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**Preferred Citation**

Robert McCaughey *Statistical Profile of the Barnard College Faculty, 1900-1974* Papers, 1974-1992; Box and Folder; Barnard Archives and Special Collections, Barnard Library, Barnard College.
Biography

Robert A. McCaughey joined the faculty at Barnard College in 1969 and teaches in the American Studies and History departments, specializing in the social history of American intellectual life, the history of American colleges and universities, and early American maritime history. His primary research interests include the history of Columbia University and maritime New York in the Age of Sail. He received his A.B. from University of Rochester, his M.A. from the University of North Carolina, and his Ph.D. from Harvard University. He has served several terms as the chair of Barnard’s History Department and has served as Dean of Barnard College faculty from 1987-1993. Over the years, his research and scholarship have been supported by the New York Historical Society, the National Endowment for the Humanities, and the Guggenheim Foundation. The materials in this collection document the research and process of the report sponsored by the Dorothy Spivak Fund, A Statistical Profile of the Barnard College Faculty, 1900-1974.

Collection Scope and Content Summary

This collection of papers documents McCaughey’s research process while completing A Statistical Profile of the Barnard College Faculty, 1900-1974. Materials include raw data collected from faculty and emeriti through questionnaires and McCaughey’s analysis of the data in the form of charts and tables. Data analyzes characteristics of Barnard’s faculty including gender, age, prior education, ties to Columbia, other teaching appointments, residence, birthplace, family background, marital status, finances, etc. Original questionnaires and CVs are included in these papers, although access is restricted. Also included in this collection of papers are correspondence with faculty, emeriti, and alumnae; manuscript drafts; and personal records relating to the production of the report including expenses, research and travel records, and notes. Two copies of the final report and three copies of Academic Profiles accompany the collection. Academic Profiles, published in 1991, was another project of Robert McCaughey's that has information about the education, specialties, and publications of the faculty of Barnard College for the 1991-1992 academic year.

Collection Arrangement
These papers have been arranged into seven series. The series are as follows:

Series 1, Data & Analysis  
Series 2, Correspondence  
Series 3, Questionnaires and materials related to survey  
Series 4, Curricula vitae  
Series 5, Drafts  
Series 6, Personal records related to publication  
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**Administrative Information**

**Publication Information**

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No additions are expected.

**Acquisition Information**

Transferred to the Archives by Robert McCAughey in 1975. The acquisition date and source of the 1992 materials is unknown.

**Processing History**
This collection was processed and the finding aid written by Hilary Price in October 2014. The finding aid was updated by Alice Griffin in July 2015.


Finding aid written in English.

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### Controlled Access Headings

#### Personal Name(s)

- McCaughey, Robert A.

#### Subject(s)

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Series 4. Curricula vitae, 1974-1975

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Series 5. Drafts, 1974-1975

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Series 6. Personal records related to publication, 1974-1975

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