
Preliminary Guide to the John Ridland Collection, ca. 1957-1999

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Acquisition Information

Donated by John Ridland, 1998 and 2001.

Biography

John Ridland is a UCSB Professor of English, Emeritus, a poet, and a supporter of local literary endeavors. Several of his published works are located in Special Collections. They can be searched on Pegasus, the UCSB Libraries online catalog.

Ridland also was a longtime faculty advisor and contributor to the UCSB student literary publication, *Spectrum*.

Series 1. **Poetry/literature**

Scope and Content Note

Material relating to Santa Barbara area poets and presses, including ephemera and other items laid in printed works. Monographs and serials have been cataloged individually and may be searched in Pegasus, the UCSB Libraries online catalog.

Box 1: 1

Ephemera and laid-in items

Box 1: 2

Magazines, newspapers and other serials (mainly single issues, including Jan. 1976 issue of *The Fly*, produced in Isla Vista)

Series 2. **Isla Vista-related items**

Scope and Content Note

Isla Vista items relating to the troubles of 1970 and including a piece by Ridland entitled "Eyes and Ears on Isla Vista: An Unpublished Review from 1970."

Box 1: 3

Eyes and Ears on Isla Vista: An Unpublished Review from 1970, by John Ridland

Box 1: 4

Newspaper accounts of Isla Vista troubles (*El Gaucho*, *LA Times*, and *Maine Times*), 1970

Series 3. *Spectrum* files

Scope and Content Note

Ridland's files as faculty advisor of the UCSB student publication, *Spectrum*.

Box 1: 5	1969-1978
Box 1: 6	1978-1979
Box 1: 7	Anthology, 1980
Box 1: 8	1980-1986
Box 1: 9	1986-1988
Box 1: 10	1988-1997
Box 1: 11	1997-1999
Box 1: 12	Prizes and Publicity, ca. 1957-1989