

**Morehead State University
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Department or Office: CWEN, Upsilon Chapter

Collection Title: Records, 1958-1979

Record Group Number: RG063-22-08

Date transferred: No original date of transfer recorded. Transferred from the Kentucky Underground Storage Inc. facility of Wilmore, Kentucky in November of 2020.

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Date Span: 1958 - 1979

Size of Collection: 2.75 linear feet.

Number of Boxes: 3 letter size document cases. 1 letter half size document case and 1 record center box.

Type of Material: Correspondence, financial papers, hand-written letters, photographs, artifacts, and ephemera.

Condition of Material: Good.

Arrangement: Organized in alphabetical by title of file folder; Chronological arrangement.

Historical Information: CWEN (previously known as Crown and Scepter Club) was an honors group for freshman women founded in 1922 at the University of Pennsylvania. The Upsilon chapter was founded at Morehead State University on November 18, 1961. The society was in operation until 1977 when it disbanded shortly after the retirement of President Adron Doran and his wife Mignon Doran and became Lambda Sigma.

Scope and Content: Collection consists of notebooks of meeting minutes, correspondence, hand-written notes, photographs, and ephemera related to the Morehead State University honors society of CWEN, predecessor of Lambda Sigma, from 1958 to 1979. The collection also contains historic documents of CWEN's involvement with Title IX and artifacts from initiations and rituals held by the Upsilon chapter, as well as constitutions and by-laws written for the society between the early 1960's and 1970's and membership lists for almost every year it was in operation.

Subject Headings / Descriptors:

CWEN. Upsilon Chapter (Morehead State University)

College students – Societies and clubs.

Women college students – Kentucky – Morehead.

Morehead State University. Students – Societies, etc.

Greek letter societies – Kentucky – Morehead.

Notes: Duplicates, envelopes, invoices, receipts, unrelated items to Morehead State, and other ephemera have been removed the collection.