

Guide to the Peter O. Kohler Slide Collection 2006-010

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Summary Information

Repository	Oregon Health & Science University Historical Collections & Archives
Creator - Creator	Kohler, Peter, O. , M.D.
Title	Peter O. Kohler Slide Collection
Date [bulk]	Bulk, 1991-1997
Date [inclusive]	1987-2000
Extent	1.0 Linear feet 5 slide boxes, 500 slides
Location	Archives, Room 440, Old Library, Marquam Hill Campus
Language	English
Abstract	<p>The Peter O. Kohler Slide Collection consists of 500, 35 mm slides created and used by the former OHSU University President, for presentations. Peter O. Kohler, M.D., became OHSU president in 1988 and Executive Dean of the School of Medicine in 1991. He served as president until his retirement in 2006. The slides cover topics related to OHSU operations, including the budget, planning and construction, physician workforce and medical education, and health insurance. Also included are pictorial slides of people, places, and subjects.</p>

Preferred Citation

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Biographical Note

Peter Ogden Kohler, M.D., was born in Brooklyn, New York on July 18, 1938. He received his B.A. at the University of Virginia in Charlottesville in 1959 and an M.D. at the Duke Medical School in Durham, North Carolina in 1963. After earning his medical degree, Kohler lived and worked in several cities, including Bethesda, Maryland; Houston, Texas; and Little Rock, Arkansas. He eventually settled in Portland, Oregon in the late 1980s.

Prior to his appointment as President of the Oregon Health Sciences University, Kohler held top level positions in both teaching and academic administration at a number of reputable institutions. From 1967 to 1969, he worked for the Endocrinology branch of the National Cancer Institute and from 1972 to 1973, for the National Institute of Child Health and Human Development in Bethesda, Maryland. From 1973 to 1977, Kohler worked for the Baylor College of Medicine in Houston, Texas and the University of Arkansas in Little Rock from 1977 to 1985. He became university president for OHSU in Portland, Oregon in 1988.

In addition to serving as university president, Kohler became Executive Dean of OHSU's School of Medicine in 1991. He retired in 2006, having served as one of the longest standing medical school presidents in the United States.

Among his many achievements at OHSU, Kohler created OHSU Area Health Education Centers to better serve those in rural areas; created the OHSU Center for Women's Health; converted OHSU into a public corporation; and increased OHSU's research funding from \$40 million to \$274 million per year.

Scope and Contents

The collection consists of about 500, 35 mm slides, created and used by Oregon Health Sciences University President, Peter O. Kohler, M.D., for presentations. Topics covered by the slides include, budget, planning and construction, physician workforce and medical education, and health insurance. Also included are pictorial slides of people, places, and subjects.

Arrangement

The materials arrived to HC&A in no discernible order, so an order was imposed on the materials during processing.

Administrative Information

Publication Information

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Restrictions on Access

The collection is open to the public.

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Custodial History

The slides were created at the Oregon Health Sciences University by and for Dr. Peter Kohler, University President. Dr. Leslie Hallick, OHSU Provost and Vice President, gave them to OHSU Library director James Morgan, who then transferred them to the OHSU HC&A.

Acquisition Information

James Morgan, OHSU Library Director, transferred the slides to OHSU's HC&A in 2006. They were received by Sara Piasecki on 9/22/2006 and accessioned by Archivist, Karen Peterson on 11/3/2006.

Related Materials

Related Material

Historical Image Collection

The Historical Image Collection contains assorted photographs of Peter O. Kohler, M.D. To view images, see the OHSU Digital Resources Library:

Peter O. Kohler, M.D. and Alyce Cheatham, 1988:

<http://drl.ohsu.edu/cdm/singleitem/collection/hom/id/3441/rec/2>

Don Jensen presents a check to Peter Kohler and Senator Mark O. Hatfield for the Casey Eye Institute, 1990:

<http://drl.ohsu.edu/cdm/singleitem/collection/hom/id/3544/rec/3>

Controlled Access Headings

Genre(s)

- Slides

Geographic Name(s)

- Oregon Health Sciences University

Personal Name(s)

- Hallick, Lesley M., Dr. , 1969, Oregon Health Sciences University Provost and Vice President
- Kohler, Peter, O. , M.D.
- Morgan, James

Subject(s)

- Administration in Education
- Faculty, University
- Medicine and Health
- Oregon
- Oregon Health & Science University
- School of Medicine

Collection Inventory

	Box
Box 1	Slides
Budget, Planning, and Construction	
Doernbecher Children's Hospital, circa 1987	
Building construction costs, 1991-1992	
Budget and campus construction, 1991-1992	
Measure 5 budget reductions, circa 1992	
OHSU revenue, circa 1993	
Box 2	Slides
Physician Workforce and Medical Education	
Physician distribution and workforce planning, circa 1994	

Health Insurance

Medical education in Oregon, circa 1992

Slides

Box 3

Health Insurance

Oregon Health Plan/health insurance in Oregon, circa 1995

Slides

Box 4

Health Insurance

Clinton Health Plan, circa 1994

Universal health coverage/national health plan, circa 1992

Hospitals Treating OKC [Oklahoma City] Disaster, 1995

UAB [University of Alabama] Health Systems, 1997

Slides

Box 5

People

Places

Surgical Patients & Staff, circa 1990s

Places

Campus views, circa 1990s

Campus aerials, 1990

Campus aerials, 1998

Campus aerials, circa 1990s

Biomedical Research Building (BRB) : architectural models, circa 2000s

Parking structure : architectural model, circa 1990s

VAMC / OHSU skybridge : architectural models, circa 1990s

Subjects

AHEC program, circa 1990

Dotter Institute logo, circa 1990s

Subjects

Vollum research funding, circa 1992

Research: Acromegaly and Sandostatin [c. Sandoz Pharmaceuticals], circa 1990s

Research : miscellaneous, circa 1990s