

# Guide to the Conference at Yale University on the Works of B. F. Skinner

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**CALL NUMBER:** RU 836

**CREATOR:** Timothy Dwight College (Yale University)

**TITLE:** Conference at Yale University on the works of B. F. Skinner

**DATES:** 1972

**PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION:** 0.5 linear feet

**LANGUAGE:** English

**SUMMARY:** The materials consist of eleven audiotapes of lectures and discussions on the works of psychologist B. F. Skinner sponsored by the Chubb Fellowship Program, Yale University.

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## Administrative Information

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## General note

Forms part of Yale Record Group 13-G-3 (YRG 13-G-3), Records of the Fellows of Timothy Dwight College.

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## Arrangement

The records are arranged by topic.

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7" polyester sound reel tapes recorded at 7½"/sec, full track.

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| b. 1  | Opening address by B.F. Skinner, Yale Art Gallery, 10 AM?. [part 1]<br><i>1 Audiotape Reel</i>   | 1972 April 18 |
| b. 2  | Opening address by B.F. Skinner, Yale Art Gallery, 10 AM?. [part 2]<br><i>1 Audiotape Reel</i>   | 1972 April 18 |
| b. 3  | Panel discussion #1, "The Psychological Aspects," Yale Law School Auditorium, 3:30 PM. Speakers: B.F. Skinner, Theodore Lidz, Willard Gaylin, and William Kessen. [part 1]<br><i>1 Audiotape Reel</i>          | 1972 April 18 |
| b. 4  | Panel discussion #1, "The Psychological Aspects," Yale Law School Auditorium, 3:30 PM. Speakers: B.F. Skinner, Theodore Lidz, Willard Gaylin, and William Kessen. [part 2]<br><i>1 Audiotape Reel</i>          | 1972 April 18 |
| b. 5  | Panel discussion #2, "Problems of Planning," Yale Law School Auditorium, 8:30 PM. Speakers: Stephen Spender, (Robert Alan?) Dahl, Zbigniew Brzezinski, and Alain Enthoven. [part 1]<br><i>1 Audiotape Reel</i> | 1972 April 18 |
| b. 6  | Panel discussion #2, "Problems of Planning," Yale Law School Auditorium, 8:30 PM. Speakers: Stephen Spender, (Robert Alan?) Dahl, Zbigniew Brzezinski, and Alain Enthoven. [part 1]<br><i>1 Audiotape Reel</i> | 1972 April 18 |
| b. 7  | Panel discussion #3, Yale Law School Auditorium, 3 PM. Speakers: B.F. Skinner, Rollo May, Paul Ricoeur, Brand Blanshard, and Jaroslav Pelikan. [part 1]<br><i>1 Audiotape Reel</i>                             | 1972 April 19 |
| b. 8  | Panel discussion #3, Yale Law School Auditorium, 3 PM. Speakers: B.F. Skinner, Rollo May, Paul Ricoeur, Brand Blanshard, and Jaroslav Pelikan. [part 2]<br><i>1 Audiotape Reel</i>                             | 1972 April 19 |
| b. 9  | Panel discussion #4, general critique and summation, Yale Law School Auditorium, 8:30 PM. Speakers: Gay, Brogan, Clark, et al. [part 1]<br><i>1 Audiotape Reel</i>   | 1972 April 19 |
| b. 10 | Panel discussion #4, general critique and summation, Yale Law School Auditorium, 8:30 PM. Speakers: Gay, Brogan, Clark, et al. [part 2]<br><i>1 Audiotape Reel</i>   | 1972 April 19 |
| b. 11 | Panel discussion #4, general critique and summation, Yale Law School Auditorium, 8:30 PM. Speakers: Gay, Brogan, Clark, et al. [part 3]<br><i>1 Audiotape Reel</i>   | 1972 April 19 |

## **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.

### **Subjects**

Behaviorism (Psychology)  
Congresses and conventions  
Forums (Discussion and debate)  
Lectures and lecturing  
Meetings

### **Genres / Formats**

Audiotapes

### **Names**

Skinner, B. F. (Burrhus Frederic), 1904-1990

### **Corporate Body**

Timothy Dwight College (Yale University)