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Collection Title: John Ernst Vietnam War Oral History Collection

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Size of Collection: 3 linear feet.

Number of Boxes: 4 oversized boxes; 1 legal sized box.

Type of Material: Audio cassette tapes, transcripts, video cassettes, CDs, and external hard drive.

Condition of Material: Good

Arrangement: Organized alphabetically by surname; Chronological arrangement.

Biographical / Historical Information: John Ernst is a professor of history and foreign policy at Morehead State University. He was born in Louisville, Kentucky in 1962. He began teaching at Morehead State in 1994 soon after receiving his Ph.D. in History from the University of Kentucky. He is the author of *Forging a Fateful Alliance: Michigan State University and the Vietnam War* and co-editor of *The War that Never Ends: New Perspectives on the Vietnam War*. Ernst conducted numerous interviews with Kentucky Vietnam veterans and other individuals associated with the war and the peace movement between 1997 and 2007.

Scope and Content: Collection consists of 130 cassette tapes and seventeen transcripts of interviews with Kentucky veterans of the Vietnam War and individuals associated with various aspects of the war conducted by John Ernst and Yvonne Baldwin. These interviews are included on an external hard drive present in the collection. The collection also includes two CDs featuring an interview with General Tom Lynch and Charles Flood, a video cassette of Dan Tonietti's Vietnam service, and video cassette featuring Louisville news network WHAS-11's 1995 interview with Joseph Keeling and Ronald Hibbs.

Subject Headings / Descriptors:

Baldwin, Yvonne
Ernst, John P., 1962-
Morehead (Ky.) – History.
Vietnam War, 1961-1975.
Veterans – United States – Interviews.
Kentucky – History – Vietnam War, 1961-1975.
United States – Armed Forces – Foreign Service – Vietnam.

Notes: See also Vietnam Veterans of Morehead Oral History Project and the Pass the Word Project of the Kentucky Historical Society.