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## Summary information

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**Repository:** Concordia University Records Management and Archives

**Title:** Garnet Key Society of Concordia University fonds

**ID:** P061

**Date:** 1957-1987, predominant 1957-1968 (date of creation)

**Physical description:** 5 cm of textual records  
57 photographs  
4 objects

**Dates of creation,  
revision and deletion:**

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## Administrative history / Biographical sketch

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### Note

The first Key society was formed in the United States in the 1920s. The movement eventually became international. Formed to welcome and assist visiting athletic teams, the Key societies developed into service bodies to act as general representatives of their respective universities. Their role is to provide a welcoming service for the university, to orientate students to university life, and to provide general assistance to the university.

The Garnet Key Society was begun at Sir George Williams College in 1956 by two fourth-year students, Vic Rogers and Dave Williams with assistance from the Faculty Council, as well as athletic director Mag Flynn and fourth-year student Stu McEvoy. The first official function was to assist in welcoming Hungarian refugee students en route to the University of British Columbia. Since then the Society has been increasingly active in all phases of university life. Membership is considered an honour, and members act as ambassadors, representing the student body at official university events.

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## Scope and content

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The fonds provides information on the history of the Garnet Key Society of Concordia University and its founding institution Sir George Williams University.

The fonds consists of handbooks, minutes of meeting, correspondence, lists of nominations, and Garnet Key garments and objects.

## Notes

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### Title notes

### Finding aids

Box listing available

### Other notes

- **Publication status:** Published

## Access points

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- Textual record (documentary form)
- Graphic material (documentary form)
- Object (documentary form)

## Series descriptions

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Ref code	Title	Dates	Access status	Container
P061-02-01	Item - Garnet Key Society members with Patrick Kenniff Photographed by Paul Hrasko	1988-1989		
P061-02-02	Item - Garnet Key Society Members	1989-1990		
P061-02-03	Item - Garnet Key Society Members Goofing Around	1985-1986		
P061-02-04	Item - Garnet Key Society Members	1985-1986		
P061-02-05	Item - Garnet Key Society Members	1985-1986		
P061-02-06	Item - Garnet Key Society Members	1985-1986		
P061-02-07	Item - Garnet Key Society Members	1985-1986		
P061-02-08	Item - Garnet Key Society Members	1985-1986		
P061-02-09	Item - Garnet Key Society Members	1985-1986		
P061-02-10	Item - Garnet Key Society Members	1985-1986		
P061-02-11	Item - Unidentified woman and man at party	1985-1986		
P061-02-12	Item - Unidentified woman at party	1985-1986		
P061-02-13	Item - Unidentified woman at party	1985-1986		
P061-02-14	Item - Unidentified group at party	1985-1986		
P061-02-15	Item - Unidentified group at party	1985-1986		
P061-02-16	Item - Two unidentified women at party	1985-1986		
P061-02-17	Item - Unidentified woman	1985-1986		
P061-02-18	Item - Garnet Key Society Members	1985-1986		

P061-02-19	Item - Garnet Key Society Members	1985-1986
P061-02-20	Item - Garnet Key Society Event	1986-1987
P061-02-21	Item - Unidentified woman	1986-1987
P061-02-22	Item - Garnet Key Society Members Resting After Event	1986-1987
P061-02-23	Item - Garnet Key Society Members Resting After Event	1986-1987
P061-02-24	Item - Garnet Key Society Members Resting After Event	1986-1987
P061-02-25	Item - Unidentified woman and Patrick Kenniff at Event	1986-1987
P061-02-26	Item - Unidentified woman and Patrick Kenniff at Event	1986-1987
P061-02-27	Item - Garnet Key Society Event	1986-1987
P061-02-28	Item - Garnet Key Society Event	1986-1987
P061-02-29	Item - Garnet Key Society Member Receives Award	1986-1987
P061-02-30	Item - Event	1986-1987
P061-02-31	Item - Event	1986-1987
P061-02-32	Item - Event	1986-1987
P061-02-33	Item - Event	1986-1987
P061-02-34	Item - Event	1986-1987
P061-02-35	Item - Event	1986-1987
P061-02-36	Item - Event	1986-1987
P061-02-37	Item - Event	1986-1987
P061-02-38	Item - Event	1986-1987
P061-02-39	Item - Event	1986-1987
P061-02-40	Item - Event	1986-1987
P061-02-41	Item - Garnet Key Society Members	1986-1987
P061-02-42	Item - Dinner in a Restaurant	[198-]
P061-02-43	Item - Dinner in a Restaurant	[198-]
P061-02-44	Item - Dinner in a Restaurant	[198-]
P061-02-45	Item - Dinner in a Restaurant	[198-]
P061-02-46	Item - Event	1986-1987
P061-02-47	Item - Garnet Key Society Members	1986-1987
P061-02-48	Item - Garnet Key Society Members	1986-1987
P061-02-49	Item - Garnet Key Society Members	1986-1987
P061-02-50	Item - Garnet Key Society Members	1986-1987
P061-02-51	Item - Garnet Key Society Members	1986-1987
P061-02-52	Item - Association of Alumni gets Garnet Key Chapter	Fall 1965
P061-02-53	Item - Opening of Hall Building	1966
P061-02-55	Item - Garnet Key Society Members	1981