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## Finding Aid - Ms. Bob Davis collection (SC668)

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# Ms. Bob Davis collection

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## Summary information

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<b>Repository:</b>	University of Victoria Special Collections and University Archives
<b>Title:</b>	Ms. Bob Davis collection
<b>Reference code:</b>	SC668
<b>Date:</b>	1940 - 2016 (date of creation)
<b>Physical description:</b>	0.06 m of textual records.
<b>Note [generalNote]:</b>	Part of the Transgender Archive.
<b>Note [generalNote]:</b>	Formerly part of record group AR496.

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## Scope and content

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The collection consists of materials collected by Ms. Bob Davis regarding the transgender and transsexual experience. Materials mainly include articles, publications, magazines, theatre programmes, photographs, and ephemera. Some materials specifically relate to issues surrounding the City College of San Francisco.

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## Notes

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### Title notes

### Immediate source of acquisition

Gift of Ms. Bob Davis, 2016 and March 2018.

### Other notes

- **Publication status:** Published
  - **Level of detail:** Partial
  - **Status description:** Revised
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## Access points

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- Davis, Bob
  - Textual record (documentary form)
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- leaflets (printed works) (documentary form)
  - compact discs (documentary form)
  - ephemera (general object genre) (documentary form)
  - photographs (documentary form)
  - programmes (documents) (documentary form)
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## Collection holdings

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### **Accession: SC668-2019-065 - Textual Materials and Photographs**

Title: Textual Materials and Photographs

Reference code: SC668-2019-065

Publication status:

Published

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### **File: SC668-2019-065-1 - Correspondence and Ephemera**

Title: Correspondence and Ephemera

Reference code: SC668-2019-065-1

Date: 197-, 2015-2016 (date of creation)

Scope and content:

File consists of posters, a program for La Cage musical, and volume 34 of SF Weekly with the cover story "Trans Formative: For more than half a century, Miss Major Griffin-Gracy has created safe havens for the transgender community." Also includes a letter from Ms. Bob for Aaron Devor listing and describing materials found in the collection.

Physical description: less than 1cm textual materials

Publication status:

Published

Access points:

- Textual record (documentary form)
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### **File: SC668-2019-065-2 - Transgender Publications**

Title: Transgender Publications

Reference code: SC668-2019-065-2

Date: 1997, 2013-2015 (date of creation)

Scope and content:

File consists of a collection of transgender magazines, newsletters, and publications, some of which include articles written by Bob Davis (MS. Bob).

The publications include:

- Transgender Law Center's Authentic Lives, Fall 2013
- Ssshhh!: The Newsletter of the National Transgender Library and Archive: A Publication of the Transgender Historical Society (a division of AEGIS), Volume 2, No. 1
- Renaissance News & Views, Volume 11 No. 8, August 1997
- Transsexual News Telegraph: The Magazine of Transsexual Culture, Spring 1995
- Our Stories: The Newsletter of the Gay and Lesbian Historical Society of Northern California, Summer 1996
- Beyond the Binary: A Tool Kit for Gender Identity Activism in Schools
- Homegoing Celebration of Life for Minister Bobbie Jean Baker"  
Praise Warrior and Justice Advocate
- Stiletto, Volume 7, Issue 1; and Volume 8, Issues 1 and 2

Physical description: 2cm textual material

Publication status:

Published

Access points:

- Textual record (documentary form)
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### **File: SC668-2019-065-3 - Photographs and Ephemera**

Title: Photographs and Ephemera

Reference code: SC668-2019-065-3

Date: [194-?], [1984], 2007-2014 (date of creation)

Scope and content:

File consists of photographs of Harvey Lee (Harvey Wilson Goodwin), a female impersonator from tehmid-1900s, as well as photos of the cast of the Broadway play "La Cage aux Folles. File also contains programs, pamphlets, workbooks, newsletters (some regarding Fantasia Fair), and ephemera.

Physical description: 2cm textual and graphic material

Publication status:

Published

Access points:

- Textual record (documentary form)
  - Graphic material (documentary form)
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**File: SC668-2019-065-4 - City College of San Francisco Transgender Materials**

Title: City College of San Francisco Transgender Materials

Reference code: SC668-2019-065-4

Date: 2004-2008 (date of creation)

Scope and content:

File consists of pamphlets, programs, newsletters, and ephemera, all regarding transgender awareness and events in San Francisco.

File also contains letters, articles, a publication titled "Inside Out," and related materials regarding transgender activism at the City College of San Francisco.

Physical description: 2 cm textual materials

Publication status:

Published

Access points:

- Textual record (documentary form)
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**Accession: SC668-2021-037 - The Wayout Girls, Louise Lawrence Transgender Archive**

Title: The Wayout Girls, Louise Lawrence Transgender Archive

Reference code: SC668-2021-037

Publication status:

Published

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