## Extent

2 folders, approximately 37 pages

## Summary

This collection consists of records from a meeting between President Clinton and the Kosovo Albanian leader, Ibrahim Rugova, on May 29, 1998. The collection contains memoranda, scheduling proposals, profile sheets, and routing slips.

## Scope and Content Note

The materials in FOIA 2017-0034-F are a selective body of documents responsive to the topic of the FOIA. Researchers should consult the archivist about related material. FOIA 2017-0034-F contains records on the meeting between President Clinton and Kosovo Albanian leader Ibrahim Rugova on May 29, 1998. The meeting took place against a backdrop of violence between the Republic of Serbia and the breakaway province of Kosovo. President Clinton, who favored a negotiated solution to the conflict, met with Rugova to assist and bolster his position not only with his people but to increase the political pressure on Slobodan Milosevic, the leader of Serbia at that time. The records responsive to this FOIA consist of NSC Records Management numbered documents. The files contain memorandums, scheduling proposals, and Records Management System profile sheets and routing slips. The researcher should also note that a majority of records related to this FOIA case are closed for national security reasons.

## Record Type

Textual

## System of Arrangement

Records that are responsive to this FOIA request were found in this collection area—Clinton Presidential Records: NSC Cable, Email, and Records Management Systems. Staff and Office files were maintained at the folder level by staff members within their individual offices and document all levels of administration activity. Staff and Office files are processed at the folder level, that is, individual documents are not selected and removed from a folder for processing. While this method maintains folder integrity, it frequently results in the incidental processing of documents that are not wholly responsive to the subject area.

**Access**

Collection is open to all researchers. Access to Clinton Presidential Records is governed by the Presidential Records Act (PRA) (44 U.S.C. Chapter 22, as amended) and the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) (5 U.S.C. 552, as amended) and therefore records may be restricted in whole or in part in accordance with legal exemptions.

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**Provenance**

Official records of William Jefferson Clinton’s presidency are housed at the Clinton Presidential Library and administered by the National Archives and Records Administration (NARA) under the provisions of the Presidential Records Act (PRA).

**Processed by**

Staff Archivist, 2016. Previously restricted materials are added as they are released.

**Last Modified Date**

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**Container List**

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The following is a list of documents and folders processed in response to FOIA 2017-0034-F:
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Clinton Presidential Records: NSC Cable, Email, and Records Management System
NSC Records Management
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