

And A Guide to the

1973 Memorial Medical School Convocation photographs collection

COLL – 048

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Title: 1973 Memorial Medical School Convocation photographs collection

Date: Date of creation: 1973. Date of reproduction: 2008. Date of digital copies of photographs received: 2023

Extent: 30 digital photographs

Administrative History:

The first 16 students of the Memorial medical school were enrolled in September, 1969. The original three divisions in the Faculty of Medicine at the time, as listed in the university calendar, were Cell Studies, Clinical Studies and Community Medicine.

Dr. Ian Rusted was appointed as the first Dean of Medicine in 1967. His official role commenced on September 1, 1967. Dr. K.B. Roberts, professor of physiology was appointed the First Associate Dean of Medicine on September 1, 1968.

First year medical students received in-hospital training gaining experience working in family medicine, cottage hospitals and public health programs.

In September 1970, thirty-two students were selected to attend Memorial University's medical school. There were a total of 56 students in 1970. The first group of students, 16, were admitted in September 1969. Due to flexibilities in the curriculum, 23 students entered in the second year program, they were able to bypass the first year program as many of them already held a PhD or M.Sc. A four-year curriculum for the medical school was approved by the Senate, meaning that the students who enrolled in 1969 would receive their MD in May 1973.

Custodial history:

The photographs were in the custody of Dr. Rosemary Hutchison prior to being donated to the Faculty of Medicine Founders' Archive in 2008. The photographs are reproductions of slides from the early days of the Memorial medical school. The photographs were presented at the Annual Medical Graduate Students Reunion in 2008.

Scope and content:

Collection consists of digital photograph copies of reproductions of slides from the early days (1970's) of the Memorial medical school.

Source of title:

Title is based on contents of the photographs contained in the collection.

Acquisition:

The slides of photographs were donated to the Faculty of Medicine Founders' Archive in 2008 by Dr. Rosemary Hutchison who was in the first graduating class of the Memorial medical school (1973).

Arrangement:

When the slides of photographs belonging to Dr. Rosemary Hutchison arrived at the Faculty of Medicine Founders' Archive, they were sent to MAVS (now HSIMS) for transfer on to two CD's. Appropriate order and organization was imposed. Collection is arranged into the following series:

1.0 Photographs from the 1973 Convocation of the Memorial medical school

Restrictions:

There are no restrictions on access to or use of the materials in this collection. Users should be aware that all materials in this collection are protected by copyright and should act accordingly. It is the responsibility of the researcher to obtain copyright clearance from the copyright holder(s).

Accruals:

Further accruals are possible.

Location:

COLL-048, Faculty of Medicine Founders' Archive

Finding Aid:

Faculty of Medicine Founders' Archive finding aid #048. Item level control

Series and Sub-series Listing

* Two CD's of photographs reproduced by MAVS (now HSIMS) were lost. In February, 2023, Jennifer Armstrong, HSIMS sent digital copies of the photographs to Melissa Hefford, Archival Assistant, Faculty of Medicine Founders' Archive.

1. Photographs from the 1973 Convocation of the Memorial medical school

1.01 Photographs from the 1973 Convocation of the Memorial medical school

- 1.01.01 Unidentified people at a table at the 1973 Convocation reception
- 1.01.02 Chancellor George Alain Frecker addressing the 1973 Convocation
- 1.01.03 First Dean of Medicine, Dr. Ian Rusted and unidentified people at 1973 Convocation
- 1.01.04 First Dean of Medicine, Dr. Ian Rusted addressing the 1973 Convocation with Mrs. Beatrice Rowe, wife of Dr. Augustus T. Rowe, Minister of Health seated on his right
- 1.01.05 Unidentified people at head table looking at portrait of Dr. Ian Rusted, which was unveiled at the 1973 Convocation, from the students of the first graduating class of the Memorial medical school
- 1.01.06 Chancellor George Alain Frecker and three unidentified people
- 1.01.07 Chancellor George Alain Frecker and unidentified people
- 1.01.08 1973 Convocation reception guests
- 1.01.09 Unidentified person addressing the 1973 Convocation
- 1.01.10 Chancellor George Alain Frecker and an unidentified person placing a convocation hood on unidentified graduate
- 1.01.11 Unidentified graduate at the 1973 Convocation reception
- 1.01.12 Chancellor George Alain Frecker congratulating unidentified graduate
- 1.01.13 Unidentified 1973 Convocation reception guests
- 1.01.14 Unidentified people at 1973 Convocation reception
- 1.01.15 Two unidentified people at 1973 Convocation reception
- 1.01.16 Unidentified person at 1973 Convocation reception
- 1.01.17 Dr. David Moores and Dr. Mark Chalom at 1973 Convocation reception
- 1.01.18 Dr. Ian Rusted and an unidentified person at 1973 Convocation reception
- 1.01.19 Unidentified guests at 1973 Convocation reception
- 1.01.20 Unidentified guests conversing at 1973 Convocation reception
- 1.01.21 Four unidentified people – 1970's
- 1.01.22 Unidentified physicians – 1970's
- 1.01.23 Dr. Ian Rusted and his wife, Mrs. Ellen Marie Hansen – 1970's
- 1.01.24 Dr. John Ross with unidentified nurses – 1970's
- 1.01.25 Unidentified person – 1970's
- 1.01.26 Unidentified person – 1970's
- 1.01.27 Dr. David Moores with wife Gail Moores, Dr. Diane Banikhin, Dr. Don Eddy and Dr. Adolphe Giovannini at 1973 Convocation reception
- 1.01.28 Four unidentified people - 1970's

1.01.29 Two unidentified people – 1970's

1.01.30 Dr. John (Tommy) Tomlinson and an unidentified person– 1970's