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Record Group:
College Catalogs and Schedules

Overview of the Collection

Title:	College Catalogs and Schedules
Inclusive Dates:	1867-2011
Extent:	12-Boxes
Language:	English
Repository:	SUNY Cortland College Archives Memorial Library 81 Prospect Terrace Cortland, NY 13045 https://cortland.libguides.com/c.php?g=354291

Biographical History

The SUNY College at Cortland was founded in 1868 as the Cortland Normal School. This was a two-year institution designed to help train future teachers. In 1919 the original College burned down. It was located in Downtown Cortland, but in 1923 was moved to the top of the hill, where it remains to this day. The two-year curriculum model lasted until 1938 when it was extended to four years. In 1941 The College became the Cortland State Teachers College. The transition into a bachelor's program and a liberal arts college was starting to emerge. In 1947 master's programs were created and one year later became a charter member of the State University of New York. However, Cortland did not change their name again until 1961 when it officially became State University of New York College at Cortland (SUNY Cortland)..

Scope and Content Note

The College Catalogs and Schedules detail various course listings, faculty members, departmental information, degree requirements, policies, admissions, campus life, financial information, housing, calendars, exam schedules, and more. The collection is comprised of paper-based materials. Titles in this collection vary based on the specific information in each catalog. Some catalogs are for undergraduate students, graduate students, undergraduate & graduate students or general-purpose catalogs. Summer catalogs, Physical Education Summer catalogs, and the catalog supplement which includes corrected course listings published after the original catalog was already disseminated are also collected. Aside from the catalog, the Bulletin and Circular are included in this collection as well. The Bulletin was the publication method for Cortland at the time to list and describe the available courses and activities. This is not to be

confused with the College Bulletin, which more or less acts as the official newsletter of SUNY Cortland today. The Circular includes a list of regulations, faculty members, information on the classrooms & Cortland Normal School Building, it also includes various course listings as well. Circulars transformed into “college catalogs” across the country beginning in the early 20th Century. The wide range of this collection lists the changes in curriculum throughout the decades of SUNY Cortland.

Related Materials

Materials have been digitized and exist online at Digital Commons.

<https://digitalcommons.cortland.edu/collegecatalogs/>

The archival collection of College Catalogs exists in print up from 1867-2011, however, for more recent editions of the College Catalog, please view the College webpage below.

Catalogs from 2003-present are available at <https://www2.cortland.edu/academics/archived-college-catalogs.dot>

Access

No special restrictions for access exist. It is not completely digitized however, travel to Cortland may be required to access the full scope of the materials.

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College Catalogs & Schedules, SUNY Cortland College Archives, Cortland, NY

Processing Information

This collection is fully processed and exists within updated folders and boxes.

Finding Aid Information

Created by Jeremy Pekarek, Spring 2020.

Arrangement

Collection is processed to the folder level. It is arranged by sub-group and series. There are two sub-groups to this collection; College Catalogs, and Course Schedules. The College Catalogs are arranged by era they represent, and the Course Schedules are arranged by type.

Inventory

Sub-Group 1: College Catalogs

Series 1: State Normal & Training School

Container 1	Container 2	Title	Date
Box 108	Folder 1	Bulletin	1936-1942
Box 108	Folder 2	Circular of the State Normal School	1867
Box 108	Folder 3	Circular of the State Normal School	1892-1935
Box 108	Folder 4	Department of Education: State Normal School	1913-1920
Box 108	Folder 5	Department of Public Instruction	Circa 1890
Box 108	Folder 6	Summer School of Physical Education	1924-1932
Box 108	Folder 7	Summer Session	1933-1941

Series 2: New York State Teacher's College

Container 1	Container 2	Title	Date
Box 109	Folder 1	Bulletin	1942-1943
Box 109	Folder 2	General Catalog	1941-1950
Box 109	Folder 3	Summer Session	1942-1950

Series 3: State University of New York Teachers College

Container 1	Container 2	Title	Date
Box 109	-	General Catalogs	1950-1966
Box 109	-	General Catalogs	1959-1966
Box 109	-	Summer Session	1947-1959
Box 109	-	Summer Session	1960-1967

Series 4: State University of New York College at Cortland

Box 110	-	General Catalog	1961-1966
Box 110	-	General Catalog	1966-1967
Box 110	-	General Catalog	1967-1968
Box 110	-	General Catalog	1968-1969
Box 110	-	General Catalog	1969-1971
Box 111	-	Graduate Catalog	1968-1970
Box 111	-	Graduate Catalog	1970-1972
Box 111	-	Graduate Catalog	1972-1976
Box 111	-	Graduate Catalog	1976-1978
Box 111	-	Graduate Catalog	2003-2004
Box 111	-	Graduate Catalog	2004-2006
Box 112	-	Undergraduate Catalog	1970-1971
Box 112	-	Undergraduate Catalog	1971-1974
Box 112	-	Undergraduate Catalog	1974-1975
Box 112	-	Undergraduate Catalog	1975-1977
Box 112	-	Undergraduate Catalog	1977-1979
Box 112	-	Undergraduate Catalog	1979-1981
Box 112	-	Undergraduate Catalog	2001-2002
Box 112	-	Undergraduate Catalog	2003-2004
Box 112	-	Undergraduate Catalog	2004-2005
Box 112	-	Undergraduate Catalog	2005-2006

Box 112	-	Undergraduate Catalog	2006-2007
Oversize 3	-	Undergraduate Catalog	2007-2008
Oversize 3	-	Undergraduate Catalog	2010-2011
Box 113	-	Undergraduate & Graduate Catalog	1981-1983
Box 113	-	Undergraduate & Graduate Catalog	1983-1984
Box 113	-	Undergraduate & Graduate Catalog	1984-1985
Box 113	-	Undergraduate & Graduate Catalog	1985-1986
Box 113	-	Undergraduate & Graduate Catalog	1986-1987
Box 113	-	Undergraduate & Graduate Catalog	1987-1988
Box 113	-	Undergraduate & Graduate Catalog	1988-1989
Box 113	-	Undergraduate & Graduate Catalog	1989-1990
Box 113	-	Undergraduate & Graduate Catalog	1990-1991
Box 113	-	Undergraduate & Graduate Catalog	1991-1992
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Box 114	-	Undergraduate & Graduate Catalog	1998-2000
Box 114	-	Undergraduate & Graduate Catalog	2000-2001
Box 114	-	Undergraduate & Graduate Catalog	2001-2002
Box 114	-	Undergraduate & Graduate Catalog	2002-2003
Box 115	Folder 1	Summer Session	1951-1970
Box 115	Folder 2	Summer Session	1971-1975
Box 115	-	Catalog Supplement	1971
Box 115	-	Catalog Supplement	1971-1972
Box 115	-	Catalog Supplement	1973
Box 115	-	Catalog Supplement	1974
Box 115	-	Catalog Supplement	1976-1977

Sub-Group 2: Course Schedules

Series 1: Spring & Fall Schedule of Courses

Container 1	Container 2	Title	Date
Box 116	Folder 1	Schedule of Courses	1982-1988
Box 116	Folder 2	Schedule of Courses	1989-1992
Box 116	Folder 3	Schedule of Courses	1993-1996

Series 2: Master Schedules

Container 1	Container 2	Title	Date
Box 116	Folder 4	Schedule of Classes	1960-1963
Box 117	Folder 1	Schedule of Classes	1963-1969
Box 117	Folder 2	Schedule of Classes	1970-1977
Box 117	Folder 3	Schedule of Classes	1977-1982

Series 3: Summer Session Courses

Container 1	Container 2	Title	Date
Box 118	Folder 1	Summer Session	1953-1989
Box 118	Folder 2	Summer Session	1990-1999

Series 4: Mohawk Valley Graduate Center

Container 1	Container 2	Title	Date
Box 118	Folder 3	Schedule of Courses	1985-2000
Box 118	Folder 4	Schedule of Courses	2001-2004

Series 5: Final Examination Schedules

Container 1	Container 2	Title	Date
Box 119	Folder 1	Finals	1967-2002

Series 6: Continuing Education

Container 1	Container 2	Title	Date
Box 119	Folder 2	Bulletin: Graduate Studies	1975-1978
Box 119	Folder 3	Evening and Weekend Classes	1967-1974
Box 119	Folder 4	Extension Courses Offerings	1965-1967