

Guide to the University of South Florida PRIDE Alliance collection, 1979-2012

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Biographical Note

The University of South Florida PRIDE Alliance (People Respecting Individual Diversity and Equality) provides an on-campus support system through which, by interaction with their peers, gay, lesbian, bisexual, transgender students, and their allies may realize their full potential. In addition, the Alliance educates the University of South Florida community by serving as an information reception and dispersal source in order to dispel myths and stereotypes often associated with gay, lesbian, bisexual, and transgender people. The Alliance, formerly known as the Gay Coalition, was founded in 1974, and is the oldest continuously funded gay campus-based organization in the state of Florida. Over the course of its history, the Alliance expanded to welcome lesbians, bisexuals, and transgender people. The Alliance is run by the Executive Board, a team of officers consisting of two co-chairs, a secretary, a treasurer, an office manager, and a parliamentarian. Officers are elected to serve one-year terms. The Alliance's advisor is Dr. Nancy Barbara.

Scope Note

This collection contains material that chronicles the history and struggles of the LGBT community, both at home in Florida and across the country. Comprising this collection are publications made for the USF community as well as material published for the general public, newspaper clippings that have been culled from local and national newspapers and magazines with topics ranging from AIDS to society and culture to sports, and lastly, photographs of events and people. The material in this collection ranges in date from 1979 through 2012.

Arrangement Note: This collection is arranged in three series. Series 1 is the Publication/ Pamphlet series. This series contains published and printed material that has previously been distributed to the public. Series 1 is further broken down into the following two sub-series: Sub-series 1 is material that has been written by or is specifically for the use of USF students; sub-series 2 is published material intended for the general public. Series 2 is the clippings series. This series is comprised of newspaper and magazine clippings covering all topics pertinent to the LGBT community, and is arranged alphabetically by topic. Series 3 is the photograph series.

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Subject Headings

Corporate Names: University of South Florida -- History

Subject Terms: Gay and lesbian studies -- Tampa (Fla.)
Gay culture

COLLECTION CONTENTS

Series 1 : Publications/ Pamphlets

Sub-Series : Material written by/ intended for USF students

BOX 1

FOLDER 1 : Brief History of USF's PRIDE Alliance
Scope/Content: Printed on transparency paper.

FOLDER 2 : AIDS Education Project of the University of South Florida, n. d.

FOLDER 3 : Campus flyers

FOLDER 4 : Community outreach projects
Scope/Content: Examples of a Valentine's Day project for the troops.

FOLDER 5 : Florida Collegiate Pride Coalition, 2007, 2012

FOLDER 6 : Gay/ Lesbian Coalition, n. d.

FOLDER 7 : Legal issues, n. d.

FOLDER 8 : LGBT Student Guide for Education Abroad, n. d.

FOLDER 9 : Multicultural Community Handbook, 2008-2009

FOLDER 10 : USF Safe Zone Manuals, 2008-2010

FOLDER 11 : Tolerance & Intolerance as it Relates to Homosexuality, 2000

Sub-Series : General publications

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FOLDER 12 : Brief history/ lexicography of LGBT, n. d.

FOLDER 13 : Comics/ Cartoon strips, n. d.

FOLDER 14 : Coming Out to Your Parents, n. d.

FOLDER 15 : Debra Davis, n. d.

FOLDER 16 : Facing Trans: Inclusion, Advocacy & Empowerment workbook, guide, & resource packet, 2010

FOLDER 17 : "The Louder We Will Sing" Campaigning for lesbian & gay human rights, 1999

FOLDER 18 : Religion & Sexuality, n. d.
Scope/Content: A variety of print-outs from web sites outlining and defining religion and sexuality.

FOLDER 19 : Reports from the Gay, Lesbian, & Straight Education Network, 2003, 2004
Scope/Content: Contains "The 2003 National School Climate Survey" and "State of the States 2004"

FOLDER 20 : State of Higher Education for Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, & Transgender People, 2010

FOLDER 21 : "Talking About" articles

Scope/Content: Overall Approaches for LGBT Issues; LGBT Equality with African Americans; Marriage & Relationship Recognition; Ending Don't Ask, Don't Tell; Inclusive Hate Crimes Laws; Adoption & Gay Parents; Inclusive Employment Protections

Series 2 : Clippings

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FOLDER 22 : AIDS/ HIV, 1985-1999

FOLDER 23 : Incomplete articles

FOLDER 24 : Military, 1991-2010

FOLDER 25 : Politics, 1981-2010

FOLDER 26 : Religion, 1979-2010

FOLDER 27 : Matthew Shepard, 1998

BOX 2

FOLDER 1 : Society and Culture, 1979-2006

FOLDER 2 : Sports

FOLDER 3 : State and local politics, 1980-2000

Series 3 : Photographs

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FOLDER 4 : Transgender Day of Remembrance, 2008

FOLDER 5 : Personalities

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