Guide to the Robert I. Levy papers

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Collection Overview

Repository: National Anthropological Archives
Creator: Levy, Robert I. (Robert Isaac), 1924-
Title: Robert I. Levy papers
Quantity: 37.4 linear feet, 71 boxes, 5 map-folders
262 sound recordings
Abstract: The Robert I. Levy papers document his field work, research and professional activities from 1949-2001 and primarily deal with his work studying social organization, culture, and their psychological effects in Tahiti and Nepal. The collection consists of correspondence, field notes, sound recordings of interviews with informants in Tahiti and Nepal, interview transcripts and analyses, language and culture research materials, maps, and color slides. Also included are files about his books, articles, essays, and lectures; course materials from his time as a professor at the University of California, San Diego (UCSD); and conference files.
Language: Collection is primarily in English. Field sound recordings and some of the accompanying transcripts are in Tahitian and Newar.

Administrative Information

Acquisition Information
These papers were donated to the National Anthropological Archives by Robert Levy's wife, Nerys Levy, in 2014.

Processing Information
The series delineated in this collection are based on the original order and groupings of the materials upon their arrival at this institution. Original folder titles were used where appropriate. Please note that Levy was not consistent in his spelling of informant names across all materials. The archivist picked the spelling that was most prevalent to describe the materials within this finding aid and attempted to note spelling variations and abbreviations where applicable.
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Biographical note

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<tr>
<th>Date</th>
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<tr>
<td>1924</td>
<td>Robert I. Levy was born on June 1st in New York, New York.</td>
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<td>M.D. Degree, New York University, College of Medicine.</td>
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<td>1966-1967</td>
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<td>Professor of Anthropology, University of California, San Diego.</td>
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<td>1990-1991</td>
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<td>1991-2003</td>
<td>Emeritus Professor of Anthropology, University of California, San Diego; Research Professor of Anthropology, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill; Research Professor of Anthropology, Duke University.</td>
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Robert I. Levy was a professor in the Anthropology Department at the University of California, San Diego (UCSD) from 1969 until his retirement in 1991 who was known for his ground breaking work in psychological anthropology. Born in 1924 in New York, New York, he originally trained in medicine and psychiatry (M.D. Degree, New York University, 1947). Levy was lured into anthropology in the early 1960s by Douglas Oliver to work on a field project in Tahiti. Levy spent a total of 26 months from 1961-1964 conducting research in Tahiti focused on aspects of Tahitian culture and psychological organization. The resulting book Tahitians: Mind and Experience in the Society Islands (1973) was selected as a finalist for the National Book Award. Levy went on to complete field work in Nepal in the traditional Hindu city of Bhaktapur, from 1973-1976 conducting research on social organization, culture, and their psychological correlates. The culmination of his research, Mesocosm: Hinduism and the Organization of a Traditional Newar City in Nepal, was published in 1990.

Prior to joining the faculty at UCSD, Levy was a senior scholar at the East-West Center, a research associate at the Bishop Museum, and a professor at the University of Hawaii, all in Honolulu. He was also the associate editor of ETHOS from 1971-1979 and received fellowships at the Center for Advanced Study in Behavioral Sciences in Palo Alto, CA (1985-1986) and the National Humanities Center in Research Triangle Park, NC (1990-1991). After his retirement from UCSD in 1991 Levy was appointed a Research Professor of Anthropology at both the University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill and Duke University. He died in 2003 in Asolo, Italy.


Scope and Content Note

The Robert I. Levy papers document his field work, research and professional activities from 1949-2001 and primarily deal with his work studying social organization, culture and their psychological effects in Tahiti and Nepal. The collection consists of correspondence, field notes, sound recordings of interviews with informants in Tahiti and Nepal, interview transcripts and analyses, language and culture research materials, maps, and color slides.

The correspondence includes Levy’s thoughts on his first field work experience in Tahiti from 1961-1964 along with extensive correspondence with Levy’s cousin, anthropologist Roy Rappaport, in the same time period. Interview transcripts from Tahiti are written in Tahitian with Levy’s notes in English. Transcripts from Nepal are in Newar (Devanagari script) with English translations. Full transcripts in both languages are not always present. Research materials comprise documents Levy gathered before and after his periods of field work and include extensive analyses of psychological terms in Tahitian and Newar. The color slides depict adults, children, daily activities, rituals, and some landscapes in Tahiti and Nepal.

Also included in this collection are files about his books, articles, essays, and lectures; course materials from his time as a professor at the University of California, San Diego (UCSD); and conference files.

Arrangement

Names and Subject Terms

This collection is indexed in the online catalog of the Smithsonian Institution under the following terms:

Subjects:
- Caste--Nepal
- Ethnology
- Ethnopsychology

Types of Materials:
- Correspondence
- Field notes
- Manuscripts
- Slides (photographs)
- Sound recordings

Geographic Names:
- Bhaktapur (Nepal)
- Tahiti (French Polynesia: Island)

Selected Bibliography


7.42 linear feet

Series 1 consists of materials from 1959-1964, 1970 and undated related to Levy’s first field work experience in Tahiti from 1961-1964. This includes correspondence, field notes, interview outlines, transcripts, and sound recordings, and language and culture research materials.

The correspondence consists of incoming and outgoing letters and topics covered include trip planning, logistics, and Levy’s thoughts on his first field work experience. There is extensive correspondence with Levy’s cousin, anthropologist Roy Rappaport, who was working in Papua New Guinea in the same time period. This series contains 60 sound cassettes and 2 sound cartridges (Midgetape) of interviews with Tahitian informants. Interview transcripts exist primarily in Tahitian with Levy’s notes in English. Research materials comprise documents Levy gathered before and after his period of field work and cover historical, behavioral and linguistic topics. There is significant analyses of psychological terms in the Tahitian language.

For materials relating directly to the book Tahitians, please see Series 3.1. For photographic material, please see Series 4.


1.1: Correspondence, 1959-1964

Correspondence is arranged in chronological order within folders.

Box 1
Levy to Dr. Oliver, notes on Tahitian experience, 1959 October 17

Box 1
Levy to Roy "Skip" Rappaport, 1961-1964

Box 1
Roy "Skip" Rappaport and Annie Rappaport to Levy, 1961-1964

Box 1
Outgoing, 1960-1964
   5 folders

Box 1
Incoming, 1960-1964
   7 folders

Box 1
Other items included with correspondence, 1961-1964
   A small amount of documents included with the correspondence that did not relate directly to a specific piece of correspondence. Includes trip itineraries, a map of Cambridge, MA, and a few articles.


Arranged in alphabetical order.
| Box 2 | 1970 trip, 1970 August |
| Box 2 | Field notes, carbons, 1964 |
| Box 2 | Grant proposal: Extension of support for Tahiti research, 1964 |
| Box 2 | Haapu carbons (field notes), 1962-1963 |
| Box 2 | Haapu children's drawings, 1962 August |
| Box 2 | Haapu: Census and other notes, 1962-1964 |
| Box 2 | 2 folders |
| Box 2 | Ego organization, notecards, undated |
| Box 2 | Individual analyses, overall, circa 1961-circa 1964 |
| Box 2 | Manuhoe carbons (field notes), 1962-1964 |
| Box 2 | Manuhoe: Census and other notes, 1962-1964 |
| Box 2 | 2 folders |
| Box 2 | Notes on time systems in Tahitian, 1964, undated |
| Box 2 | Notes: Special analyses, 1963, undated |
| Box 2 | Social material: History, setting, church (add to History of Haapu changes), undated |
| Box 2 | Songs, 1962 |

**1.3: Interview materials, 1962-1964, undated**

Planning, transcripts, and analysis of interviews.

General interview materials are listed first, followed by transcripts in alphabetical order by informant name.

| Box 3 | Important information about the tapes, undated |
| Box 3 | David, Teiho, Farera'i, Rahera: Miscellaneous introductory interviews, 1964 |
| Box 3 | Interview and transcription progress chart by topic, undated |
| Box 3 | Summarized interviews, 1962-1964 |
| Box 3 | Haapu interview outline, questions, and tables, undated |
| Box 8-9 | Tape analysis note cards, undated |

Consists of index cards primarily organizing Levy's psychological analysis of the interviews. Also includes notes on vocabulary and further questions for informants.
Interview transcripts:

Box 3; Box 7
Anna, 1963
3 folders

Box 3
David, 1962-1964
2 folders

Box 3
Koro, 1964
2 folders

Box 3
Koro (carbons), 1964

Box 3
Jeanine, 1964
2 folders

Box 3
Marae, 1963
2 folders

Box 7
Marae, circa 1963
2 folders

Box 4
Mauri, 1964
2 folders

Box 4
Mauri (carbons), 1964
2 folders

Box 4
Nani (Haapu "E"), 1963

Box 7
Nani, undated

Box 4
Nini incomplete, circa 1963

Box 4
Nini, 1963
2 folders

Box 5
Nu'u, 1964
2 folders

Box 5
Nu'u (carbons), 1964
2 folders

Box 5
Ropae (Haapu "A-D"), undated

Box 7
Ropae, undated

Box 5
Ru, draft outline for interview and notes, undated

Box 5
Ru, interview notes, undated

Box 5; Box 7
Tavana, 1963
3 folders

Box 7
Teio, 1963
2 folders
Box 5                  Teio (carbons), 1963-1964
Box 5                  To'orua, 1964
Box 6; Tutea, 1962-1963
Box 7                  4 folders
Box 6                  Vaira'a, 1963
                      2 folders
Box 6                  Vaira'a (carbons), 1963
                      2 folders
Box 6                  Unidentified informants (carbons), 1963-1964
                      2 folders

1.4: Interview sound recordings, circa 1963
Arranged in alphabetical order by informant name.

Box 10, Item 001-005   Ana, circa 1963
                      5 sound cassettes
Box 10, Item 006-009   Columbani, circa 1963
                      4 sound cassettes
Box 10, Item 010-013   Jeanine, circa 1963
                      4 sound cassettes
Box 10, Item 014-018   Marae, circa 1963
                      5 sound cassettes
Box 11, Item 019-023   Mauri, circa 1963
                      5 sound cassettes
Box 11, Item 024-029   Nini Vahine, circa 1963
                      6 sound cassettes
Box 11, Item 030-035   Nu'u, circa 1963
                      6 sound cassettes
Box 11, Item 036-037   Rahaera, circa 1963
                      2 sound cassettes
Box 12, Item 038-041   Tavana, circa 1963
                      4 sound cassettes
Box 12, Item 042-046   Teio, circa 1963
                      5 sound cassettes
Box 12, Item 047-050   To'orua, circa 1963
                      4 sound cassettes
Box 12, Item 051-054  Tute'a, circa 1963
   4 sound cassettes

Box 12, Item 055-060  Vaira'a, circa 1963
   6 sound cassettes

Box 12, Item 61  David, side 1, circa 1963
   1 sound cartridge, Midgetape recording cartridge

Box 12, Item 62  Unidentified sound recording, circa 1963
   1 sound cartridge, Midgetape recording cartridge


Box 13  Analysis, material, 1961 July-August

Box 13  Base line material, Society Islands, 1960 December
   2 folders

Box 13  Behavioral base line material, Society Islands, 1960 December
   2 copies

Box 13  Base materials: Notes, undated

Box 13  Haapu, 1961
   2 folders

Box 13  Historical, 1970, undated

Box 13  Historical survey, with quotations checked, undated

Box 13  Kay: Manuhoe, undated

Map-folder 1  Maps, undated

Box 13  Wallis's Journal, undated

Box 14  A Tahitian and English Dictionary, circa 1961
   3 folders
   Written and then annotated by missionaries in Tahiti in the 1940s.

Psychological categories in Davies' Tahitian Dictionary:
Four copies of Levy's psychological analysis of A Tahitian and English
Dictionary, each with slightly different annotations.

Box 14  Original, checked for Haapu November 1963, 1961-1963
   2 folders

Box 14  Original, 1961, 1961

Box 14  Copy 5 (with typed annotations), 1961
   2 folders
Box 14

Dark copy, 1961, 1961

2 folders

22.6 linear feet

This series comprises materials from 1959-1990 and undated relating to Levy’s field work in the Bhaktapur region of Nepal from 1973-1976. This includes field notes; interview transcripts, analyses, and sound recordings; and research and language study materials.

Interview transcripts are in Newar (written in Devanagari script) with English translations. Full transcripts in both languages are not always present. This series includes 117 sound cassettes of interviews with informants in Bhaktapur. Interviews were conducted in Newar. Research materials comprise documents Levy gathered before and after his period of field work and includes 13 language study sound cassette tapes, language study notecards, and analyses of psychological terms; maps of the Bhaktapur and the surrounding region; and articles and surveys relating to population, culture, and religion. Also included in this series are 68 additional sound cassettes relating to culture, music, and other miscellaneous topics.

For materials relating directly to the book Mesocosm, please see series Series 3.1. For photographic material please see Series 4.


2.1: Field notes, 1973-1976, undated

Box 15
1, 1973
3 folders

Box 15
1A, 1-149, 1973
2 folders

Box 15
1B, 150-298, 1974-1975
2 folders

Box 16
Part 2, 299-505, 1975 March - 1976 February
3 folders

Box 16
506-717, probably 1976
2 folders

Brahman essays:

Box 16
Volume 1, circa 1975

Box 16
Volume 2, circa 1975

Box 16
Volume 3, 1975

Box 17
History: Script in Devanagari, undated
Probably related to the transcripts.

Box 17
Index, synopsis: Tejeswor, Raja Bhaju, Punye Ram, undated

Box 17
Index, transcription: Talking about condolence, undated
Box 17  
Index to translation, undated  

Box 17  
Interview status, circa 1975  

Box 17  
Life history material, undated  

Box 17  
Miscellaneous notes: Socio dynamics, undated  

Psychological notes:  
These files have been maintained in their original order.  

Box 17  
Tape logs, general plan, undated  

Box 17  
Identity, undated  

Box 17  
Morality, undated  

Box 17  
Cognition, undated  

Box 17  
Feeling, undated  

Box 17  
Dynamics, undated  

Box 17  
Ontology, undated  

Box 17  
Symbolic entailments, undated  

Box 17  
Samaskara worksheet, undated  

Box 71  
Materials used for an unidentified ritual, circa 1973-circa 1976  
Wooden box containing powdered paints and small boxes of primarily organic materials including pieces of wood and leaves, string, and small pieces of cloth. It also includes 2 sharp metal tools. Identification of these materials based on information from Nerys Levy. The ritual may be described in *Mesocosm*.  

2.2: Interview transcripts, 1973-1980, undated  

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Arranged in alphabetical order by informant name.  

Asa Maru:  

Box 18  
Devanagari, 1975  
Includes the partial original transcript and a copy of the full transcript.  
3 folders  

Box 18  
English translation: Part 1, 1975  
2 folders
Box 18  
English translation: Part 2, 1975  
*Includes the original and two sets of copies with notes.*  
4 folders

Box 19  
Analysis, undated

Box 19  
Index in Devanagari, 1980, undated  
2 folders

Box 19  
GW (Gwonga): Devanagari, 1975 September  
Kamala:  
Box 19  
Devanagari: KAM 1, 1975 September  
*Includes the original transcription and a copy with notes.*  
3 folders

Box 20  
English translation and indexing, undated  
*Includes the original and a copy with notes.*  
3 folders

Punya Ram:  
Box 20-21  
Devanagari, 1975  
*Labeled PR 1-11.*  
11 folders

Box 21  
English translation, 1975-1979, undated  
*Labeled PuR-7, Punyeram notebook 6-10, and Punya Ram notebook 10-12.*  
4 folders

Box 21  
Analysis, circa 1975

Punyeswari:  
Box 22  
Devanagari, 1975  
*Labeled PS 1-2 and PSW 3.*  
3 folders

Box 22  
English translation, 1975 August - September  
4 folders

Box 23  
Raja Baju: English translation with notes, 1973  
4 folders

Sukuman:  
Box 23-24  
Devanagari, 1975  
*Labeled Sukuma 1-5.*  
5 folders

Box 24-25  
English translation, 1975  
*Labeled Sukumana 1-5.*  
9 folders
2.3: Interview sound recordings, 1973-1976, undated

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Arranged in alphabetical order by informant, then maintained in Levy's original order.

Asa Maru:
14 sound cassettes
10 sound cassettes; Copies of the 14 original cassettes (SR 063 - SR 076) condensed on 10 tapes.

Box 42, Item 63 1. Introduction, 1975 October 3
Box 42, Item 64 2. Jat; Burial customs; Marriage restrictions, 1975 October 7
Box 42, Item 65 3. Samaskars, 1975 October 10
Box 42, Item 66 4. Feelings about caste system, 1975 October 20
Box 42, Item 67 5. Daily religion; Relation with wife; Women's role; Guthi, 1975 October 22
Box 42, Item 68 6. Death; Gods; Nature; Karma; Dreams, 1975 October 25
Box 42, Item 69 7. Yogi origins and remaining practice, 1975 November 14
Box 42, Item 70 8. Sin; Hell; Fear of death; Social control; Whae Nu Ma ceremony, 1975 November 21
Box 42, Item 71 9. Fragment on marriage, 1975 December 1
Box 42, Item 72 10. Premarital morals; Sons instructions in Muli; Gaji smoking, 1975 December 8
Box 42, Item 73 11. Heaven; Sacrifice; Time sense, 1975 December 19
Box 42, Item 74 12. Pathologies, 1975 December 29
Box 42, Item 75 13. Child rearing, 1975 December 31
Box 42, Item 76 14. Question of Jat resentment, 1976 January 2

Gwonga:
5 sound cassettes

Box 42, Item 77  
1. Introduction, 1975 September 11

Box 42, Item 78  
2. On Gwonga Kul, 1975 September 16

Box 42, Item 79  
3. Guthi and family responsibility, 1975 September 27

Box 42, Item 80  
4. Religion, heaven, death, 1975 September 30

Box 42, Item 81  
5. Nature of God(s), 1975 October 2

Kamela: 
9 sound cassettes

Box 43, Item 82  
1. Introduction, 1975 September 30

Box 43, Item 83  
2. Jat; Youth; Games; Ihi; Barha; Marriage, 1975 October 2

Box 43, Item 84  
3. Womans situation; Bhaktapur situation, 1975 October 4

Box 43, Item 85  
4. Darma; Escatology, 1975 October 7

Box 43, Item 86  
5. Dreams; Women's gods; Love; Male-female relations, 1975 October 11

Box 43, Item 87  
6. Father's 2nd marriage; Family relations; Caste reactions, 1975 October 17

Box 43, Item 88  
7. Jaiya; Social control; Chipa; Contamination; [illegible], 1975 October 17

Box 43, Item 89  
8. Untitled, circa 1975 October

Box 43, Item 90  
Short questions 0-10: Romantic love, Circa 1975 October

Puneswori (PuSw):  
12 sound cassettes

Box 43, Item 93  
1. Household routines; Jatras, circa 1975 August

Box 43, Item 94  
2. Women's festivals, Samiskars; Gods, circa 1975 August

Box 43, Item 95  
3. Childbirth and after, 1975 September 1

Box 43, Item 96  
4. Dreams and baksi, 1975 September 9

Box 43, Item 97  
5. Evaluations of her life, 1975 September 15

Box 43, Item 98  
6. Menstruation; Male and female home differences, 1975 September 22

Box 43, Item 99  
7. Friendship; Arguments; Anger, 1975 September 24

Box 43, Item 100  
8. Stress; Death, 1975 September 26

Box 43, Item 101  
9. On child rearing and son's future, 1975 October 6

Box 43, Item 102  
10. Sacrifice; Baksi; Lajya; Social controls, 1975 October 8
Box 43, Item 103  11. Lore; Love; Goddesses; Caste; Family relations, 1975 October 15
Box 43, Item 104  12. Sex, 1975 October 20

PuR (Punya Ram):
22 sound cassettes
1 sound cassette; Copy SR 113 and SR 114.

Box 43, Item 105  1. Kaieta Puja III, 1975 May 10
Box 43, Item 106  2. Marriage, 1975 May 20
Box 43, Item 107  3. Death; Samskars; Post death state; Karma all, 1975 May 20
Box 43, Item 108  4. Jatras, 1975 May 31
Box 43, Item 109  5. On gods, 1975 June 7
Box 43, Item 110  6. Sacrifice, 1975 June 7
Box 43, Item 111  7. Identity; Ethnic identity; Language, 1975 June 14
Box 43, Item 112  8. On Bhaktapur, 1975 June 14
Box 44, Item 113  9. Friendship, 1975 June 20
Box 44, Item 114  10. Jat and kuhl, 1975 June 21
Box 44, Item 115  11. Spirits, 1975 June 28
Box 44, Item 116  12. Dreams, 1975 June 28
Box 44, Item 117  13. Moral controls, 1975 August 27
Box 44, Item 118  14. Anger, 1975 September 3
Box 44, Item 119  15. Pathologies, 1975 September 3
Box 44, Item 120  16. Family relations; Discipline, 1975 September 10
Box 44, Item 121  17. Marriage; Personal, 1975 September 10
Box 44, Item 122  18. Tantra, etc; Identification; Child discipline, 1975 September 10
Box 44, Item 123  19. Time, space, 1975 September 17
Box 44, Item 124  20. Shame; Sexual behavior, 1975 September 24
Box 44, Item 125  21. Dirt, contamination, cremation, death; Homosexuality; Women's roles, 1975 October 1
Box 44, Item 126  22. Jakri and Bakshi, 1975 October 8

RhB:
14 sound cassettes

Box 44, Item 127  1. Childhood; Home description; Relations with present family, 1973 July
Box 44, Item 128
2. Childhood, 1973 July 21

Box 44, Item 129
3. Age 14 to 19, 1973 August 12

Box 44, Item 130

Box 44, Item 131
5. Sex, 1973 August 13

Box 44, Item 132

Box 44, Item 133
7. Drugs; Anger; Conscience, 1973 August 21

Box 44, Item 134
8. Death, self, dreams, 1973 August 22

Box 44, Item 135
9. Caste; Contamination; Women's bodies, 1973 August 26

Box 44, Item 136
10. Ghosts and demons; Religion, 1973 September 5

Box 44, Item 137
11. Religion; Sacrifice; Animals, 1973 September 5-September 9

Box 44, Item 138
12. Family and public festivals, 1973 September 13

Box 44, Item 139
13. Children, Circa 1973 September

Box 44, Item 140

RP:
2 sound cassettes

Box 45, Item 141
Ta cayga; Bhut; Maya, undated

Box 45, Item 142
Death, undated

Sukuman:
26 sound cassettes

Box 45, Item 143
1. Introduction, 1975 September 18

Box 45, Item 144
2. On Jat, 1975 September 24

Box 45, Item 145
3. First marriage; Marriage and death; Samskars, 1975 September 29

Box 45, Item 146
4. Samskar and customs; Gods, 1975 October 3

Box 45, Item 147
5. Jat situation and relation with Jyapu's, 1975 October 6

Box 45, Item 148
6. Jat situation, 1975 October 8

Box 45, Item 149
7. Relations with low Jats; General Jat condition, 1975 October 23

Box 45, Item 150
8. Daily religion; Gods; Jat condition, 1975 October 24

Box 45, Item 151
9. Special gods; Special guthi work; Dirtyness, 1975 October 27

Box 45, Item 152
10. Death; Rebirth; Darma, 1975 October

Box 45, Item 153
11. Dreams; Spirits; Jakri, 1975 October 30
Box 45, Item 154  12. Childhood; Family; Eating dead animals; Jat history and situation, 1975 November 11
Box 45, Item 155  13. Agression; Father's nature; a long story, 1975 November 20
Box 45, Item 156  14. Begging; Parent's nature; Relations; Childhood lessons; Chipa; Graha, 1975 November 21
Box 45, Item 157  15. Eclipse; Begging, 1975 October 28
Box 45, Item 158  16. Childhood games; Poverty; Marriage; Relations with parents, 1975 December 1
Box 45, Item 159  17. Childhood learning, 1975 December 3
Box 45, Item 160  18. Social controls; Jat; Lajya; Social relations with K's father, 1975 December 5
Box 45, Item 161  19. Sexuality and related Jat behavior, 1975 December 8
Box 45, Item 162  20. Tantra; Healing; Baksi; Opinions on healing, 1975 December 10
Box 45, Item 163  21. Heaven, sacrifice, 1975 December 17
Box 45, Item 164  22. Friendship and Jat situation, 1975 December 19
Box 45, Item 165  23. Soul; Time sense, 1975 December 19
Box 45, Item 166  24. Relation with wife; Love, 1975 December 24
Box 45, Item 167  25. Pathology and fear of relationship, 1975 December 31

Tejeswor:
12 sound cassettes

Box 46, Item 169  1. Jat, history and structure, 1975 October 28
Box 46, Item 170  2. Caste system, 1975 October 29
Box 46, Item 171  3. Gods, 1975 November 11-14
Box 46, Item 172  4. Religion; Sacrifice; Symbolism, 1975 November 17
Box 46, Item 173  5. Personal religious belief: Gods, karma, rebirth, death, suicide, 1975 November 28
Box 46, Item 174  6. Tantra, 1975 December 1
Box 46, Item 175  7. Love and marriage, 1976 January 14
Box 46, Item 176  8. Conscience, shame, 1976 January 15
Box 46, Item 177  9. Child rearing and attitudes towards wife, 1976 January 16
Box 46, Item 178  10. Self, identity, 1976 January 19
11. Childrearing; Time sense; Sex, 1976 January 21
12. Newars and modernization, 1976 February 5
UM: Miscellaneous, undated
   1 sound cassette

2.4: Research materials, 1959-1990, undated
Arranged in alphabetical order by topic or author of article.

Box 26
The ancient city, 1977-1980
Art, architecture, history (Tibetan and Newar), circa 1980s
Articles for research, 1979
Arts and crafts (Newar), 1972-1976
Chicago and Marriott (papers from), 1977-1978
   2 folders
Childhood: Newar, India, 1989
City census material, 1971
Cultural texts, 1986-1988
Death, reincarnation, 1990
Deities, pantheon (Hindu, Newar), 1970s
Digu-Dyo (Bulletin de l'Ecole Francaise), 1979
Ethnicity in Nepal, undated
Festival cycle, individual rituals, festivals, Kumari (Newar, Hindu), 1976-1978, undated
Gautam-vedic calendar, undated
Gould: Caste, 1959, 1971
Gutschow: Festivals, 1984-1985
Hindu joint family, undated
History of Kathmandu (research by Mahesh C. Regmi), 1975
Household budget surveys, undated
   2 folders
Box 27  
Indian cosmologies, 1975

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Interpersonal relationships in the Hindu family, 1970

Box 28  
Kirtipur papers, 1979-1982

Box 28  
Kondos: Nepali state, 1982

Box 28  
Kooij: Religion in Nepal, Newars, 1978

Language study materials:

Box 48, Item 248-253 (audio);  
Box 49, Item 254-260 (audio)  
Language study tapes, undated  
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Box 30  
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Box 30  
A Brief Newari-English dictionary: B onwards, 1976

Box 30  
Exercise books: Newari writing practice, undated  
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For theory paper: Notes on language, undated

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Language study notebook, 1968

Box 31  
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Box 31  
Malla: Newari language, 1981

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Box 32  Newar vocabulary analysis, 1969-1974
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Box 32  Shresta Carya dictionary, undated
Box 32  Tibeto-Burman Linguistics, Volume 3, 1970
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Box 32  Vocab, undated
Box 28  Lewis: Newars and Tibetans, 1987-1989
Box 28  Malla: Bhaktapur Vamsavali (IR30 CA Newar tape prestige elite), 1981
Box 28  Malla: Newar ethnicity, 1979
Box 28  Malla: Papers on Newari literature and linguistic archaeology, 1979-1981
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Box 69  Bhaktapur, undated
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Box 69  Castes, 1974-1975
Box 69  City divisions and city as a whole, circa 1974
   2 folders
Box 33  City divisions and city as a whole: Bhaktapur survey, 1977
Box 33  Copies of maps, undated
   2 folders
Map-folder 2-5  Kathmandu metropolitan region and Bhaktapur, undated
   4 folders
   Oversize maps. Some include annotations.
Box 33  Letter from Nils Gutschow regarding maps, 1974 May
Box 33  Maps (miscellaneous), undated
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Box 33  Marriott et. al, 1973-1977, undated
Box 33  Miscellaneous articles and papers, 1977-1988
   2 folders
Box 33  Miscellaneous page of typed notes, undated
Box 33  Muslims in Nepal, 1975
Box 33  Nepalese drawing, undated
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Box 33  Newar Buddhism, 1971-1982
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Box 33  New York Times article about Nepal, 1989 April
Box 33  Non-Newar Himalayan, 1983

Notecards:
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     1 box
Box 35  Cultural and language study, undated
     3 folders
Box 35; Box 36  Cultural study, undated
     3 folders
     1 box
Box 37  Newars cultural, undated
     1 box
Box 38  Obeyesekere, Gananath papers, undated
Box 38  Origin of the state, 1977
Box 38  Person, bibliography, identity, 1975, 1986-1987, undated
Box 38  Pollution, purity, food symbolism, 1965, 1978, undated
Box 38  Quigley, 1981-1986
Box 38  Reified culture: Psychology, India, undated

Research:
Box 38  The Economic Affairs Report by the Ministry of Economic Planning Nepal, 1966-1967
Box 38  Ancient Nepal, Journal of the Department of Archaeology, 1968-1971
     2 folders
Box 39  Nepal 1961 census, 1961
     5 folders
Box 39  Nepal, National Report on Human Environment, 1972
Box 39  Press and Publication Act, Nepal, 1962
Box 39  Works on Nepal in the Kaiser Library, Institute of Nepal and Asian Studies, 1974
Box 40  Rites of passage, initiation, etc. (Hindu, Newar), 1959-1982
Box 40  Roland: Hindu psychology, 1979
Box 40  Samaskara notes, undated
Box 40  Seymour: Family, child rearing, 1975-1984
Box 40  Shame, guilt, morality, 1971, undated
Box 40  Shweder: Hindu moral issues, 1985
Box 40  Sino-Tibetan Nepal and Himalayan communities, 1982
Box 40  Social structure, economy: Hindu, Newar, circa 1971 - circa 1982
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Box 40  Space, city, personal (Hindu and Newar), 1960-1976
Box 40  Special materials, 1977
Box 41  Special materials: Semantic lists, circa 1977
Box 41  Special materials: Tantric puja, circa 1977
   Includes 3 photographs of Levy demonstrating hand motions.
Box 41  Special subjects: Basic Newar materials, circa 1977 - circa 1978
Box 41  Statistical material: Nepal, 1969-1971
Box 41  Structures, 1972
Box 41  Tantra, 1987
Box 41  Tellbet: Nine Durgas, 1978
Box 41  Theory, miscellaneous Indian papers, sacred space (Yalman, Marriott,
   Dumont, etc), 1956-1980
   2 folders
Box 41  Toffin papers, 1975-1986
Box 41  Untouchables, 1973-1974
Box 41  Urban theory, 1972
Box 41  Wachi paper, 1980-1981
Box 41  Witzel, 1976-1978
Box 41  Witzel: Indian historical writing, undated

2.5: Other sound recordings, 1973-1975, undated

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Sound recordings are grouped together based on original titles.

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| Box 43, Item 92                                                                  | 2: Nirshana [sp?], undated                                       |
|                                                                                  | *1 sound cassette*                                               |
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|                                                                                  | *1 sound cassette*                                               |
| Box 48, Item 229                                                                 | Story of Ramjur, undated                                         |
|                                                                                  | *1 sound cassette*                                               |

Music:

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|                                                                                  | <em>1 sound cassette</em>                                               |
| Box 48, Item 231                                                                 | 2: Ranji and group bajan, undated                                |
|                                                                                  | <em>1 sound cassette</em>                                               |
| Box 48, Item 232                                                                 | 3: Ramji Bajan, undated                                          |
|                                                                                  | <em>1 sound cassette</em>                                               |
| Box 48, Item 233                                                                 | 4: House, drum, cymbal chants, undated                           |
|                                                                                  | <em>1 sound cassette</em>                                               |
| Box 48, Item 234                                                                 | 5: Marriage music, undated                                       |
|                                                                                  | <em>1 sound cassette</em>                                               |
| Box 48, Item 235                                                                 | Jyapu in field, 1973 June                                       |
|                                                                                  | <em>1 sound cassette</em>                                               |
| Box 48, Item 236                                                                 | Veda chants: Popular Nepali song, 1974 January                   |
|                                                                                  | <em>1 sound cassette</em>                                               |
| Box 48, Item 237                                                                 | Gwonga: Swastari [sp?], undated                                  |
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Series 3: Professional activities, 1947-2001, undated

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This series, dated 1949-2001, undated is comprised of materials relating to Levy’s academic and professional output over the course of his career. This primarily consists of files about his books, articles, essays, lectures; course materials from his time as a professor at the University of California, San Diego (UCSD); and conference files.

The book files include correspondence with publishers and reviews and press for Tahitians; drafts, correspondence, and photographs for Mesocosm; and notes, outlines and analyses for Microcosm, a planned second volume about Nepal that was never completed. Notes, drafts, and published copies of articles and essays are included in this series, along with copies of lectures. Two sound cassettes of a lecture from 1983 are present in this series. There is a contingent of early work, from Levy’s time as a psychiatrist, that deals with psychiatric and psychological topics. The course files include lecture notes, syllabi, and other planning materials. Also included in this series is a minimal amount of material by others that Levy might have been reviewing or using for research, along with a few files on academic appointments and committees.


This subseries includes correspondence with publishers and reviews and press for Tahitians; drafts, correspondence, and photographs for Mesocosm; and notes, outlines and analyses for Microcosm, a second volume about Nepal that was never completed.

The materials in this subseries are divided by book.

*Tahitians:*

Box 50  
Correspondence, 1971-1976

Box 50  
Miscellaneous notes, undated

Box 50  
Reviews and press, 1973-1975, undated  
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Box 50  
Reviews of Tahitians and National Book Award information, 1974

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Box 50  
University of Chicago Press correspondence, 1972-1976  
2 folders

Box 50  
University of Chicago Press, regarding french translation of Tahitians, 1983 October

*Mesocosm:*

Box 50  
Appendices, 1989
Box 50-51  Book prep, word lists, maps, publicity, 1989-1991
      5 folders
Box 51    Contents, indexes, circa 1977-circa 1978
Box 51    Correspondence: Questions for book, 1982-1984
Box 51-52 Early manuscript for book about Nepal, circa 1980
      10 folders
Box 52    Index, 1978
Box 52    Kedar's letters, 1980-1983
      Correspondence from Levy's collaborator, Kedar Raj Rajopadhyaya, on
      Mesocosm.
Box 52    Materials to take to Wengen [sp?], 1989
Box 53    Photographs of Nepalese masks, undated
Box 54    Photo transparencies, undated
Box 53    Proof photographs for Mesocosm, undated
      3 folders

Microcosm:

Box 53    Book notes, 1993-1995
Box 53    Book notes, outlines, 1990-1995
Box 53    Book outline, 1995
Box 53    Outline for book (1), 1995
Box 53    Chapter 1 introduction, 1991
Box 53    Notes and correspondence, 1991

Notes, individual interview analysis:

Box 55    Part 1, 1991
      3 folders
Box 55    Part 2, circa 1991
      4 folders
Box 55    Part 3, 1992
      3 folders
Box 53    Preface, end notes, undated
Box 53    Sukumana, for chapter 2, 1991
3.2: Articles, essays, and lectures, circa 1960-1999, undated

This subseries includes writings and lectures by Levy. Also included are notes that possibly relate to topics addressed in the writings and lectures.

Arranged in chronological order.

Box 56  Miscellaneous reprints of published papers, circa 1960 - 1992
Box 56  “Some Reasons Why the Tahitians are Bad Scientists,” seminar discussion and notes, circa 1964
Box 56  “C” (Interview notes, Cagle and other Hawaiians), 1965
Box 56  Presentation materials: Cultural aspects of incest, 1967
Box 56  Active papers, reprints: Correspondence, 1967-1969
Box 56  “The Community Function of Tahiitan Male Transvestitism”, 1971 January
Box 56  “Notes on being adult in different places”, 1977
Box 56  “On thinking about private and public worlds; notes on method in psychological anthropology”, circa 1977
   2 folders; 2 copies
Box 56  Papers and notes: Cultural Universals, 1977, 1982, 1988, undated
   3 folders
Box 56  “Cognition, Marked Symbols, and Communication”, post 1977
Box 56  Handwritten notes on maturity, probably 1980s
Box 56  Levy and Roy Rappaport on Gregory Bateson: Bateson obituary, 1980
Box 57  Berkeley, Newar perspective, 1980, undated
Box 57  “Embedded and marked symbolism” (final versions), 1980-1985
   3 folders
Box 57  “Horror and Tragedy: The Wings and Center of the Moral Stage”, post 1981
Box 57  Book reviews, 1981-1982
Box 57  “Social Change and the Church in French Polynesia”, 1982
Box 57  “The Cultural Heritage of the Kathmandu Valley, a survey of active research workers and their research interests”, circa 1982
Box 57  “Emotion, knowing and culture”, 1983
Box 57  “The Emotions in Comparative Perspective”, post 1983
Box 57  Study on solar energy in Tuamotuan communities, 1983
Box 49, Item 261-262  "The Symbolic Life of a Sacred Nepalese Hindu City", 1983
   2 sound cassettes
   Lecture by Levy.

Box 57  "Archais Urban Order, Marked Symbolism and Epistemology", 1984

Box 57  "Mead, Freeman, and Samoa: The Problem of Seeing Things as they Are", 1984

Box 57  Lecture: Ritual nabha durga, circa 1984

Box 57  "The Emotions in Comparative Perspective", circa 1984

Box 58  "Methodology in the anthropological study of emotion", 1986

Box 58  "Anthropology as whose handmaiden? Comparative Psychiatry of Psychiatric Anthropology?", 1987

Box 58  "Hommage a Theophile Kahn", 1987

Box 58  "The normalization of Polynesia; a way of looking back", 1987-1988

Box 58  Letter from Bruce Kapferer, University College London, 1988
   About writing an article.

Box 58  "Notes on the quest for mind in different times and different places", 1988
   2 folders; 2 copies

Box 58  "On the prospect and problems of person-centered ethnography" (draft version), 1989

Box 58  "On the true heritage of the Kathmandu Valley", 1990s

Box 58  "A Prologue to Psychiatric Anthropology", 1990

Box 58  "On the Relationship Between Valley and Out of Valley Dialects of Newari", 1990

Box 58  "Person-centered ethnography", 1991

Box 58  Lecture: A meditation on Brahmans, 1991

Box 58  "Placing the Classic: On space in different kinds of communities", 1994

Box 58  "Essential contrasts: Differences in parental ideas about learners and teaching in Tahiti and Nepal", 1996

Box 58  Abstract/outline "Comparative Cultural Psychology" and related materials, 1996

Box 58  Materials for selected papers, circa 1999

Box 58  "Cognition, Marked Symbols, and Communication", undated

Box 58  "Commentaire pour Tahiti, Cote Montagne", undated

Box 58  "Comments for Tahiti, Cote Montagne", undated
Box 58  “Feeling and emotion in an anthropological perspective”, undated
Box 58  “Heroes of Memory” essay, undated
Box 58  “Local Rationality, Ideal Rationality and Emotion”, undated
Box 58  Notes and drafts, handwritten, undated
Box 58  “Notes on Bateson” and “Translating Bateson”, undated
Box 58  Tahiti lectures: Theory, cultural, stress, mental illness, sexual, undated
Box 58  “Thoughts on a Tahitian University”, undated

3.3: Course materials, 1968-1997, undated
This subseries consists of lecture notes, syllabi, and other planning materials primarily for the courses Levy taught at the University of California, San Diego.
Arranged in chronological order.

Box 59  Lecture: Man and his Culture, 1968-1969
Box 59  Course: Mind of Primitive Man, 1969
Box 59  Ind/Soc, 1971, undated
   3 folders
Box 59  The Primitive Mind, 1972-1973
Box 59  Course lectures: Culture, psychopathology, and deviance, 1972 Fall
Symbolism course:
Box 59  Anthro 150: Culture, communications and meaning, 1981
Box 59  Culture, communication (Anthro 150), 1981-1984
   4 folders
Box 59  Symbolism, meaning (Winter 1984), 1984
Box 60  1988
Box 60  Anthro 150, 1988 Spring
Box 60  Parental fantasy paper, 1991-1992
Box 60  Lecture notes, 1984
Box 60  UCSD: Hinduism course, 1985

This subseries contains files regarding conference attendance and participation. There is a substantial amount of material about a conference on Bhaktapur in Lubek, Germany in 1985 that Levy helped plan.

Arranged in chronological order.

Box 62  Presentation notes: Western psychological association, 1965 June 15
Box 62  Presentation notes: IAP, 1965 June 16
Box 62  AAA: Psychological anthropology, 1976-1977
Box 62  Talk for American Anthropological Association meeting, 1977
Box 62  Material for International Conference on the Urban Culture of Nepal, Kiel, 1981

Bhaktapur Lubek conference 1985:
  Conference Levy helped plan.

Box 62  Elite, copies of letters, 1981
Box 62  Conference plans, 1981-1983
Box 62  Letters and filled out questionnaires, 1981-1983
Box 62  Miscellaneous correspondence and notes, 1981-1983
3.5: Early work, 1947-1959, undated

This series comprises work completed by Levy when he was a psychiatrist, prior to his career as an anthropologist.

Arranged in chronological order.

Box 70  Case study notes with patient name, 1947
        Restricted until 2027.

Box 63  Book review by Levy, 1949

Box 63  Case presentation (psychology), 1950 May 2

Box 63  Paper for course BS-9 “Freud's Papers on Technique”, circa 1950

Box 63  Child psychology: Case study notes, circa 1950s

Box 63  Talks regarding benefits of camp for children, 1951-1952

Box 63  World Federation for Mental Health participation, 1952

Box 64  Levy papers: Mental health conference notes, 1952-1956

Box 64  Material for panel, USAREUR Medical-Surgical conference: “Problems in Child Psychology”, 1954 June

Box 64  Partial report or talk on psychosomatic syndromes, 1955

Box 64  “Psychogenic Musculoskeletal Reactions”, 1955

Box 64  Article about working as a psychiatrist behind the Iron Curtain, 1957
Box 64  "Notes on Science's Challenge to Man", 1957
Box 64  "On the Effective Factors in Psychotherapy", 1957 December
Box 64  Miscellaneous papers: Regarding mental health topics, 1957-1958
Box 64  Psychotherapy (papers regarding), 1957, 1977
Box 64  "The Psychodynamic Functions of Alcohol", 1958
Box 64  "Open Ward Management of Acute Alcoholism", 1958
Box 64  "A Study on the Nonsegregated Hospitalization of Alcoholic Patients in a
        General Hospital", 1959
Box 64  Berkeley scale, 1959, undated
Box 64  Psychocom [sp?] meeting: "Voluntary Control of Usually Involuntary
        Processes", undated

Material included with Levy's materials regarding his professional activities. Includes materials he was
reviewing for others or materials that may have been kept for research purposes.

Box 64  Papers on Gaugin by Bengt Danielsson, 1967
Box 64  The Institute of Pacific Studies report, 1982 October
Box 64  Papers by Roy Rappaport, 1988, undated
        2 folders
Box 64  "Revising Caste?" by Michael Moffatt, signed, 1997
Box 65  "Dissociative Models of Mind and the Problem of Psychocultural Adaptation"
        Douglas Hollan (with Levy notes), 1999
Box 65  Doug's paper, economics, undated
Box 70  National Science Foundation proposal (student), 1982
        Contains personal student information. Restricted until 2044.

This series contains files on miscellaneous academic matters including fellowships, a program proposal,
and committee work. It also includes copies of Levy's curriculum vitae.
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This series consists of 35mm color slides from Levy’s fieldwork in Tahiti, from 1961-1964, and Nepal, from 1973-1976, depicting adults, children, daily activities, rituals, and some landscapes. Some of the images from Nepal were used in the book *Mesocosm*. Duplicates of images exist between the various sets of slides that were assembled by Levy presumably for lectures, conference presentations, publications, and personal use.

This series is arranged in four sets based on the original labels assigned to the slides by Levy.

**Tahiti:**

Box 66
- Book: Tahiti background, undated
  - 8 color slides

Box 66
- Class Tahiti, undated
  - 4 color slides

Box 66
- Miscellaneous Tahiti, undated
  - 13 color slides

Box 66
- People, Haapu, 1961
  - 18 color slides

Box 66
- Terii Taroo Ma, Haapu, 1961
  - 11 color slides

Box 66
- Untitled Tahiti slides, undated
  - 22 color slides

**Nepal:**

Box 67
- For *Mesocosm*, undated
  - 13 color slides

Box 67
- Masks and Seto Bhairava, undated
  - 13 color slides

Box 67
- Miscellaneous slides, 1973 - circa 1978
  - 48 color slides

Box 67
- Museum, 1974
  - 14 color slides

Box 67
- Separated to make prints, 1973-1974
  - 37 color slides

Box 67
- Untitled Nepal sets 1-9, 1973-1974
  - 328 color slides

**Slides from Tahiti and/or Nepal:**

Box 68
- Teaching set, 1973-1976, undated
  - 257 color slides
Box 68  Box 1, 1975-1978
        221 color slides

Box 65  Box 1 original note sheet, undated

Box 68  Box 2, 1973-1977
        133 color slides

Box 65  Box 2 original note sheet, undated

Other mixed sets of slides:

Box 66  3, undated
        11 color slides

Box 66  Anthro 150: Class slides, undated
        25 color slides

Box 66  Anthro 150: Blake, Progress West, undated
        19 color slides

Box 66  Aperture, 1974, undated
        9 color slides

Box 66  Book slides, undated
        28 color slides

Box 66  Class, Thangka, undated
        32 color slides

Box 66  Dupes Nepal and Tahiti, undated
        22 color slides

Box 66  From slide carousel, undated
        57 color slides

Box 66  Nepal miscellaneous 262, number 1, undated
        113 color slides

Box 66  Nepal miscellaneous 262, number 2, undated
        86 color slides

Box 66  Tahiti 262, number 3, undated
        27 color slides

Box 66  Pages number 1, 1961, 1974
        25 color slides

Box 66  Pages number 2, basic Nepal book, undated
        21 color slides

        13 color slides

Box 66  Untitled set: Tahiti and Nepal, 1974-1976, undated
        79 color slides