

An Inventory of University Records Mortar Board

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Title: An Inventory of Student Organized Activities and Publications, Mortar Board

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Dates: 1971-2004

Creator or Collector: Mortar Board; Gold Key Society; Morrell, Jean Schober; Griffin, Jennifer

Size: 9 linear feet

Language: English

Abstract:

This collection consists of materials related to Mortar Board and the Gold Key Society.

Scope and Content Note:

This collection consists of materials related to Mortar Board and the Gold Key Society, including photo albums, certificates, a history of the Gold Key Society, and miscellaneous items.

Historical Note:

The Mortar Board Gold Key chapter at the University of Northern Colorado was chartered in 1972.

The idea for a Gold Key honorary organization at Colorado State College of Education (now the University of Northern Colorado) originated with a suggestion by members of Blue Key. The first meeting of Gold Key, a senior women's honorary society, occurred on April 18, 1956. Gold Key was active in many campus activities, including Homecoming, Mid-Year Conferences, Campus Chest/United Fund, Insignia Day, Honors Program, and they worked to bring a chapter of Mortar Board to the University of Northern Colorado campus.

Current information on UNC's Mortar Board is available at: <http://www.unco.edu/clubs/mortarboard/>

Arrangement (required for multiple level collections):

This collection is organized into a single series.

Restrictions on Access: The collection is open for research.

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Acquisition Information (if applicable):

Gift of Jennifer Griffin, UNC Academic Support and Advising, on 2006 August 28.

The Mortar Board photo albums in Box 6 were a gift of Jean Schober Morrell, Dean of Students, on 2006 September 19 and 2006 October 5.

Documentation relating to the acquisition is on file in Archives, RG13 S1.

Subjects:

University of Northern Colorado. Mortar Board -- History.
 University of Northern Colorado. Gold Key Society -- History.
 University of Northern Colorado -- Students.
 University of Northern Colorado -- Dean of Students.
 University of Northern Colorado -- Academic Support and Advising.
 Morrell, Jean Schober.

Inventory:

Collection	MSS #	Series	Box	Folder	Title
Mortar Board	RG10 S6 F2	Series 1	Box 1	Finding Aid	Finding Aid
Mortar Board	RG10 S6 F2	Series 1	Box 1	1981-1982 Photo Album	Brown photo album with gold pattern all over, covered spiral binding, magnetic pages, labeled in red on spine. 10"x11¼"x1". Photographs deteriorating.
Mortar Board	RG10 S6 F2	Series 1	Box 1	1982-1983 Photo Album	Red screw-set folder with "memories" in white on cover, magnetic pages, labeled in red on cover. 1"x12¼"x¾".
Mortar Board	RG10 S6 F2	Series 1	Box 1	1983-1984 Photo Album	Green photo album with gold border on cover. 3-ring binder, magnetic pages, labeled in red on spine. 10¾"x11¾"x2¼".
Mortar Board	RG10 S6 F2	Series 1	Box 1	1984-1985 Photo Album	Red photo album with gold border on cover. Covered spiral binding, magnetic pages, labeled on cover in red. 9¾"x11½"x1".
Mortar Board	RG10 S6 F2	Series 1	Box 1	1985-1986 Photo Album	Blue photo album with gold pattern on cover, covered spiral bound, magnetic pages, labeled in red on spine. 10¾"x12½"x1".
Mortar Board	RG10 S6 F2	Series 1	Box 1	1987-1988 Photo Album	Red photo album with gold border on cover. 3-ring binder, magnetic pages, labeled in red on spine. 9¾"x11¼"x2¼".
Mortar Board	RG10 S6 F2	Series 1	Box 2	1988-1989 Photo Album	Gray photo album with gold border on cover. 3-ring binder, magnetic pages, labeled in red on spine. 10¼"x11¼"x2¼". Includes: Loose envelope of negatives & Chapter of Excellence award
Mortar Board	RG10 S6 F2	Series 1	Box 2	1989-1990 Photo Album	Black photo album with blue pinstripes. 3-ring binder, magnetic pages, labeled in red on spine. 10¾"x11½"x2¼".

Collection	MSS #	Series	Box	Folder	Title
Mortar Board	RG10 S6 F2	Series 1	Box 2	1990-1991 Photo Album	Black photo album with multi-color design. 3-ring binder, magnetic pages. 10 ³ / ₄ "x11 ¹ / ₄ "x2 ¹ / ₄ ". Includes: Stacks of form/acceptance letters; Fall/Winter 1992-1993 Mortar Board Foundation Newsletters
Mortar Board	RG10 S6 F2	Series 1	Box 2	1991-1992 Photo Album	Red photo album, plain front/back. 3-ring binder, magnetic pages. 10 ¹ / ₂ "x12"x2 ¹ / ₂ ". Includes two loose award folders: Environmental Awareness Week; Chapter of Excellence; loose mailer envelope with autographed picture and letter from Ann Marie Sweere.
Mortar Board	RG10 S6 F2	Series 1	Box 3	1992-1993 Photo Album	Photo album covered in black material with "Memories" embroidered in gold metallic thread. A graduation cap with tassel and the initials "mb" are also embroidered on the cover. A torn gold cord attached to the album ties the album together. Covered spiral binding, magnetic pages. 10 ⁵ / ₈ "x12"x3". Transferred from: RG7 S1 F17
Mortar Board	RG10 S6 F2	Series 1	Box 3	1993-1994 Photo Album	Purple cloth-covered photo album with gold tassel on cover. 3-ring binder, magnetic pages. 10 ³ / ₄ "x11 ¹ / ₂ "x2 ¹ / ₂ ". Includes: Chapter of Excellence award
Mortar Board	RG10 S6 F2	Series 1	Box 3	1994-1995 Photo Album	Photo album covered in black material with gold glitter glued to the lettering on the cover. The cover has gold ribbon attached to the outside edges of the album. A piece of folded black cord is attached to the front cover. Black and gold cord attached to the album ties the album together. Covered spiral binding, magnetic pages. 10 ⁵ / ₈ "x1"x3". Transferred from: RG7 S1 F17
Mortar Board	RG10 S6 F2	Series 1	Box 3	1996-1997 Photo Album	Photo album covered in green material with lettering in gold paint. The front cover has a graduation cap made of a reddish purple material and blue tassel. A blue cord attached to the album ties the album together. Covered spiral binding, magnetic pages. 10 ⁵ / ₈ "x1"x3". Transferred from: RG7 S1 F17

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Mortar Board	RG10 S6 F2	Series 1	Box 3	2001-2002 Photo Album	Pink 3-ring binder with page protectors. 10"x11½"x1½".
Mortar Board	RG10 S6 F2	Series 1	Box 3	2002-2003 Photo Album	Red spiral notebook with stickers on front "Motar Board Memories." 8½"x6"½".
Mortar Board	RG10 S6 F2	Series 1	Box 3	Loose Items	Award Certificate: 1993 Forum Award Finalist
Mortar Board	RG10 S6 F2	Series 1	Box 3	Loose Items	Award Certificate: 1992-1993 Chapter of Excellence
Mortar Board	RG10 S6 F2	Series 1	Box 3	Loose Items	Award Certificate: 1992-1993 Outstanding Service Project
Mortar Board	RG10 S6 F2	Series 1	Box 3	Loose Items	Constitution of Gold Key (2 hardbound copies)
Mortar Board	RG10 S6 F2	Series 1	Box 4	Folder	Gold Key/Motar Board Membership Lists
Mortar Board	RG10 S6 F2	Series 1	Box 4	Folder	Miscellaneous Programs
Mortar Board	RG10 S6 F2	Series 1	Box 4	Folder	Alumni Contact Info Motar Board Society
Mortar Board	RG10 S6 F2	Series 1	Box 4	Folder	Motar Board History
Mortar Board	RG10 S6 F2	Series 1	Box 4	Folder	Homecoming Activities – Gold Key
Mortar Board	RG10 S6 F2	Series 1	Box 4	Folder	Women's Extended Hours – Gold Key
Mortar Board	RG10 S6 F2	Series 1	Box 4	Folder	Honors program -- 1972
Mortar Board	RG10 S6 F2	Series 1	Box 4	Folder	Misc. Letters, info -- Gold Key
Mortar Board	RG10 S6 F2	Series 1	Box 4	Folder	Motar Board Installation -- 1972
Mortar Board	RG10 S6 F2	Series 1	Box 4	Folder	Motar Board Application -- 1971
Mortar Board	RG10 S6 F2	Series 1	Box 4	Folder	Miscellaneous Items -- Gold Key
Mortar Board	RG10 S6 F2	Series 1	Box 4	Folder	Blank Certificates: Senior Women's Honorary
Mortar Board	RG10 S6 F2	Series 1	Box 4	Folder	Paper keys made of gold paper
Mortar Board	RG10 S6 F2	Series 1	Box 4	Folder	Loose Unlabeled Pictures
Mortar Board	RG10 S6 F2	Series 1	Box 4	Folder	Loose Unlabeled Negatives

Collection	MSS #	Series	Box	Folder	Title
Mortar Board	RG10 S6 F2	Series 1	Box 5	2003-2004 Scrapbook	Plain black front/back, spiral bound. 14¾"x14"x1". Oversize