

SeaTac Seattle Minimum Wage History Project records, 2012-2016

Overview of the Collection

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| Creator | Labor Archives of Washington (University of Washington) |
| Title | SeaTac Seattle Minimum Wage History Project records |
| Dates | 2012-2016 (inclusive) 2012 2016 2015-2016 (bulk) 2015 2016 |
| Quantity | approximately 600 gigabytes of audio, video, and textual files |
| Collection Number | 6025 (Accession No. 6025-001) |
| Summary | Materials gathered for a digital web archive documenting the stories of those involved in the campaigns, as supporters and opponents, in or affected by the struggles over a \$15 minimum wage at SeaTac and in Seattle |
| Repository | University of Washington Libraries, Special Collections Special Collections University of Washington Libraries Box 352900 Seattle, WA 98195-2900 Telephone: 206-543-1929 Fax: 206-543-1931 speccoll@uw.edu |
| Access Restrictions | Open to all users. |
| Languages | English |

Historical Note

The SeaTac Seattle Minimum Wage History Project is a research, archival documentation, and oral history project co-directed by University of Washington political science professor Michael McCann and University of Washington labor archivist Conor Casey.

Beginning in 2015, the project members--McCann, Casey, and graduate and undergraduate students at the University of Washington--collected articles about the SeaTac and Seattle campaigns and then performed dozens oral history interviews. As well, some hard copy archival collections were collected for the Labor Archives of Washington, websites were archivally captured, and some materials were digitized relating to the campaigns.

The resulting [digital web archive](#) documents the stories of those involved in the campaigns, as supporters and opponents, in or affected by the struggles over a \$15 minimum wage at SeaTac and in Seattle as well as the broader, ongoing effects and efforts at a national level. Interviews include a broad coalition of labor union officers and members, politicians, nonprofit community partners, and small business owners in support and against the initiatives.

Content Description

Audio and video files of oral history interviews of the collection, full transcriptions of interviews in PDF and print format, archived websites, PDF exports of newspaper and journal articles on the SeaTac and Seattle campaigns, including research on the history of minimum wage laws, local media coverage, and national media coverage.

Digital Content Available: Entire collection can be viewed [here](#)

Use of the Collection

Restrictions on Use

Creator's literary rights transferred to the University of Washington Libraries.

Administrative Information

Acquisition Information

Seattle SeaTac Minimum Wage History Project. Conor Casey and Michael McCann, 2016

Names and Subjects

Subject Terms :

Labor movement--Washington (State)

Labor--Washington (State)

Minimum wage--Washington (State)

Form or Genre Terms :

Interviews

Sound recordings

Video recordings

Other Creators :

Personal Names :

Conor, Casey

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McCann, Michael W., 1952-

(curator)

Names and Subjects

Subject Terms :

Personal Papers/Corporate Records (University of Washington)

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