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**INVENTORY OF THE
HARI SHARMA INDO-CANADIAN ORAL HISTORY
INTERVIEW COLLECTION**

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Tab 1

Fonds-level description

**HARI SHARMA INDO-CANADIAN ORAL HISTORY INTERVIEW COLLECTION. --
1984 - 1987.**

SCOPE AND CONTENT

The Indo-Canadian Oral History Collection documents the histories of immigrants from the Punjab Province of India who came to Canada between 1912 and 1938. The project was initiated by Hari Sharma, Professor of Sociology at SFU, who conducted the interviews with the assistance of a graduate student.

The interview subjects, primarily Sikhs, discuss such topics as why they came to Canada, the journey to Canada, adjustment to Canadian society upon arrival, employment in Canada, family life, and their ongoing links with their country of origin. Appendices include an interview guide prepared by Hari Sharma and an article about the project.

The collection is arranged into the following series:

F-77-1 Audio recordings (1984 - 1987)

TITLE SOURCE

Title of the collection is based on the contents.

IMMEDIATE SOURCE OF ACQUISITION

The audio interviews were donated by Hari Sharma. Material in the appendices was added by the archivist.

ARRANGEMENT

The materials were arranged by the Archivist.

FINDING AIDS

Lists of the audio recordings are available. An interview guide and an article relating to East Indian

immigration are available in the hard copy version of the finding aid maintained in the Archives Reading Room.

ACCRUALS

All accessions have been processed as of September 2002. No further accruals are expected.

RELATED MATERIAL

There are two additional fonds containing material related to the Indo-Canadian Community in B.C. Please consult the Indo-Canadian Collection / SFU Archives Collector, F-145. See also the Joe Saroya fonds, F-36 (unprocessed).

OTHER NOTES

LANGUAGE

Many of the interviews are in Punjabi.

ACCESS POINTS

Collector: Hari Sharma.

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Tab 2

Series descriptions

Audio recordings

F-77-1

1984 - 1987

62 audiocassettes

Series consists of audio recordings arising from the interviews.

Title based on the contents of the series.

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Tab 3

Files

File list

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This fonds contains no files.

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Tab 4

Items

<u>Item number</u>	<u>Item title</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Type</u>	<u>Access status</u>
Series F-77-1				Total items: 68
Audio recordings, 1984 - 1987				
F-77-item1	Kartar Singh Ghag - Surrey, BC; age 77 arrived in Canada 1924	1984	Sound recording: audio cassette	Open
F-77-item2	Punjabi Elders Interview #PE 1	1984	Sound recording: audio cassette	Open
F-77-item3	Laksham Singh Sandhan	1984	Sound recording: audio cassette	Open
F-77-item4	Laksham Singh Sandhan	1984	Sound recording: audio cassette	Open
F-77-item5	Dr. D. P. Pandia	1984	Sound recording: audio cassette	Open
F-77-item6	Dr. D. P. Pandia	1984	Sound recording: audio cassette	Open
F-77-item7	Jag Singh Uppal	1984	Sound recording: audio cassette	Open
F-77-item8	Jag Singh Uppal	1984	Sound recording: audio cassette	Open
F-77-item9	Imanat Ali Khan 1/2	1984	Sound recording: audio cassette	Open
F-77-item10	Imanat Ali Khan 2/2	1984	Sound recording: audio cassette	Open
F-77-item11	Imanat Ali Khan 1/2	1984	Sound recording: audio cassette	Open
F-77-item12	Imanat Ali Khan 2/2	1984	Sound recording: audio cassette	Open
F-77-item13	Imanat Ali Khan 1/2	1984	Sound recording: audio cassette	Open
F-77-item14	Imanat Ali Khan 2/2	1984	Sound recording: audio cassette	Open
F-77-item15	Bhan Kaur Johan	1984	Sound recording: audio cassette	Open
F-77-item16	Bhan Kaur Johan	1984	Sound recording: audio cassette	Open

<u>Item number</u>	<u>Item title</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Type</u>	<u>Access status</u>
F-77-item17	Ranjit Mattu 1/2	1984	Sound recording: audio cassette	Open
F-77-item18	Ranjit Mattu 2/2	1984	Sound recording: audio cassette	Open
F-77-item19	Ranjit Mattu 1/2	1984	Sound recording: audio cassette	Open
F-77-item20	Ranjit Mattu 2/2	1984	Sound recording: audio cassette	Open
F-77-item21	Ranjit Hall - English, Ottawa 1/2	1984	Sound recording: audio cassette	Open
F-77-item22	Ranjit Hall - English, Ottawa 2/2	1984	Sound recording: audio cassette	Open
F-77-item23	Ranjit Hall - English, Ottawa 1/2	1984	Sound recording: audio cassette	Open
F-77-item24	Ranjit Hall - English, Ottawa 2/2	1984	Sound recording: audio cassette	Open
F-77-item25	Ranjit Hall - English, Ottawa 1/2	1984	Sound recording: audio cassette	Open
F-77-item26	Pritam Kour Johal - Punjabi, Vancouver	1984	Sound recording: audio cassette	Open
F-77-item27	Pritam Kour Johal - Punjabi, Vancouver	1984	Sound recording: audio cassette	Open
F-77-item28	Gurbachan Singh Johal - Punjabi, Vancouver	1984	Sound recording: audio cassette	Open
F-77-item29	Gurbachan Singh Johal - Punjabi, Vancouver	1984	Sound recording: audio cassette	Open
F-77-item30	Hari S. Manhas - Punjabi, Vancouver 1/2	1984	Sound recording: audio cassette	Open
F-77-item31	Hari S. Manhas - Punjabi, Vancouver 2/2	1984	Sound recording: audio cassette	Open
F-77-item32	Hari S. Manhas - Punjabi, Vancouver 1/2	1984	Sound recording: audio cassette	Open
F-77-item33	Hari S. Manhas - Punjabi, Vancouver 2/2	1984	Sound recording: audio cassette	Open
F-77-item34	Hari S. Manhas - Punjabi, Vancouver 1/2	1984	Sound recording: audio cassette	Open

<u>Item number</u>	<u>Item title</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Type</u>	<u>Access status</u>
F-77-item35	Hari S. Manhas - Punjabi, Vancouver 2/2	1984	Sound recording: audio cassette	Open
F-77-item36	Dhan Kaur Johal - Punjabi, Vancouver	1984	Sound recording: audio cassette	Open
F-77-item37	Dhan Kaur Johal - Punjabi, Vancouver	1984	Sound recording: audio cassette	Open
F-77-item38	Tara Singh Kot - Punjabi, Vancouver 1/2	1984	Sound recording: audio cassette	Open
F-77-item39	Tara Singh Kot - Punjabi, Vancouver 2/2	1984	Sound recording: audio cassette	Open
F-77-item40	Tara Singh Kot - Punjabi, Vancouver 1/2	1984	Sound recording: audio cassette	Open
F-77-item41	Tara Singh Kot - Punjabi, Vancouver 2/2	1984	Sound recording: audio cassette	Open
F-77-item42	Sardara Gill - Punjabi, Vancouver 1/2	1984	Sound recording: audio cassette	Open
F-77-item43	Sardara Gill - Punjabi, Vancouver 2/2	1984	Sound recording: audio cassette	Open
F-77-item44	Sardara Gill - Punjabi, Vancouver 1/2	1984	Sound recording: audio cassette	Open
F-77-item45	Sardara Gill - Punjabi, Vancouver 2/2	1984	Sound recording: audio cassette	Open
F-77-item46	Kuldip S. Bains - Punjabi, Vancouver	1984	Sound recording: audio cassette	Open
F-77-item47	Kuldip S. Bains - Punjabi, Vancouver	1984	Sound recording: audio cassette	Open
F-77-item48	Kehar Singh Kailey (V. Tusa) - Punjabi, Vancouver	1984	Sound recording: audio cassette	Open
F-77-item49	Kehar Singh Kailey (V. Tusa) - Punjabi, Vancouver	1984	Sound recording: audio cassette	Open
F-77-item50	Kehar Singh Kailey (V. Tusa) - Punjabi, Vancouver	1984	Sound recording: audio cassette	Open
F-77-item51	Jagar Singh Mahal - Punjabi, Vancouver	1985	Sound recording: audio cassette	Open
F-77-item52	Jagar Singh Mahal - Punjabi, Vancouver	1985	Sound recording: audio cassette	Open

<u>Item number</u>	<u>Item title</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Type</u>	<u>Access status</u>
F-77-item53	Darshan Singh Sangha - Canadian, Vancouver (Hindi, Punjabi, English)	1985	Sound recording: audio cassette	Open
F-77-item54	Darshan Singh Sangha - Canadian, Vancouver (Punjabi, Hindi, English)	1985	Sound recording: audio cassette	Open
F-77-item55	Darshan Singh Sangha - Canadian, Vancouver (Punjabi, Hindi, English)	1985	Sound recording: audio cassette	Open
F-77-item56	Darshan Singh Sangha - Canadian, Vancouver (Punjabi)	1985	Sound recording: audio cassette	Open
F-77-item57	Darshan Singh Sangha - Canadian, Vancouver	1985	Sound recording: audio cassette	Open
F-77-item58	Darshan Singh Sangha - Canadian, Vancouver (Hindi, Punjabi, English)	1985	Sound recording: audio cassette	Open
F-77-item59	Darshan Singh Sangha - Canadian, Vancouver (Punjabi, Hindi, English)	1985	Sound recording: audio cassette	Open
F-77-item60	Darshan Singh Sangha - Canadian, Vancouver (Punjabi, Hindi, English)	1985	Sound recording: audio cassette	Open
F-77-item61	Darshan Singh Sangha - Canadian, Vancouver (Punjabi)	1985	Sound recording: audio cassette	Open
F-77-item62	Darshan Singh Sangha - Canadian, Vancouver	1985	Sound recording: audio cassette	Open
F-77-item63	Ratan Kaur Thauli (Panesar)	1987	Sound recording: audio cassette	Open
F-77-item64	Ratan Kaur Thauli (second session begins on this tape) includes son: Gyan Singh (b. 1928)	1987	Sound recording: audio cassette	Open
F-77-item65	Ratan Kaur Thauli and Gyan Singh (son: b. 1928)	1987	Sound recording: audio cassette	Open
F-77-item66	Ratan Kaur Thauli (Panesar)	1987	Sound recording: audio cassette	Open
F-77-item67	Ratan Kaur Thauli (second session begins on this tape) includes son: Gyan Singh (b. 1928)	1987	Sound recording: audio cassette	Open
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Unprocessed holdings

Unprocessed Holdings

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As of August 2006 no unprocessed holdings are registered to this fonds; all accessions have been arranged and described.

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Tab 6

Appendices