Extent

203 folders, approximately 13,378 pages

Summary

This collection consists of the records of June Shih, Special Assistant to President Clinton and Presidential Speechwriter from 1998 – 2000. The files contain faxes, memorandums, speech drafts, correspondence, reports, and news clippings covering topics relating to child care, diabetes, education, human rights, race relations, health care and the economy. Ms. Shih also participated in drafting two of the State of the Union Addresses.

Scope and Content Note

June Shih was Special Assistant to President Clinton and a Presidential Speechwriter from 1998- 2000. She wrote speeches for President Clinton which included topics on race relations, education, health care, child care, and the economy. Ms. Shih also participated in drafting two of the State of the Union Addresses and she was also a member of the President's delegation to China in1998. Before working as a speechwriting for the President June was a speechwriter for First Lady Hillary Rodham Clinton from 1995 to 1997. She assisted the First Lady with weekly columns, wrote speeches, talking points, and handled video scripts. In 2000 she became chief speechwriter for Hillary Clinton’s senatorial campaign Ms. Shih graduated magna cum laude from Harvard and while at Harvard in the early 90’s she wrote for “The Harvard Crimson”. Her career after leaving the White House includes law clerk, associate in a law firm, senior associate in a law firm and Senior Advisor at the U.S. Department of State. The June Shih collection includes faxes, memorandums, speeches, speech drafts, correspondence, news clippings, reports, and talking points. The collection covers topics relating to child care, diabetes, commencement addresses, education, human rights, Medicare, race relations, radio addresses, drug free schools, Native Americans, tobacco, welfare to work, and

women’s careers.

Record Type

Textual

System of Arrangement

The folders are arranged alphabetically by topic.

Access

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Provenance

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