

# **Wernher Von Braun Papers**

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## Collection Summary

**Title:** Wernher Von Braun Papers

**Span Dates:** 1796-1970

**Bulk Dates:** (bulk 1950-1970)

**ID No.:** MSS44172

**Creator:** Von Braun, Wernher, 1912-1977

**Extent:** 20,000 items ; 56 containers plus 5 oversize ; 22.8 linear feet

**Language:** Collection material in English and German

**Location:** Manuscript Division, Library of Congress, Washington, D.C.

**Summary:** German aerospace engineer. Correspondence, fan mail, speeches and writings, public relations material, subject files, scrapbooks, and printed material. The papers relate to Wernher Von Braun's career in rocketry and aerospace engineering from his early work on the V-2 rocket in Germany to his work for the United States Department of Defense, the Redstone Arsenal, and the National Aeronautics and Space Administration George C. Marshall Space Flight Center in Huntsville, Ala.

## Selected Search Terms

The following terms have been used to index the description of this collection in the Library's online catalog. They are grouped by name of person or organization, by subject or location, and by occupation and listed alphabetically therein.

### People

Bechtle, Otto Wolfgang--Correspondence.

Brucker, Wilber Marion, 1894-1968--Correspondence.

Durant, Frederick C., 1916- --Correspondence.

Gartmann, Heinz, 1917- --Correspondence.

Gerhards, Jupps--Correspondence.

Grosse, Aristid von, 1905- --Correspondence.

Köller, Heinz Hermann, 1917- --Correspondence.

Ley, Willy, 1906-1969--Correspondence.

Loeser, G.--Correspondence.

Medaris, John B. (John Bruce), 1902- --Correspondence.

Ryan, Cornelius--Correspondence.

Sikorsky, Igor Ivan, 1889-1972--Correspondence.

Sparkman, John, 1899-1985--Correspondence.

Stuhlinger, Ernst, 1913-2008--Correspondence.

Truax, Robert Collins, 1917-2010--Correspondence.

Von Braun, Wernher, 1912-1977.

Watkins, Armitage, 1906- --Correspondence.

Whipple, Fred L. (Fred Lawrence), 1906-2004--Correspondence.

### Organizations

American Rocket Society.

General Dynamics Corporation.

General Motors Corporation.

George C. Marshall Space Flight Center.

Gesellschaft für Weltraumsforschung.

International Business Machines Corporation.

Lockheed Aircraft Corporation.

Project Apollo (U.S.)

Project Gemini (U.S.)

Project Mercury (U.S.)

Sperry Rand Corporation.

United States. Department of Defense.

United States. National Aeronautics and Space Administration.

## Subjects

Aeronautics.  
Guided missiles.  
Rocketry--Germany.  
Rocketry--United States.  
Rockets (Aeronautics)  
Space flight.  
V-2 rocket.  
World War, 1939-1945--Aerial operations, German.

## Places

Redstone Arsenal (Ala.)

## Occupations

Aerospace engineers.  
Public officials.

# Administrative Information

## Provenance

The papers of Wernher Von Braun, engineer, rocket scientist, and space program administrator, were given to the Library of Congress by Von Braun between 1962 and 1971. Additional papers were deposited in the Library by Von Braun in 1971, but later given to the U.S. Space and Rocket Center, Huntsville, Alabama, by his widow, Maria Von Braun, in 2007. Photocopies of the addition were made by the Library and retained as part of the collection.

## Transfers

Items have been transferred from the Manuscript Division to other custodial divisions of the Library. Photographs have been transferred to the Prints and Photographs Division. Tapes have been transferred to the Motion Picture, Broadcasting, and Recorded Sound Division. All transfers are identified in these divisions as part of the Wernher Von Braun Papers.

## Related Material

A substantial collection of Von Braun papers is also located at the U. S. Space and Rocket Center, Huntsville, Alabama.

## Copyright Status

Copyright in the unpublished writings of Wernher Von Braun in these papers and in other collections of papers in the Library of Congress has been dedicated to the public.

## Access and Restrictions

The papers of Wernher Von Braun are open to research. Researchers are advised to contact the Manuscript Reading Room prior to visiting. Many collections are stored off-site and advance notice is needed to retrieve these items for research use.

## Preferred Citation

Researchers wishing to cite this collection should include the following information: Container number, Wernher Von Braun Papers, Manuscript Division, Library of Congress, Washington, D.C.

# Biographical Note

| <i>Date</i>   | <i>Event</i>                                     |
|---------------|--|
| 1912, Mar. 23 | Born, Wirsitz, East Prussia (now part of Poland) |

- 1930 Assistant to Hermann Oberth, experimenting with small liquid rocket motors  
Founding member, Rocket Field, Berlin, Germany, sponsored and financed by German Rocket Society
- 1931 Student, Institute of Technology, Zurich, Switzerland
- 1932 B.S., Institute of Technology, Berlin, Germany
- 1932-1937 Chief, Testing Station, German Army Proving Ground, Kummersdorf, Germany
- 1934 Ph. D., University of Berlin, Berlin, Germany
- 1937-1945 Technical director, German Rocket Research Center, Peenemünde, Germany  
Responsible for V-2 Long-range Rocket and A.A. Guided Missile Wasserfall
- 1943-1945 Research professor, Peenemünde, Germany
- 1945 Captured by U.S. Army and taken to United States
- 1945-1950 Technical adviser at White Sands Missile Range, N. Mex.  
Project director, Research and Development Service, U.S. Army Ordnance Corps, Fort Bliss, Tex.
- 1947 Married Maria Von Quistorp
- 1950-1956 Chief, Guided Missile Development Division, Redstone Arsenal, Huntsville, Ala.
- 1953 Published *The Mars Project* (Urbana: University of Illinois Press. 91 pp.), translated by Henry J. White  
Published *Man on the Moon* (London: Sidgwick and Jackson. 134 pp.), with Fred L. Whipple and Willy Ley. Also published as *Conquest of the Moon* (New York: Viking Press. 126 pp.)
- 1955 Naturalized as American citizen
- 1956 Published *The Exploration of Mars* (New York: Viking Press. 176 pp.), with Willy Ley
- 1956-1960 Director, Development Operations Division, Army Ballistic Missile Agency, Huntsville, Ala.
- 1957 Received Distinguished Civilian Service Award, Department of Defense
- 1958 Received Dr. Robert Goddard Memorial Trophy
- 1960 Published *First Men to the Moon* (New York: Holt, Rinehart and Winston. 96 pp.)
- 1960-1970 Director, George C. Marshall Space Flight Center, National Aeronautic and Space Administration, Huntsville, Ala.
- 1967 Published *History of Rocketry & Space Travel* (New York: Crowell. 244 pp.), with Frederick I. Ordway III  
Published *Space Frontier* (New York: Holt, Rinehart and Winston. 216 pp.)

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|---------------|--|
| 1970-1972     | Deputy Associate Administrator for Planning, National Aeronautics and Space Administration, Washington, D.C. |
| 1972          | Vice president, Engineering and Development, Fairchild Industries, Germantown, Md.                           |
| 1975          | Founded National Space Institute   |
| 1977, June 16 | Died, Alexandria, Va.  |

## Scope and Content Note

The papers of Wernher Von Braun (1912-1977) span the years 1796 to 1970, with the bulk of the material concentrated in the decades 1950 to 1970. A few items in the collection predate Von Braun's emigration to the United States and his postwar duties with the United States Army as part of the "Paperclip" project, but most of the papers relate to his work at the Redstone Arsenal and the George C. Marshall Space Flight Center, Huntsville, Alabama. Consisting largely of office files and fan letters, the collection includes extensive [public relations matter](#), [general correspondence](#), an [invitation file](#), [subject files](#), [speeches and writings](#), and [miscellaneous printed matter](#). Nearly half of the papers consist of fan mail, some of it topical and scientific correspondence requiring original replies by staff members, but more of it from autograph seekers and admirers who were especially prolific following major space accomplishments. Also in the collection are bound volumes of photocopies of Von Braun's scrapbooks, 1930 to 1958, which treat the evolution of rocketry from the perspective of his V-2 research for Nazi Germany and his guided missile work for the United States Army after World War II.

Born in Wirsitz, East Prussia, in 1912, Wernher Von Braun early became interested in rocketry and pursued studies at the Berlin Technical Institute and the University of Berlin which prepared him for his career. His success as a rocket expert coincided with the technological outburst of the World War II period and the space and arms developments in the postwar period. These papers emphasize Von Braun's scientific contributions to the United States space program as well as focusing on his role as a spokesman for space exploration in competition with the Soviet Union. They portray his association with the American Rocket Society and the Gellschaft für Weltraumsforschung, his duties as chief of Guided Missile Development at Huntsville, and his directorship of NASA's Marshall Flight Center. The files most reflective of Von Braun's official responsibilities are the [subject files](#) and the [general correspondence](#), which include letters, notes, memoranda, and such related material as technical reports, drawings, charts, and personnel forms.

Von Braun was an early advocate of space conquest and exploration whose views were carried by popular weeklies and the daily press years before the success of *Sputnik* imparted greater urgency to a stepped-up American space effort. Two files of more than usual interest are the [subject files](#) regarding Congress and space, and a folder entitled "A. V. Grosse Action" which contains responses to Grosse's plan for the launching of an American satellite in the mid-1950s. Also of significance are [speeches](#) which Von Braun gave before scientific, business, and other organizations. These speeches delineate his projections and later his reminiscences of the development of space science. Other important papers include manuscripts of some of Von Braun's books, his correspondence with German and American publishers, his exchanges with such former German rocket specialists as Herman Oberth, and his correspondence and memoranda concerning the major American space shots from the *Explorer* firings to *Apollo 11*.

Von Braun moved from Alabama to NASA headquarters in Washington shortly after the 1969 moon landing, and in 1972 he left government service for private industry. The latter facets of his career are not covered by the papers in this collection. Absent also are family papers and primary documentation of his work on the V-2 and his capture and impressment into the service of the United States Army.

Correspondents in this collection include Aristad V. Grosse, Donald Jackson, Robert C. Truax, Frederick C. Durant III, F. D. McHugh, Armitage Watkins, Igor Sikorsky, Fred L. Whipple, John S. Burlew, Wilbur M. Brucker, J. B. Medaris, I. M. Levitt, Willy Ley, Cornelius Ryan, Chesley Bonestell, Heinz Hermann Kölle, Heinz Gartmann, G. Loeser, K. Shuette, Jupp Gerhards, Otto Wolfgang Bechtle, D. C. Fahrney, Kenneth W. Gatland, Bert J. Slattery, Ernst Stuhlinger, Lee James, J. Preston Layton, James J. Harford, Walter R. Dornberger, A. J. Eggers, and John Sparkman.

Von Braun had considerable correspondence with leaders in the aerospace industry, including Aerojet General Corporation, Lockheed, General Dynamics, General Motors, Ford, Chrysler, Sperry-Rand, Douglas Aircraft, General Electric, Northrop Corporation, and International Business Machines. The bulk of the letters and memoranda, however are from NASA headquarters in Washington and from Marshall Space Flight Center.

Appended to the collection is an [addition](#) which consists mostly of [speeches](#) from the mid-1960s and fan mail from the *Apollo 11* mission.

## Organization of the Papers

The collection is arranged in seven series:

- [General Correspondence, 1950-1969](#)
- [Invitation File, 1952-1967](#)
- [Public Relations Correspondence, 1952-1969](#)
- [Subject File, 1949-1968](#)
- [Speeches and Writings, 1934-1969](#)
- [Miscellany, 1796-1968](#)
- [Addition, 1913-1970](#)

## Description of Series

### *Container*

### *Series*

BOX 1-12

#### **General Correspondence, 1950-1969**

Letters, memoranda, and notes sent and received, with related matter such as enclosed technical reports, photographs, charts, drawings, and personnel forms.  
Organized chronologically by year and alphabetically therein by topic, name of person, or organization.

BOX 13-14

#### **Invitation File, 1952-1967**

Letters of invitation received, with replies.  
Arranged chronologically.

#### **Public Relations Correspondence, 1952-1969**

BOX 14-20

#### **Set A, 1952-1958**

Fan mail and public correspondence.  
Organized chronologically by month.

BOX 20-39

#### **Set B, 1958-1967**

Fan mail and public correspondence.  
Organized chronologically by year and alphabetically by name of correspondent therein.

BOX 39

#### **Set C, 1967-1969**

Autograph requests and form letter replies.  
Organized chronologically by year.

BOX 40-45

#### **Subject File, 1949-1968**

Subject correspondence sent and received; organizational minutes, reports, and printed matter; personnel forms; bibliographies; notes; and miscellaneous material.  
Arranged alphabetically according to subject matter and chronologically therein.

BOX 46-52

#### **Speeches and Writings, 1934-1969**

Handwritten, typewritten, near-print, printed, and photocopies of speeches and writings by Von Braun and others.  
Arranged chronologically, with longer and undated book and article drafts placed alphabetically by title near the end of the series, followed by speeches and writings by others arranged chronologically.

BOX 52-57

#### **Miscellany, 1796-1968**

Assorted vellum diplomas, loose clippings, and photocopies of Von Braun's scrapbooks.  
Clippings chronologically arranged by year; scrapbooks arranged in rough chronological sequence.

BOX 58-61

#### **Addition, 1913-1970**

BOX 58

#### **General Correspondence, 1953-1969**

Photocopies of letters, memoranda, and notes sent and received.  
Arranged alphabetically by name of correspondent.

BOX 58-60

**Public Relations Correspondence, 1963-1970**

Photocopies of autograph requests and congratulatory letters, mostly pertaining to the *Apollo 11* mission.

Arranged by year with additional distinctions between autograph requests, congratulatory letters, and foreign-language letters.

BOX 60-61

**Subject File, 1959-1969**

Photocopies of personnel files, thank-you letters sent to *Apollo 11* team members, and photocopies of correspondence and related matter concerning the House Committee on Science and Astronautics.

Arranged alphabetically by title of subject.

BOX 61

**Speeches and Writings, 1950-1970**

Photocopies of handwritten and near-print speeches by Von Braun.

Arranged chronologically.

BOX 61

**Miscellany, 1913-1967**

Photocopies of miscellaneous printed matter.

Arranged chronologically.

# Container List

| <i>Container</i> | <i>Contents</i>   |
|------------------|---|
| <b>BOX 1-12</b>  | <b>General Correspondence, 1950-1969</b><br>Letters, memoranda, and notes sent and received, with related matter such as enclosed technical reports, photographs, charts, drawings, and personnel forms.<br>Organized chronologically by year and alphabetically therein by topic, name of person, or organization. |
| <b>BOX 1</b>     | 1950, A-Z<br>1952, A-Z<br>1953, A-Z<br>(3 folders)<br>1954, A-Z<br>(3 folders)<br>1955<br>A-D   |
| <b>BOX 2</b>     | E-Z<br>(3 folders)<br>1956, A-Z<br>(3 folders)<br>1957<br>A-G   |
| <b>BOX 3</b>     | H-Z<br>(3 folders)<br>1958, A-Z<br>(5 folders)  |
| <b>BOX 4</b>     | 1959, A-Z<br>(5 folders)<br>1960<br>A-G<br>(3 folders)  |
| <b>BOX 5</b>     | H-Z<br>(6 folders)<br>1961<br>A-B<br>(2 folders)  |
| <b>BOX 6</b>     | C-O<br>(10 folders)   |
| <b>BOX 7</b>     | P-Z<br>(5 folders)<br>1962<br>A-C<br>(2 folders)  |
| <b>BOX 8</b>     | D-Sh<br>(7 folders)   |

## General Correspondence, 1950-1969

| <i>Container</i>                                  | <i>Contents</i>   |
|---|---|
| BOX 9   | Si-Z<br>(2 folders)<br>1963<br>A-K<br>(5 folders)   |
| BOX 10  | L-Z<br>(4 folders)<br>1964, A-Z<br>(3 folders)<br>1965<br>A-G   |
| BOX 11  | H-Z<br>(3 folders)<br>1966, A-Z<br>(3 folders)  |
| BOX 12  | 1967, A-Z<br>(2 folders)<br>1968, A-Z<br>1969, A-Z  |
| BOX 13-14   | <b>Invitation File, 1952-1967</b><br>Letters of invitation received, with replies.<br>Arranged chronologically. |
| BOX 12  | 1952-1957<br>(4 folders)  |
| BOX 13  | 1958-1967<br>(8 folders)  |
| <b>Public Relations Correspondence, 1952-1969</b> |   |
| BOX 14-20   | <b>Set A, 1952-1958</b><br>Fan mail and public correspondence.<br>Organized chronologically by month.           |
| BOX 14  | 1952-Oct. 1954<br>(10 folders)  |
| BOX 15  | Nov. 1954-Apr. 1956<br>(11 folders)   |
| BOX 16  | May 1956-Nov. 1957<br>(9 folders)   |
| BOX 17  | Nov.-Dec. 1957<br>(6 folders)   |
| BOX 18  | Dec. 1957-Feb. 1958<br>(6 folders)  |
| BOX 19  | Feb.-Sept. 1958<br>(7 folders)  |

## Public Relations Correspondence, 1952-1969

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| BOX 20    | Oct.-Dec. 1958<br>(2 folders)  |
| BOX 20-39 | <b>Set B, 1958-1967</b><br>Fan mail and public correspondence.<br>Organized chronologically by year and alphabetically by name of correspondent therein. |
| BOX 20    | 1958<br>A-CI<br>(5 folders)  |
| BOX 21    | D-Gz<br>(8 folders)  |
| BOX 22    | H-Le<br>(7 folders)  |
| BOX 23    | Lf-Q<br>(7 folders)  |
| BOX 24    | R-Tz<br>(7 folders)  |
| BOX 25    | U-Z<br>(5 folders)   |
|           | 1959<br>A-D<br>(4 folders)   |
| BOX 26    | E-Q<br>(7 folders)   |
| BOX 27    | R-Z<br>(3 folders)   |
|           | 1960<br>A-CI<br>(5 folders)  |
| BOX 28    | Cm-I<br>(9 folders)  |
| BOX 29    | J-N<br>(9 folders)   |
| BOX 30    | O-Sz<br>(9 folders)  |
| BOX 31    | T-Z<br>(5 folders)   |
|           | 1961<br>A-C<br>(3 folders)   |
| BOX 32    | D-K<br>(7 folders)   |
| BOX 33    | L-R<br>(6 folders)   |
| BOX 34    | R-V<br>(6 folders)   |

## Public Relations Correspondence, 1952-1969

| <i>Container</i> | <i>Contents</i>  |
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| BOX 35           | W-Z and anonymous<br>(4 folders)<br>1962<br>A-F<br>(4 folders)   |
| BOX 36           | G-S<br>(8 folders)   |
| BOX 37           | T-Z<br>1963<br>A-G<br>(6 folders)  |
| BOX 38           | H-V<br>(7 folders)   |
| BOX 39           | W-Z and anonymous<br>(2 folders)<br>1967, A-Z  |
| BOX 39           | <b>Set C, 1967-1969</b><br>Autograph requests and form letter replies.<br>Organized chronologically by year.   |
| BOX 39           | Autograph requests, 1967-1969<br>(4 folders)   |
| BOX 40-45        | <b>Subject File, 1949-1968</b><br>Subject correspondence sent and received; organizational minutes, reports, and printed matter;<br>personnel forms; bibliographies; notes; and miscellaneous material.<br>Arranged alphabetically according to subject matter and chronologically therein.  |
| BOX 40           | Alabama's World Fair Commission, 1962<br>Alabama State Fair Exhibit, 1961<br>American Rocket Society<br>1954-Apr. 1958<br>(4 folders)  |
| BOX 41           | May 1958-1960<br>(6 folders)   |
| BOX 42           | Photocopies, 1952-1957<br>American Ballistic Missile Agency, 1958-1961<br><i>Astronautica Acta</i> , 1954-1958<br>A. V. Grosse Action, launching a satellite, 1951-1957<br>Bibliographies of Von Braun's writings<br>Calculations for moon book<br><i>Colliers</i> , 1951-1953<br>(2 folders) ; <i>See also Oversize</i><br>Congress and the space program<br>1963-1964<br>(2 folders) |

## Subject File, 1949-1968

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|-----------|---|
| BOX 43    | 1965-1966<br>(2 folders)<br>Dedication of Marshall Space Flight Center, Huntsville, Ala., thank-you letters, 1960<br>German correspondence<br>General, 1949-1954<br>(2 folders)<br>Gesellschaft für Weltraumforschung, 1950-1953<br>(2 folders)<br>German personnel, 1952<br>Guided missile development, miscellaneous declassified material, 1952-1965                                 |
| BOX 44    | <i>Mercury</i> flight, congratulations, 1961<br><i>Mercury-Redstone 3</i> , congratulations, 1961<br><i>Mercury-Redstone 5</i> , congratulations, 1961<br>National Aeronautics and Space Administration conferences, 1961-1963<br>Office notes, memoranda, drafts, etc., 1963-1968<br>Press relations, 1958-1960<br>(3 folders)<br>Publications, correspondence concerning<br>1949-1953 |
| BOX 45    | 1954-1956<br><i>Ranger 7-9</i> lunar flights<br>(3 folders)<br><i>Saturn</i> rocket, congratulations, 1961<br><i>Saturn C-1</i> launching, invitations, 1962<br>Steuben Society of America, 1960-1961<br>Symposium on air travel in thirty years, 1955<br>Thiel, Adolph K., dissertation  |
| BOX 46-52 | <b>Speeches and Writings, 1934-1969</b><br>Handwritten, typewritten, near-print, printed, and photocopies of speeches and writings by Von Braun and others.<br>Arranged chronologically, with longer and undated book and article drafts placed alphabetically by title near the end of the series, followed by speeches and writings by others arranged chronologically.               |
| BOX 46    | 1947-Apr. 1959<br>(9 folders)   |
| BOX 47    | May 1959-Aug. 1961<br>(10 folders)  |
| BOX 48    | Sept. 1961-June 1968<br>(7 folders)   |
| BOX 49    | July 1968-1969, undated<br>(5 folders)<br>“Across the Moon”   |
| BOX 50    | <i>Conquest of the Moon</i><br><i>The Exploration of Mars</i><br>“First Flight to the Moon”<br>(4 folders)  |

## Speeches and Writings, 1934-1969

### Container

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#### *The Mars Project*

##### General

BOX 51

Handwritten draft of the scientific appendix  
"Raketentechnik and Raumfahrtforschung," Ph. D. dissertation, 1934  
"Voyage to Mars"

BOX 52

"Voyage to the Moon"  
By others, 1962-1965  
(3 folders)

BOX 52-57

#### **Miscellany, 1796-1968**

Assorted vellum diplomas, loose clippings, and photocopies of Von Braun's scrapbooks. Clippings chronologically arranged by year; scrapbooks arranged in rough chronological sequence.

BOX 52

Assorted vellum diplomas, 1796-1823  
Clippings, 1934-1968  
(3 folders)  
Citations and awards (photocopies), 1952-1961  
German items (photocopies), 1928-1933  
Programs (photocopies), 1957-1961  
University degrees (photocopies), 1958-1959

BOX 53 (oversize)

*Colliers* rocket drawings, 1951-1953 ([Container 42](#))  
Scrapbooks  
Awards and photocopies of awards  
Rocketry, 1930-1934  
German scientists come to America, 1945-1952  
Rocketry, 1946-1949

BOX 54 (oversize)

Rocket to the moon, 1948-1955  
Space flight campaign, 1949-1954  
Rocket research center started at Redstone Arsenal, Huntsville, Ala., 1950-1952

BOX 55 (oversize)

Peenemünde in U.S.A., 1950  
Practicality of space flight, 1952-1956  
Immigration to the United States, 1963

BOX 56 (oversize)

Space flight, 1953-1956  
Space exploration, 1953-1954

BOX 57 (oversize)

International Geophysical Year Project, 1955-1957  
Missiles, 1956  
United States Army-Jupiter, 1956-1958

BOX 58-61

#### **Addition, 1913-1970**

BOX 58

#### **General Correspondence, 1953-1969**

Photocopies of letters, memoranda, and notes sent and received.  
Arranged alphabetically by name of correspondent.

BOX 58

1953-1969, A-Z

## Addition, 1913-1970

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| BOX 58-60 | <b>Public Relations Correspondence, 1963-1970</b><br>Photocopies of autograph requests and congratulatory letters, mostly pertaining to the <i>Apollo 11</i> mission.<br>Arranged by year with additional distinctions between autograph requests, congratulatory letters, and foreign-language letters. |
| BOX 58    | 1963-1968<br>1969<br>Autograph requests<br>(2 folders)<br>Congratulatory letters<br>(3 folders)  |
| BOX 59    | Foreign language letters<br>General<br>(6 folders)   |
| BOX 60    | (2 folders)<br>From American citizens<br>From prominent individuals<br>1970, autograph requests  |
| BOX 60-61 | <b>Subject File, 1959-1969</b><br>Photocopies of personnel files, thank-you letters sent to <i>Apollo 11</i> team members, and photocopies of correspondence and related matter concerning the House Committee on Science and Astronautics.<br>Arranged alphabetically by title of subject.              |
| BOX 60-61 | <i>Apollo 11</i> , thank-you letters sent, 1969<br>Committee on Science and Astronautics (photocopies), 1959-1961<br>Personnel files<br>1960-1966<br>(2 folders)   |
| BOX 61    | 1967   |
| BOX 61    | <b>Speeches and Writings, 1950-1970</b><br>Photocopies of handwritten and near-print speeches by Von Braun.<br>Arranged chronologically.   |
| BOX 61    | 1950-1970<br>(6 folders)<br>Miscellaneous rough drafts, undated<br>(2 folders)   |
| BOX 61    | <b>Miscellany, 1913-1967</b><br>Photocopies of miscellaneous printed matter.<br>Arranged chronologically.  |
| BOX 61    | Printed matter, 1913-1967  |