinating Committee, May 7 -
June 28, 1965, n.d.
69. Students for a Democratic Society, Aug. 15 -
Dec. 5, 1964
70. Unionization of Non-Profit Corporations, n.d.
71. Vietnam, Feb. 9, 1965
72. Voting Rights Bill, Apr. 30, 1965
73. W.E.B. DuBois Clubs of America, Jan. 1, 1964
74. World's Fair Demonstration, Apr. 19, 1965
75. Yonkers CORE, n.d.

Publications, 1949-1967

76. CORE-lator, 1949 - 1967
77. CORE Publications, "A Black Manifesto," n.d.
78. CORE Publications, Bogalusa, Louisiana Flyer,
Apr. 20, 1965
79. CORE Publications, Brown, Callis Napolis, n.d.
80. CORE Publications, "Civil Rights Activity and Reduction
of Crime Among Negroes," Mar. 1965
81. CORE Publications, "The Congress of Racial Equality and
Its Strategy," Jan. 1965
82. CORE Publications, "Constructive Militancy,"
Dec. 8, 1966
83. CORE Publications, "CORE Staff Static," n.d.
84. CORE Publications, "The CORE Way," n.d.
85. CORE Publications, "CORE's Floyd McKissick," n.d.
86. CORE Publications, "CORE's Target City Project 1966"
87. CORE Publications, "A Face for the Invisible Man,"
Dec. 20, 1963
88. CORE Publications, "From the Mississippi Delta," n.d.
89. CORE Publications, "Genocide U.S.A.," July 21, 1967
90. CORE Publications, "Journey to Understanding,"
Dec. 28, 1964
91. CORE Publications, "A Letter to the Champ,"
May 3, 1967
92. CORE Publications, "Louisiana-Summer, 1964"
93. CORE Publications, "Meaning of Congress of Racial Equality,"
n.d.
94. CORE Publications, Mississippi Eyewitness, 1964

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95. CORE Publications, "The Negro Now," Mar. 23, 1965
96. CORE Publications, "Position of the Congress of Racial Equality on the War in Vietnam," n.d.
97. CORE Publications, "Sit-in Songs," n.d.
98. CORE Publications, Summer Program Brochure, n.d.
99. CORE Publications, U.S. News and World Report, Feb. 24, 1964
100. CORE Publications, "Visit Bogalusa and You Will Look for Me," n.d.
101. CORE Publications, Wall Street Journal, Aug. 10, 1965
102. CORE Publications, "What is CORE Doing Now?" Apr. 1966
103. CORE Publications, "Where is Democracy?" 1963
104. Press Releases, Sept. 26, 1961; June 8 - July 27, 1962; Feb. 28, 1963; Mar. 12, 1964 - Mar. 2, 1967

SERIES IV. SUBJECT FILES, 1960-1967

The Subject Files of the Community Relations Department reflect the issues in which CORE took an active interest during the 1960s. These files consist of news clippings, brochures, reports, and other printed materials on such areas as education (see A:I:87 and A:II:33-35), employment (see A:I:47 and A:II:37-40), and housing (see A:I:39 and A:II:48).

The files on education, E:IV:7-54, include clippings, reports, and memoranda on school desegregation (see especially E:IV:14). There are also correspondence, news clippings, and reports on a CORE program for literacy and employment (E:IV:26), as well as materials on education in specific locales.

Files E:IV:55-65 contain pamphlets, news clippings, and statistical reports on problems of unemployment and employment discrimination faced by blacks. Housing conditions in New York City and other urban areas are well-documented in the reports, memoranda, press releases, and news clippings found in files E:IV:67-97. Files E:IV:104-141 consist of memoranda, correspondence, news clippings, and policy statements by CORE on civil rights and other federal and state legislation.

The Subject Files are in alphabetical order by subject, then by specific program or topic, with items within each file arranged chronologically by year, month, and day. Many printed bills and other printed materials found in the Subject Files were not microfilmed.

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1. Anti-Defamation League, Mar. 1962
 2. Civil Rights, "Economics of Equality," n.d.
 3. Civil Rights, Maryland, Mar. 5, 1964
 4. Civil Rights, New York, Mar. 29, 1963
 5. Civil Rights, United States Commission on Civil Rights, Dec. 1961
 6. Consumer Boycott, May 11, 1961
 7. Education, The Accelerated Progressive Choice Program, "Evaluations of the Progressive Choice Reading Method," 1964
 8. Education, The Accelerated Progressive Choice Program, Orientation Session, Dec. 19, 1964
 9. Education, The Accelerated Progressive Choice Program, "The Progressive Choice Reading Program," n.d.
 10. Education, "Africa: The Wonder and the Glory," 1961
 11. Education, California, May 1, 1962 - Apr. 16, 1963, n.d.
 12. Education, "CORE and I.S. 201," n.d.
 13. Education, "CORE as a National Force in Developing Human Potential," Sept. 27, 1964
 14. Education, Desegregation in Schools, Feb. 26, 1960 - June 20, 1964, n.d.
 15. Education, "Disrupting the Slum System," Nov. 17, 1967

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16. Education, "The Educational Complex," n.d.
17. Education, Educational Guidance, May 18, 1964 - Oct. 16, 1967, n.d.
18. Education, "The Effectiveness of Programed Instruction," Aug. 1964
19. Education, Federal Schools and Laws, May 16, 1961 - Feb. 1963
20. Education, Freedom Schools, May 18, 1964, n.d.
21. Education, Illinois, Oct. 29, 1960 - Mar. 1964, n.d.
22. Education, "Integration in Action," Jan. 20, 1964
23. Education, "Interactional Student-Teacher Programming," June 18, 1964
24. Education, Kansas, Jan. 1, 1963
25. Education, Leadership Training Institutes for Civil Rights Activists, Apr. 7 - May 18, 1964, n.d.
26. Education, Literacy Program, Dec. 3, 1963 - Feb. 2, 1966, n.d.
27. Education, March for Democratic Schools, May 14, 1964, n.d.
28. Education, Mathematics, May 29, 1964
29. Education, Michigan, June 1962 - Aug. 1964
30. Education, Minneapolis, Feb. 19, 1964
31. Education, National Office Plans, Apr. 25, 1962 - Mar. 23, 1963, n.d.
32. Education, National Student Federal Aid to Education Conference, Feb. 8, 1964
33. Education, Negro History, 1963 - Jan. 5, 1964, n.d.
34. Education, New York, Sept. 1962 - June 12, 1967, n.d.
35. Education, "No More Nonsense About Ghetto Education!" July 22, 1967
36. Education, Northern Student Movement, Mar. 13, 1964
37. Education, Ohio, Feb. 10, 1964
38. Education, Philadelphia, May 7, 1962 - Jan. 21, 1963
39. Education, Remedial, Nov. 21, 1964
40. Education, Research Advisory Committee, Oct. 14 - Nov. 4, 1965, n.d.
41. Education, Research Conferences, 1965
42. Education, School Dropouts, 1963
43. Education, "School Retention and Pre-Employment Programs and Projects," Nov. 1963
44. Education, "Some Suggestions for Teaching the Culturally Deprived," Apr. 1963
45. Education, Southern Schools, June 1, 1962 - Nov. 7, 1963, n.d.
46. Education, Special Census of School Population, 1966
47. Education, Special Training Division of the Graduate School of Public and International Affairs, University of Pittsburgh, Aug. 12, 1964
48. Education, "Students and Labor," Aug. 1962

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49. Education, "Stupidity and Power," Nov. 11, 1963
50. Education, "The Treatment of Minorities in Elementary School Text Books," May 1961 - May 3, 1964
51. Education, United Bronx Parents Leadership Training Program, Sept. 1967
52. Education, U.S. Department of Labor, Nov. 10, 1963
53. Education, Urban Studies Center, May 1964
54. Education, Youth Employment Act, Mar. 8 - Apr. 1963
55. Employment, Chicago Commission on Human Relations, 1964, n.d.
56. Employment, Connecticut, Oct. 5, 1963 - May 31, 1964
57. Employment, "Cybernation: The Silent Conquest," 1962
58. Employment, Estimated Earnings, Feb. 14, 1963, n.d.
59. Employment, Full Employment, Sept. 30, 1962 - June 9, 1964, n.d.
60. Employment, Kansas, 1956 - Feb. 8, 1964, n.d.
61. Employment, Manpower, Mar. 15, 1962 - Mar. 13, 1964, n.d.
62. Employment, Massachusetts, n.d.
63. Employment, miscellaneous, July 1963 - May 19, 1964, n.d.
64. Employment, "Some Proposals for Government Policy in an Automating Society," Nov. 1963
65. Employment, "Unemployment and Automation," Mar. 18, 1964
66. Federal Officials, "The New Sovereign Immunity," n.d.
67. Housing, Area Redevelopment Act, Oct. 1963, n.d.
68. Housing, California, Aug. 7, 1963 - Jan. 1964, n.d.

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69. Housing, City Commission on Human Rights, New York, Sept. 1962 - Dec. 1963
70. Housing, City Planning Commission, New York, Jan. 15 - June 15, 1964, n.d.
71. Housing, Civil Rights Progress, Jan. 1961 - 1963
72. Housing, Community Council, New York, Dec. 18, 1963 - Jan. 1964
73. Housing, Community Development, 1963
74. Housing, Department of Relocation, New York, Dec. 11, 1963 - Apr. 15, 1964, n.d.
75. Housing, Discrimination, Sept. 1961 - Apr. 1963
76. Housing, Equal Opportunity, Dec. 18, 1961 - Feb. 1, 1963
77. Housing, Fair Housing Practices, May 1960
78. Housing, Integration, Mar. 7, 1963
79. Housing, Human Rights Council, Dec. 17, 1963
80. Housing, Leadership Conference, Nov. 14, 1962 - Apr. 15, 1964, n.d.
81. Housing, Low-Rent, Oct. 6 - Dec. 11, 1963
82. Housing, Metropolitan Council on Housing, Oct. 1962 - Nov. 3, 1964, n.d.
83. Housing, Mi-Cove, Nov. 1, 1963 - Apr. 6, 1964, n.d.
84. Housing, miscellaneous, Dec. 1958 - May 9, 1964
85. Housing, National Council Against Discrimination in Housing, 1960 - July 31, 1964

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86. Housing, New York, May 14, 1962 - 1963
87. Housing, Pennsylvania, n.d.
88. Housing, Public, Aug. 10, 1961 - May 4, 1964, n.d.
89. Housing, Puerto Ricans, n.d.
90. Housing, Real Estate, n.d.
91. Housing, Rehabilitation, Sept. 23, 1963 -
July 10, 1964, n.d.
92. Housing, Rent Control, Dec. 16, 1963 - Mar. 17, 1964
93. Housing, "The Scoreboard," Sept. 1963 - Mar. 1964
94. Housing, Statement for Testimony in Albany,
Feb. 7, 1964
95. Housing, "Trends Toward Open Occupancy," Mar. 31, 1963
96. Housing, Urban Renewal, general, Nov. 10, 1958 -
Apr. 6, 1964, n.d.
97. Housing, Urban Renewal, New York City, June 1963 -
July 27, 1964, n.d.
98. Juvenile Gang Wars, n.d.
99. Labor, Apprenticeship Training, June 6, 1963
100. Labor, Harlem Youth Opportunities Unlimited, Inc.,
Sept. 5, 1963
101. Labor, Minimum Wage, 1964
102. Labor, Unions, Feb. 6, 1962 - July 18, 1966, n.d.
103. Labor, United States Department of Labor, Oct. 14, 1963 -
May 26, 1964, n.d.
104. Legislation, Ad Hoc Committee on the Triple Revolution,
Mar. 22, 1964, n.d.
105. Legislation, Africa, Aug. 15 - Sept. 4, 1963, n.d.
106. Legislation, Civil Rights, Mar. 14, 1961 - June 22, 1964,
n.d.
107. Legislation, Civil Rights Act of 1964, July 4, 1964
108. Legislation, Civil Rights Bill of 1963, 1963
109. Legislation, Conference and Convention Reports,
Apr. 3, 1962 - July 20, 1964
110. Legislation, "A CORE Charge to the White House Conference,"
Nov. 17-18, 1965
111. Legislation, Economic Opportunity Act of 1964,
Apr. 9, 1964
112. Legislation, Economic Situation, July 7, 1961 -
May 1964, n.d.

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113. Legislation, Fair Labor Standards Act, Mar. 5, 1964
114. Legislation, Federal, Sept. 1960 - 1963
115. Legislation, Federally-Supported Discrimination,
Aug. 29, 1961 - Dec. 1963, n.d.
116. Legislation, "First Things First," Mar. 1964
117. Legislation, "Jobs, Machines, and People," 1964
118. Legislation, Maryland, June 5, 1962 - May 1964
119. Legislation, Massachusetts, June 13, 1962, n.d.
120. Legislation, Michigan, Feb. 22, 1962 - Aug. 22, 1963, n.d.

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121. Legislation, Migrant Farmers, May 22, 1962 - June 1964, n.d.
122. Legislation, Mississippi, Apr. 14 - Aug. 19, 1964
123. Legislation, Missouri, Sept. 1963, n.d.
124. Legislation, New Hampshire, June 28, 1962
125. Legislation, New York City, Sept. 1, 1961 - 1964, n.d.
126. Legislation, New York City, Manhattan 19th Congressional District, Feb. 1964
127. Legislation, New York State, Oct. 31, 1962 - Apr. 5, 1964, n.d.
128. Legislation, Ohio, Apr. 1962 - 1964
129. Legislation, Police Brutality, Jan. 22 - May 28, 1964
130. Legislation, President's Committee on Equal Employment Opportunity, Apr. 7 - May 1, 1964, n.d.
131. Legislation, Public Works Acceleration Act, Mar. 11, 1964
132. Legislation, Reapportionment, Sept. 26, 1963 - Dec. 3, 1965, n.d.
133. Legislation, Recommended, Dec. 1962 - Nov. 19, 1963, n.d.
134. Legislation, Reparations to Blacks, June 25, 1963
135. Legislation, Rhode Island, n.d.
136. Legislation, Rules Committee, Dec. 27, 1962
137. Legislation, Social Welfare Law, n.d.
138. Legislation, Texas, Nov. 1961
139. Legislation, Unions, clippings, Jan. 3 - Mar. 31, 1964, n.d.
140. Legislation, Vermont, June 27, 1962
141. Legislation, Virginia, Mar. 7, 1962, n.d.
142. Poverty, Aug. 1960 - June 1964, n.d.
143. Students for a Democratic Society, Dec. 1962
144. Unions, New York City, Sept. 17, 1960

SUBGROUP F. ORGANIZATION DEPARTMENT, 1957-1968

In January 1962 the Field Department, overwhelmed by growing numbers of CORE staff and affiliates, was divided to form the Organization and Program Departments. James T. McCain, a CORE field worker since 1957, was appointed director of the Organization Department, with Fredricka Teer as his assistant. The Organization Department supervised field staff, serviced the affiliates with staff assistance and literature, and handled applications and assignments for CORE projects. James McCain resigned in 1965, and was replaced by Herbert Callender.

The files of the Organization Department are divided into three series: Administrative Files, 1962-1966; Chapter Files, 1958-1967; and Regional Office and Field Staff Files, 1957-1968.

The Administrative Files of the Organization Department consist of chapter mailings and lists, correspondence, memoranda to field staff, and printed materials on local CORE chapters.

The Chapter Files, one of the most informative series in the CORE Addendum, include reports, evaluations, mailings, correspondence, and printed materials regarding CORE chapters. The Chapter Files provide a good overview of small-scale local projects throughout the country and in the New York City area.

CORE had three regional offices--one in the South, another in the Northeast, and a third in California. The Regional Office and Field Staff Files, consisting of Administrative Files and a group of files for each regional office, include field reports, correspondence, and memoranda that further document CORE's activities at the local level and the interaction among CORE field workers, the regional offices, and the national office.

SERIES I. ADMINISTRATIVE FILES, 1962-1966

The small group of Administrative Files for the Organization Department consist of correspondence, primarily that of Robert Brookins Gore, assistant director of the Organization Department, and Herbert Callender, who became director of the department upon the resignation of James T. McCain in 1965. There is also scattered correspondence for McCain and Floyd McKissick. McKissick's correspondence was written when he was still on CORE's field staff in North Carolina, before he became national director (see F:I:54 and F:III:41).

In addition to correspondence, these files include reports, news clippings, and memoranda on local CORE affiliates, as well as correspondence and memoranda on employment discrimination (F:I:29A-32). For further information on CORE's attempts to combat discrimination in employment, the researcher should consult A:I:47, A:II:37-40, and E:IV:55-65.

The Administrative Files of the Organization Department are arranged alphabetically by name of organization, name of individual, subject, or type of material, with items within each file arranged chronologically by year, month, and day.

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1. AFL-CIO, Apr. 1965 - Aug. 5, 1966
 2. Americans for Democratic Action, May 5 - June 25, 1965
 3. Atlantic County CORE, May 25, 1966
 4. Baltimore CORE, July 30, 1965 - June 1966
 5. Berkeley CORE, June 11, 1966
 6. Binghamton CORE, June 6, 1965
 7. Black Power, July 7, 1966
 8. Boston CORE, June 21, 1965 - May 6, 1966
 9. Boycott of Schenley Liquors, Jan. 18, 1966
 10. Braden, Carl, July 2, 1966
 11. Bronx CORE, Apr. 21 - July 10, 1966
 12. Brooklyn CORE, Aug. 14, 1965
 13. Chapter Affiliations, Jan. 16, 1965
 14. Chester CORE, June 19 - Aug. 3, 1965
 15. Chicago CORE, Mar. 17, 1966
 16. College Conference Program, n.d.
 17. Columbia CORE, May 1966
 18. Committee for Constitutional Rights, n.d.
 19. Community Relations Service, Apr. 23, 1965 - Apr. 29, 1966
 20. CORE Chapter List, n.d.
 21. CORE Constitution, 1965
 22. "CORE in Action," Apr. 28 - June 1, 1966
 23. CORE National Action Council, June 16, 1965 -
May 18, 1966, n.d.
 24. CORE Officers and Staff, n.d.
 25. CORE Policy Summary, n.d.
 26. CORE Union, June 29, 1966
 27. Correspondence, Chapters, May 12, 1964 - May 5, 1966, n.d.

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28. Correspondence, Field Staff, May 14, 1964 -
July 13, 1966
29. Correspondence, miscellaneous, July 26, 1963 -
July 19, 1966, n.d.
- 29A. Employment Discrimination, Beverage Industry,
July 14, 1966
30. Employment Discrimination, Construction Industry,
Mar. 15 - July 15, 1966
31. Employment Discrimination, Food Industry: June 23, 1965 -
July 14, 1966
32. Employment Discrimination, Hotel Industry, Oct. 20 -
Nov. 1, 1964, n.d.
33. "Equal," Feb. 8, 1966
34. Equal Employment Opportunity Hearing, Mar. 17 -
Apr. 28, 1964, n.d.
35. Expense Reports, Dec. 1965 - May 1966
36. Florida, Mar. 18, 1966, n.d.
37. Frank, Betty, Radio Show, n.d.
38. Freedom Highways Project, July 27, 1962, n.d.
39. Freedom Schools in Mississippi, 1964
40. Gore, Bob, Oct. 31 - Nov. 5, 1963, n.d.
41. Gray, Fred D., Aug. 24, 1964
42. Harlem Redevelopment Proposal, Nov. 4, 1963 - 1965
43. Hoffman, Nicholas von, n.d.
44. Housing, Dec. 12, 1964 - June 21, 1966, n.d.
45. Information Requests, Sept. 10, 1964 - Oct. 9, 1966
46. Itinerary, n.d.
47. Kinhaven Music Camp, Jan. 9 - Mar. 24, 1965, n.d.
48. Lawyers Constitutional Defense Committee, Apr. 23, 1965
49. Legal Department, Nov. 11, 1964 - Apr. 20, 1966, n.d.
50. Lindsay, John V., n.d.
51. Maryland Freedom Union, Mar. 23, 1966
52. Medicare, Apr. 14, 1966
53. Memoranda, Chapters, July 27, 1962 - June 20, 1966
54. Memoranda, Field Staff, Nov. 30, 1964 -
July 25, 1966
55. Memoranda, miscellaneous, July 31, 1964 - June 28, 1966,
n.d.
56. Meridian Community Center, Aug. 17 - Sept. 16, 1964
57. Militant Young People's Program, Nov. 30, 1964
58. Mississippi Freedom Democratic Party, Feb. 7 -
July 8, 1966
59. Minimum Wage, Mar. 15, 1966
60. Miscellaneous, n.d.
61. Mount Vernon CORE, July 22, 1965 - May 11, 1966
62. National Farm Workers Association, Feb. 20 - June 22, 1966,
n.d.
63. New York Board of Education, Nov. 5, 1965 - Feb. 14, 1966
64. New York Commission on Human Rights, Feb. 9 -
July 8, 1966, n.d.

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65. New York Post, Apr. 8, 1965
66. Operation Bootstrap, May 1966
67. Passaic CORE, Aug. 4, 1965
68. Peck, Jim, Jan. 15, 1966
69. Peoples Progress Party, July 7, 1965
70. Philadelphia CORE, June 1966
71. Planners for Equal Opportunity, 1965
72. Police Brutality, May 20, 1964, n.d.
73. Potential Chapters, Nov. 16, 1965 - Mar. 28, 1966
74. Poverty, May 2, 1966
75. Progressive Choice Reading Program, Dec. 21, 1964 -
Mar. 30, 1965, n.d.
76. Religion and Race Memo, May 15, 1966
77. Rhode Island CORE, July 1965 - May 1966
78. "The Right to Vote," Aug. 1962
79. Rustin, Bayard, Mar. 15, 1965 - May 5, 1966
80. Ryan, William F., July 28, 1964 - Feb. 17, 1965
81. St. Jouis CORE, n.d.
82. Sane Nuclear Policy, June 24, 1965
83. Scholarship, Education and Defense Fund, Inc.,
Apr. 19, 1966, n.d.
84. SEDF Leadership Conference, Feb. 9 -
Apr. 25, 1966, n.d.
85. Seven Arts CORE, Apr. 20, 1964
86. Somerset County CORE, June 28, 1966, n.d.
87. South Africa, n.d.
88. Southern Education Project, n.d.

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89. Southern Office, Jan. 26 - July 5, 1966, n.d.
90. Student Groups, June 16, 1965 - June 30, 1966
91. Suffolk County CORE, June 16, 1965 - July 1966
92. Summer Projects, 1966
93. Syracuse CORE, Apr. 1966, n.d.
94. Tucson CORE, Dec. 1, 1964
95. Upland Institute, Feb. 17, 1965
96. Urban League, Dec. 2, 1964 - Jan. 13, 1965
97. Vietnam, Aug. 1965, n.d.
98. Vivian, Rev. C.T., July 18, 1966
99. Volunteers, Jan. 16 - May 21, 1966
100. Washington, D.C. CORE, July 30, 1965
101. Welfare, Feb. - May 13, 1966
102. Western Regional Office, Nov. 1964
103. Wiley, George, Jan. 18, 1964 - May 3, 1965
104. Yonkers CORE, June 10, 1965
105. Youth, 1966

SERIES II. CHAPTER FILES, 1958-1967

The Chapter Files of the Organization Department contain a wealth of information on the organization and development of local CORE affiliates across the country. These files include correspondence between local chapters and National CORE, memoranda and reports, news clippings, and pamphlets and other printed materials. Applications for affiliation with National CORE, constitutions, or general statements of principles often precede the remainder of the materials within each chapter file.

In the Chapter Files, there are particularly detailed files on these and a number of other CORE affiliates: Tucson CORE, F:II:2; San Diego CORE, F:II:21; New Haven CORE, F:II:35; Chicago CORE, F:II:45; Baltimore CORE, F:II:63; Buffalo CORE, F:II:96; several CORE chapters in the New York metropolitan area, F:II:102-117; Syracuse CORE, F:II:125; Cincinnati CORE, F:II:139; Cleveland CORE, F:II:140; Philadelphia CORE, F:II:151; Seattle CORE, F:II:167; and Washington, D.C. CORE, F:II:169.

The Chapter Files of the Organization Department are arranged alphabetically by state, then name of chapter, with materials within each file in chronological order by year, month, and day.

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1. Arizona, Phoenix CORE, 1959 - Mar. 1, 1966
 2. Arizona, Tucson CORE, Jan. 20, 1962 - June 1, 1970
 3. Arkansas, Fort Smith CORE, Aug. 19, 1964 - Nov. 8, 1965
 4. California, Bakersfield CORE, Oct. 1963 - Sept. 20, 1965
 5. California, Berkeley CORE, Jan. 31, 1962 - Oct. 19, 1965, n.d.
 6. California, Bruin CORE, Sept. 17, 1963 - July 10, 1964
 7. California, Central CORE, Dec. 3, 1963 - Feb. 10, 1964
 8. California, Desert Pass CORE, Oct. 22, 1963 - July 20, 1965, n.d.
 9. California, general, Aug. 11, 1962 - Mar. 2, 1964, n.d.
 10. California, Los Angeles CORE, Apr. 1963 - July 26, 1966
 11. California, Los Angeles State College CORE, Oct. 16, 1963 - Oct. 22, 1964, n.d.
 12. California, Marin County CORE, June 19, 1963 - Jan. 11, 1966, n.d.
 13. California, Mid-Peninsula CORE, June 20, 1963 - Oct. 11, 1965
 14. California, Oakland CORE, Jan. 1962 - Oct. 22, 1965
 15. California, Orange County CORE, Jan. 14 - May 3, 1965
 16. California, Pasadena CORE, Sept. 1962 - Feb. 5, 1966
 17. California, Pomona Valley CORE, Nov. 6, 1963 - Jan. 16, 1966
 18. California, Richmond CORE, Sept. 3, 1963 - Oct. 26, 1965, n.d.
 19. California, Sacramento CORE, Jan. 17, 1963 - Jan. 1966, n.d.
 20. California, San Bernardino County CORE, Aug. 9, 1963 - June 9, 1965, n.d.

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21. California, San Diego CORE, Dec. 24, 1963 -
Feb. 6, 1966
22. California, San Fernando Valley CORE, Feb. 26, 1964 -
Jan. 29, 1966
23. California, San Francisco CORE, Dec. 2, 1963 -
Feb. 7, 1966, n.d.
24. California, San Francisco CORE, clippings,
Feb. 29 - Mar. 8, 1964
25. California, Santa Barbara CORE, Oct. 1964 - 1966, n.d.
26. California, Santa Clara Valley CORE, Apr. 13, 1964 -
May 15, 1965, n.d.
27. California, Southern Alameda CORE, Aug. 12, 1963 -
Oct. 1965
28. California, Stockton CORE, Sept. 18, 1963 -
Jan. 20, 1966
29. California, Stockton CORE, clippings, Sept. 1963 -
Feb. 1964
30. California, Vallejo CORE, Oct. 23, 1963 -
Jan. 28, 1964
31. Colorado, Denver CORE, Nov. 8, 1962 - Aug. 3, 1966
32. Colorado, Greeley CORE, Dec. 16, 1963 - Nov. 13, 1964
33. Connecticut, Fairfield-Westport CORE, Aug. 3, 1963 -
July 29, 1964
34. Connecticut, Hartford CORE, Jan. 1964 - Mar. 23, 1965
35. Connecticut, New Haven CORE, Jan. 9, 1964 -
Oct. 16, 1965
36. Connecticut, Norwalk CORE, Dec. 6, 1962 - Mar. 12, 1966
37. Connecticut, Stamford CORE, Sept. 5, 1963 - Feb. 10, 1964
38. Connecticut, Waterbury CORE, Mar. 28, 1965
39. Delaware, Hockessin CORE, Jan. 7 - Feb. 8, 1965
40. Florida, Daytona Beach CORE, Sept. 1964
41. Florida, Gainesville CORE, Jan. 1964 - Jan. 27, 1966, n.d.
42. Florida, Miami Beach CORE, Mar. 1964 -
July 6, 1965, n.d.
43. Florida, Stetson University CORE, Dec. 16, 1963
44. Florida, Tallahassee CORE, Jan. 17 - Apr. 17, 1964

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45. Illinois, Chicago CORE, Dec. 10, 1959 -
July 17, 1966, n.d.
46. Illinois, East St. Louis CORE, Oct. 1, 1964 - Mar. 9, 1965
47. Illinois, Freeport CORE, June 5, 1964
48. Illinois, Harvey CORE, Aug. 19, 1964 - July 12, 1965
49. Indiana, Indianapolis CORE, May 1964 - July 7, 1965
50. Indiana, Muncie CORE, Sept. 28, 1964
51. Iowa, Des Moines CORE, Apr. 1963 - June 28, 1965
52. Kansas, Kansas City CORE, Apr. 1, 1959 - June 8, 1965
53. Kentucky, Covington CORE, Mar. 14, 1962
54. Kentucky, Lexington CORE, Feb. 19, 1963 - Dec. 1965, n.d.

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55. Kentucky, Louisville CORE, Jan. 11 - Mar. 17, 1964
56. Louisiana, Baton Rouge CORE, Apr. 6, 1965, n.d.
57. Louisiana, DeRidder CORE, Aug. 6, 1964 - Jan. 19, 1965
58. Louisiana, East and West Feliciana CORE,
Aug. 9, 1963 - Jan. 19, 1965, n.d.
59. Louisiana, New Orleans CORE, Jan. 9 - Dec. 29, 1964, n.d.
60. Louisiana, St. Helena CORE, Oct. 27 - Dec. 1, 1965
61. Louisiana, West Ascension CORE, Aug. 10, 1964 -
Jan. 19, 1965
62. Maryland, Annapolis CORE, Mar. 23, 1964
63. Maryland, Baltimore CORE, Jan. 31, 1964 -
Jan. 14, 1966, n.d.
64. Maryland, Cedar Heights CORE, July 23 - Dec. 21, 1964
65. Massachusetts, Boston CORE, June 19, 1963 -
July 6, 1966, n.d.
66. Massachusetts, Springfield CORE, Mar. 26, 1964 -
Jan. 20, 1966
67. Massachusetts, Worcester CORE, Mar. - July 6, 1965
68. Michigan, Ann Arbor CORE, Feb. 17, 1964 -
Dec. 7, 1965
69. Michigan, Battle Creek CORE, May 7, 1965
70. Michigan, Detroit CORE, Mar. 10, 1964 - Feb. 10, 1966, n.d.
71. Michigan, Grand Rapids CORE, Sept. 8, 1962
72. Minnesota, Minneapolis CORE, Feb. 5, 1960 - Dec. 1963
73. Minnesota, Twin Cities CORE, Oct. 30, 1963 -
Feb. 10, 1965, n.d.
74. Missouri, Columbia CORE, May 3, 1964 - Apr. 25, 1965
75. Missouri, Kansas City CORE, Jan. 31, 1964 - May 18, 1965
76. Missouri, St. Louis CORE, Apr. 21, 1964 - Mar. 31, 1966,
n.d.
77. Nebraska, Omaha CORE, June 1963 - June 5, 1964
78. Nebraska, Omaha CORE, clippings, June 28 - Aug. 9, 1963
79. New Jersey, Asbury Park CORE, Mar. 7, 1963 -
Nov. 3, 1964, n.d.
80. New Jersey, Bergen County CORE, July 17, 1964 -
July 17, 1965, n.d.
81. New Jersey, East Orange CORE, Dec. 8, 1958 -
Aug. 18, 1963, n.d.
82. New Jersey, Edgewater CORE, Aug. 7, 1961 -
Mar. 7, 1963
83. New Jersey, Elizabeth CORE, Nov. 2, 1964
84. New Jersey, Madison CORE, June 22 - Aug. 5, 1964
85. New Jersey, Mercer County CORE, June 1963 -
Dec. 4, 1964, n.d.
86. New Jersey, Middlesex County CORE, Dec. 10, 1963 -
Apr. 19, 1965, n.d.
87. New Jersey, Newark-Essex CORE, Jan. 20, 1964 -
July 9, 1965
88. New Jersey, Passaic CORE, Sept. 12 - Dec. 7, 1964

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89. New Jersey, Rider College CORE, Feb. 22, 1965
90. New Jersey, Rutgers-Douglass CORE, Oct. 15, 1963 -
Sept. 17, 1964
91. New Jersey, Trenton CORE, Jan. 26 - Apr. 22, 1965, n.d.
92. New Jersey, West Essex CORE, Sept. 4, 1963 -
Jan. 13, 1965
93. New York, Albany CORE, Feb. 21 - Mar. 12, 1963
94. New York, Alfred State College CORE, Dec. 28, 1964 -
Apr. 11, 1965
95. New York, Binghamton CORE, June 6, 1963 -
Sept. 22, 1965, n.d.
96. New York, Buffalo CORE, May 23, 1960 -
Oct. 29, 1965
97. New York, Capital District CORE, July 6 -
Oct. 1, 1964, n.d.
98. New York, Cortland CORE, Dec. 7, 1964 -
Jan. 18, 1965
99. New York, Dutchess County CORE, Mar. 30 -
Oct. 22, 1965
100. New York, Kingston CORE, Dec. 1964 - Mar. 29, 1965, n.d.
101. New York, Mount Vernon CORE, June 18, 1965 -
May 25, 1966
102. New York, New York City, Bronx CORE, Jan. 8, 1963 -
June 1, 1966, n.d.
103. New York, New York City, Brooklyn CORE, Apr. 18, 1962 -
Mar. 25, 1966, n.d.
104. New York, New York City, Chelsea CORE, Sept. 24, 1963
105. New York, New York City, City College CORE,
Feb. 1, 1965
106. New York, New York City, Columbia University CORE,
June 13, 1964 - Oct 1967
107. New York, New York City, Downtown CORE,
Jan. 28, 1964 - Apr. 6, 1965, n.d.
108. New York, New York City, East River CORE,
Jan. 17, 1964 - Mar. 22, 1965, n.d.
109. New York, New York City, Long Island CORE,
Oct. 23, 1961 - Jan. 27, 1966
110. New York, New York City, Metropolitan Area Council CORE,
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111. New York, New York City, New York CORE, Dec. 7, 1960 -
July 25, 1966, n.d.
112. New York, New York City, New York University CORE,
Dec. 15, 1963 - Feb. 17, 1965, n.d.
113. New York, New York City, Queens CORE, Nov. 17, 1961 -
July 7, 1966, n.d.
114. New York, New York City, Queens College CORE,
June 26, 1962 - Sept. 20, 1965
115. New York, New York City, Queensborough Community
College CORE, Apr. 20, 1965, n.d.
116. New York, New York City, Seven Arts CORE,
Aug. 5, 1963 - Oct. 19, 1965, n.d.

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117. New York, New York City, West Side CORE,
Oct. 28 - Nov. 2, 1964
118. New York, Niagara Falls CORE, Aug. 1, 1963 -
Feb. 24, 1966, n.d.
119. New York, Northwest CORE, Oct. 1963 - Oct. 16, 1964
120. New York, Rochester CORE, Aug. 21, 1961 - Mar. 23, 1966
121. New York, Rockland County CORE, Oct. 18, 1963 - 1964
122. New York, South Jamaica CORE, Sept. 20, 1964
123. New York, Staten Island CORE, Jan. 31, 1964 -
July 28, 1965
124. New York, Suffolk County CORE, Dec. 30, 1963 -
Apr. 25, 1966
125. New York, Syracuse CORE, Dec. 3, 1962 - Apr. 13, 1966, n.d.
126. New York, Ulster County CORE, Mar. 3, 1964 -
July 7, 1965, n.d.
127. New York, Upstate Chapters of CORE, n.d.
128. New York, Utica CORE, Nov. 12, 1963 - Feb. 20, 1966
129. New York, Westchester CORE, Jan. 30, 1964 -
Oct. 19, 1965
130. New York, Yonkers CORE, Sept. 1963 - Mar. 28, 1966, n.d.
131. North Carolina, Chapel Hill CORE, Sept. 15, 1963 -
Oct. 2, 1964
132. North Carolina, Duke University CORE, Nov. 12, 1963 -
Sept. 18, 1964
133. North Carolina, Durham CORE, Jan. 4 - June 3, 1964
134. North Carolina, Greensboro CORE, Dec. 7, 1963 -
Aug. 1964
135. North Carolina, High Point CORE, Sept. 17, 1963 -
Aug. 16, 1964, n.d.
136. North Carolina, North Carolina State CORE, Jan. 2 -
Nov. 9, 1963
137. North Carolina, Onslow County CORE, May 20 -
June 17, 1965
138. North Carolina, Winston-Salem CORE, Dec. 8, 1963 -
Aug. 5, 1964
139. Ohio, Cincinnati CORE, Sept. 10, 1962 -
Apr. 21, 1966, n.d.
140. Ohio, Cleveland CORE, Jan. 1963 - Apr. 1967
141. Ohio, Columbus CORE, Aug. 30, 1963 - July 21, 1965, n.d.
142. Ohio, Kent State CORE, Mar. 24 - Aug. 24, 1964
143. Ohio, Middletown CORE, Sept. 18, 1963 - Mar. 3, 1965
144. Ohio, Toledo CORE, Mar. 15, 1963 - Jan. 28, 1965, n.d.
145. Ohio, Trumbull County CORE, Apr. 1, 1964 -
July 30, 1965
146. Ohio, Yellow Springs CORE, Sept. 10, 1963
147. Oklahoma, Tulsa CORE, Feb. 28, 1964 - Apr. 12, 1965, n.d.
148. Oregon, Eugene CORE, Mar. 25, 1964 - Aug. 12, 1965
149. Pennsylvania, Chester CORE, June 1965
150. Pennsylvania, Dickinson College CORE, Oct. 16 -
Nov. 12, 1964, n.d.

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151. Pennsylvania, Philadelphia CORE, Nov. 3, 1960 - May 14, 1965, n.d.
152. Pennsylvania, Pittsburgh CORE, July 29, 1964 - Oct. 19, 1965
153. Pennsylvania, York CORE, Nov. 29, 1965 - Feb. 3, 1966

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154. Rhode Island, Providence CORE, Sept. 5, 1963 - Mar. 1966, n.d.
155. South Carolina, Charleston CORE, Feb. 5, 1958 - Aug. 4, 1964
156. South Carolina, Pageland CORE, Oct. 5, 1964 - Jan. 8, 1966
157. South Carolina, Sumter CORE, Mar. 1964
158. Tennessee, Lebanon CORE, Apr. 23, 1963
159. Tennessee, Memphis CORE, Aug. 1965
160. Tennessee, Oak Ridge CORE, Nov. 8, 1963 - July 24, 1964
161. Texas, Dallas CORE, Mar. 21, 1964 - June 21, 1965, n.d.
162. Texas, Ennis CORE, Feb. 2 - July 7, 1965
163. Texas, San Antonio CORE, Jan. 8 - Apr. 16, 1964
164. Texas, Tyler CORE, Oct. 30, 1964 - Jan. 19, 1965
165. Virginia, Northern Virginia CORE, Jan. 3, 1964 - June 25, 1965
166. Virginia, Virginia Christian Leadership Conference, June 1959 - June 19, 1963, n.d.
167. Washington, Seattle CORE, Jan. 2, 1963 - Mar. 10, 1966
168. Washington, Tri-Cities CORE, Aug. 2, 1963 - Dec. 1965, n.d.
169. Washington, D.C. CORE, Nov. 13, 1963 - July 1966, n.d.
170. West Virginia, Charleston CORE, Jan. 2 - Oct. 7, 1964, n.d.
171. West Virginia, Huntington CORE, Jan. 2, 1964
172. West Virginia, West Virginia State College CORE, Apr. 27, 1964
173. West Virginia, Wheeling CORE, Sept. 5, 1963 - Mar. 5, 1965, n.d.
174. Wisconsin, Kenosha CORE, Nov. 1963 - Sept. 28, 1964
175. Wisconsin, Madison CORE, Jan. 3, 1964 - Feb. 10, 1965
176. Wisconsin, Milwaukee CORE, Nov. 3, 1960 - Oct. 21, 1965
177. Chapter Mailing Lists, n.d.

SERIES III. REGIONAL OFFICE AND FIELD STAFF FILES, 1957-1968

The Regional Office and Field Staff Files of the Organization Department, which supplement the Chapter Files with a quantity of material on CORE's efforts at the local level, are divided into a number of sections. The Administrative Files, F:III:1-87, deal with a variety of topics of interest to the regional offices, with the emphasis here primarily on the southern states.

Files F:III:72-84 contain memoranda, newsletters, correspondence, and printed materials pertaining to a CORE Voter Education Project in the South. There can also be found in these files project reports which give statistical data on numbers of voters registered by CORE workers, especially in Louisiana, South Carolina, and Florida. Files F:III:7-16 contain correspondence, reports, lists, and meeting minutes concerning the formation of a community center in Meridian, Mississippi in honor of the three CORE workers murdered during the Mississippi Summer Project of 1964 (see also F:I:56).

There is also correspondence of James McCain, director of the Organization Department; correspondence and minutes relating to the National Action Council (see also Subgroup C and E:I:48); and a notebook, labelled "Task Force Records" (F:III:68), that consists of phone numbers and addresses of CORE workers around the country. The materials in the Administrative Files are arranged alphabetically by subject, name of individual, name of organization, or type of material, with items within each file in chronological order by year, month, and day.

The Southern Office Files, F:III:88-281, begin with a set of Administrative Files, F:III:88-121. (The researcher should note the distinction between these files--which pertain specifically to the Southern Office--and the first 87 files in this series--which include materials from all the regional offices.) The Administrative Files of the Southern Office contain correspondence between National CORE and Richard Haley, who acted as director of the Southern Office; project reports and memoranda on the South, many of them prepared by the Research Department; and WATS line reports from field staff (F:III:120). These files are arranged alphabetically by subject, name of individual, or type of material, with items within each file in chronological order by year, month, and day.

Files F:III:122-281 contain primarily field reports, but also a variety of other materials, relating to CORE's field work at the local level in the South. Files F:III:122-144 are arranged alphabetically by name of field worker, while files 145-281 are in alphabetical order first by state, then by locale, name of individual, or type of material. The materials within all the Field Reports Files for the Southern Office are in chronological order by year, month, and day.

Some of CORE's more active field secretaries in the South included David Dennis in Jackson, Mississippi (F:III:126), Ed Hollander in New Orleans (F:III:130), and Ronnie Moore in Baton Rouge (F:III:134). The Field Reports Files arranged by state contain correspondence, field reports and memoranda, local staff meeting minutes and reports, and news clippings documenting projects and activities (especially voter registration programs) initiated by local southern chapters of CORE. Materials in these files pertain primarily to Florida, Louisiana, and Mississippi.

The Northeastern Office Files, F:III:282-432, follow an arrangement identical to that of the Southern Office Files. A set of Administrative Files for the Northeastern Office, F:III:282-343, is followed by Field Reports Files, arranged by name of individual in files F:III:344-358, and by state, then locale, name of individual, or type of material in files F:III:359-432. Materials within files of the Northeastern Office are arranged chronologically by year, month, and day.

Like National CORE, the Northeastern Office of CORE was located in New York City. Directed by Joyce Ware, the Northeastern Office was therefore extremely active in New York City affairs, including housing and employment discrimination, education, police brutality charges, and welfare complaints.

The Administrative Files of the Northeastern Office, F:III:282-343, contain, in addition to Ware's correspondence with National CORE and others, reports and memoranda by various agencies and departments in New York City. A well-documented case of employment discrimination can be found in the files relating to the Trailways Bus Company, F:III:326-333, which include correspondence, reports, and petitions. File F:III:343 contains information on CORE's 1965 demonstration at the World's Fair in New York City (see also G:I:64).

Files F:III:344-358 consist of field reports, correspondence, and memoranda of CORE field secretaries in contact with the Northeastern Office. In addition to field reports, files F:III:359-432 include correspondence, memoranda, and printed materials from across the Northeast and Midwest. Most of the materials are on New York, but there are also files for Illinois, Indiana, Kentucky, Maryland, Michigan, Minnesota, Virginia, and the District of Columbia.

The Western Office Files, F:III:433-456, are arranged in one alphabetical series of files, by locale, name of individual, or subject, with items within each file in chronological order by year, month, and day. These files include correspondence of Chet Duncan, the director of the Western Office in California, and reports and memoranda relating to CORE's projects and fund-raising activities in the western states. Materials in these files pertain primarily to Arizona, California, and Washington.

In the Regional Office and Field Staff Files, a few applications and duplicate press releases (see E:III:104) were not microfilmed.

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2. Advisory Council Members, Sept. 21, 1964
3. Amnesty International, n.d.
4. Boston-Providence Area Conference Agenda, Mar. 1964
5. Branton, Wiley, Mar. 15, 1963 - Oct. 6, 1964
6. Camp Regis-Apple Jack Project, Apr. 2, 1965
7. Chaney Goodman Schwerner Community Center (CGSCC),
Castle, Doris, Dec. 17, 1964 - June 1, 1965
8. CGSCC, Committee Lists, n.d.
9. CGSCC, correspondence, Oct. 28, 1964 - June 9, 1965
10. CGSCC, Finances, Dec. 1964, n.d.
11. CGSCC, Fund Raising, Oct. 1, 1964 - May 14, 1965, n.d.
12. CGSCC, Levy, Eva, Oct. 7, 1964 - May 10, 1965, n.d.
13. CGSCC, minutes, Nov. 25, 1964 - Mar. 23, 1965
14. CGSCC, Memorial, Nov. 29, 1964 - June 12, 1965, n.d.
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17. Chapter Chairman and Offices, June 20, 1964
18. Civil Rights Bibliography, Mar. 23, 1964
19. Civil Rights Act of 1964, Jan. 1965
20. Correspondence, May 29, 1964 - Dec. 19, 1965, n.d.
21. "Equal," Jan. - June 16, 1965, n.d.
22. "Equal" Newsletter, Mar. 1965
23. Equal Opportunity Program Development, Apr. 3, 1964 -
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24. Family Planning, Jan. 30, 1964 - Mar. 1965, n.d.
25. Farmer, James, correspondence, Apr. 15 - Dec. 8, 1964
26. Field Reports, Feb. 2, 1962; Oct. 21, 1965
27. Field Staff, correspondence, Nov. 26, 1963 -
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28. Field Staff, lists, 1961 - 1964, n.d.
29. Field Staff, roll book, 1963 - 1964
30. Finances, 1961 - 1965
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33. Illinois and Wisconsin Area Agenda, Feb. 27, 1964
34. Information Source Sheets, Mar. 1964, n.d.
35. Legal Department, Rachlin, Carl, Oct. 30, 1964 -
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36. Legal Department, Schiffer, George, Dec. 9, 1964 -
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37. Local 1199, June 21, 1965
38. Malcolm X, Apr. 2, 1965
39. McCain, James, correspondence, Aug. 15, 1963 -
Apr. 15, 1965, n.d.
40. McCain, James, memoranda, Nov. 12, 1963 -
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41. McKissick, Floyd, Oct. 19, 1964 - Aug. 14, 1965
42. Metropolitan Area Council, Mar. 17 - Apr. 5, 1964
43. Miscellaneous, June 1961 - Aug. 27, 1965, n.d.
44. Mississippi, notes, June 1964
45. Mississippi Freedom Democratic Party, Mar. 2 - May 6, 1964, n.d.

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46. Mississippi Summer Project, June - Aug. 26, 1964
47. Mississippi Voter Education Project, July 19, 1962
48. Missouri-Southern Illinois Area Conference, Mar. 1964
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50. National Action Council, minutes, Apr. 11, 1964 - Jan. 15, 1965
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54. Olin-Mathieson Chemical Corporation, Mar. 6 - July 23, 1964
55. Peck, Jim, July 27, 1965
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57. Police Brutality, May 7, 1962 - Apr. 14, 1965, n.d.
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87. World's Fair "Stall-in," Apr. 22, 1964

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Jan. 25, 1965
92. Administrative Files, Federal Reports, 1961 - 1964
93. Administrative Files, Gartner, Alan, Sept. 27 -
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95. Administrative Files, Haley, Richard, memoranda,
Aug. 4, 1964 - Dec. 14, 1965, n.d.
96. Administrative Files, Haley, Richard, Program Reports,
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Carl Rachlin served as CORE's attorney, and was closely involved with a number of CORE activities. The small group of files of the Legal Department document the efforts of Rachlin and George Schiffer, another New York attorney, to protect the rights of CORE staff members and workers.

Included in these files are legal documents concerning the incorporation of CORE (G:I:8); a number of New York court cases on discrimination; correspondence of Rachlin and Schiffer (see also F:III:35-36); correspondence and reports concerning the CORE Scholarship, Education and Defense Fund (G:I:51-52); and correspondence and other materials on the World's Fair demonstration of 1965 (G:I:64).

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Frank Shearer	1945 - 1947
Barbee W. Durham	1947 - 1949
Harriet Lane	1949 - 1950
Billie C. Ames	1951 - 1953
Lillian Palenius	1953 - 1954
Charles Oldham	1957 - 1963
Floyd B. McKissick	1963 - 1965

Vice Chairman

Irene Osborne	1945 - 1947
Gerald Bullock	1947 - 1949
Hobart Banks	1950 - 1951
Lynn Kirk	1951 - 1952
Robert Kirk	1952 - 1953
Althea Weathers	1953 - 1954
Lula Farmer	1954 -
Gordon Carey	1956 - 1957
Henry Hodge	1958 -
Earl Walter	1963
Rudolph Lombard	1963 - 1966
Wilfred Ussery	1963
Roy Innis	1967 - 1968

Secretary-Treasurer

Bernice Fisher	1943 - 1945
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Secretary

Benita Blair	1945 - 1946
Marie Klein	1946 - 1947
Alice Merritt	1947 - 1948
Juanita Morrow	1948 - 1949
Lynn Kirk	1950 - 1951
Lorraine Edelen	1951 - 1952
Ina Sugihara	1952 - 1953
Lula A. Farmer	1953 - 1954
Juanita Nelson	1954
Anna Holden	1961 - 1963
Ralph Rosenfeld	1963 - 1964
Ruth Turner	1964 -

Treasurer

Eugene Stanley	1945 - 1947
Catharine Raymond	1947 - 1955
Lula A. Farmer	1955 - 1961
A.D. Moore	1962 - 1963
Alan Gartner	1963

NATIONAL STAFF

Executive Secretary

George M. Houser	1945 - 1954
James R. Robinson	1957 - 1960

National Director

James L. Farmer	1961 - 1966
Floyd B. McKissick	1966 - 1968
Roy Innis	1968 -

Assistant to the National Director

Richard Haley	1962 - 1963
Gordon Carey	1963 - 1964

Associate National Director

George Wiley	1965 - 1966
Lincoln Lynch	1966 - 1967
Roy Innis	1968

CORE-lator Editor

James Peck	1949 - 1965
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General Counsel

Carl Rachlin	1964 - 1966
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Community Relations Director

Marvin Rich	1959 - 1965
Alan Gartner	1965 - 1966

Assistant Community Relations Director

William Larkins	1961 - 1962
Robert B. Gore	1962 - 1964

Organization Department Director

James T. McCain 1962 - 1966
Herbert Callender 1966

Assistant Organization Department Director

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Robert B. Gore 1964

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Assistant Program Department Director

Norman Hill 1962 - 1963

Membership Director

James R. Robinson 1960 - 1961

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