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**John Michael Lee papers (reference number ICS135)**

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Reference	File title	Scope and content	Date(s)
ICS135/1/1	Uganda government – introduction of ministerial system 1955-1962	Administration and organisation of Ugandan government ministries and departments. Typescript and handwritten. Includes <i>Memorandum for the Director of Education: Integration in West African territories</i> , <i>The Constitution of Uganda: Provision for times of war or public emergency</i> , <i>The Constitution of Uganda: The position of disciplined forces under Chapter 111 (The protection of fundamental rights and freedoms of the individual)</i> , and two memoranda from the Ugandan Office of the Chief Secretary, <i>Constitutional reorganisation: Administrative procedure</i> (August 1955 and November 1958).	c1955-1966
ICS135/1/2	Nakawa student strike	Student strike at the School of Building and Civil Engineering at Nakawa (1957-1958). Typescript	1957 October 2- 1958 August 14

		correspondence and press release belonging to the Ugandan Ministry of Social Services. Includes handwritten annotated notes about these materials. See also ICS135/1/9.	
ICS135/1/3	Integration of the Ugandan Ministry of Education and the Department of Education	Includes handwritten annotated notes, typescript ministry correspondence, and the report <i>Ministerial reorganisation: Office accommodation</i> by the Ugandan Chief Secretary's Office.	c1957-1962
ICS135/1/4	Overseas scholarships in Uganda	Includes typescript government correspondence, related newspaper clippings, a press notice <i>Uganda Protectorate government scholarships</i> , and a letter from the Dean of the Faculty of Education at Makerere College voicing concern over overseas scholarships offered to its current students. Handwritten annotated notes.	c1961-1962
ICS135/1/5	Ruanda refugees	Ugandan government response to the influx of Rwandan refugees. Includes a newspaper clipping; typescript government correspondence, especially between the Ministry of Social Development and Labour and various offices such as the Office of the District Commissioner (Ankole district), the Department of Veterinary Services and Animal Industry, and the Ministry of Health; and the <i>Uganda Protectorate: The Control of Alien Refugees Ordinance, 1960</i> . Includes handwritten annotated notes.	c1961-1962

ICS135/1/6	Colonial Social Science Research Council: Working Party, Election studies	Colonial election studies proposed by the Colonial Social Science Research Council, and the planning of a related conference. Mainly correspondence. Includes handwritten notes.	c1956
ICS135/1/7	Selected African military statistics	Includes African cadets trained in the United Kingdom (1953-1967); personnel rates of pay in Kenya (1966-1967), Malawi (1967), Ghana (1967), Nigeria (1960, 1966-1967), Sierra Leone (1967-1968), and Zambia (1963, 1966). Also Includes correspondence, handwritten notes, and other Nigerian military statistics such as casualties from 1960, 1966 and 1967.	c1958-1968
ICS135/1/8	Colonial Social Science Research Council: Selected research (1959-1961)	Includes listings of selected Colonial Social Science Research Council research (1959-1961); <i>Research plans of East African Institute of Social Research from 1960 onwards</i> (1959); <i>Social science research in the Pacific Islands: Brief notes on research work pertaining to United Kingdom Territories</i> (1961); research proposals and research progress reports pertaining to the Colonial Social Science Research Council's Committee on Anthropology and Sociology, and the Committee on History and Administration (1959-1961). Also, <i>Colonial Archives: Note by the acting secretary</i> (1959), and correspondence.	c1959-1966
ICS135/1/9	School of Building and Civil Engineering at	Various Ugandan government correspondence concerning the School of Building and Civil Engineering at Nakawa.	c1950-1960

	Nakawa	Includes <i>Government statement on the report of the committee set up to advise on the content of the course at the School of Building and Civil Engineering at Nakawa, Report of the Industrial Training Committee</i> , newspaper articles, and handwritten notes. See also ICS135/1/2.	
ICS135/1/10	Professor Fitz Baptiste, University of the West Indies	Correspondence with John Michael Lee. Subjects include academic matters, politics in Trinidad and Tobago.	1976-2003
ICS135/2/1	J. M. Lee's Canadian conference attendance	Correspondence regarding J. M. Lee's participation in two Canadian conferences: <i>L'Afrique Noire: Nouveau Partenaire International: Deuxième Congrès de Relations Internationales de Québec</i> Secrétariat général pour le Québec de l'Institut canadien des affaires internationales and the Centre d'étude de politique étrangère de Paris (Lac-Beauport, Canada, 11-13 September 1970), and <i>Britain and Canada: A Colloquy</i> Canadian Institute of International Affairs and the Institute of Commonwealth Studies, University of London, (St. Catharine's, Canada, 3-5 September 1971). Includes conference programmes, J. M. Lee's <i>Deuxième Congrès de Relations Internationales de Québec</i> conference article and his subsequent report of that conference. Some materials in French. See also ICS135/2/2.	c1970-1971
ICS135/2/2	Britain and Canada: A Colloquy conference	<i>Britain and Canada: A Colloquy</i> Canadian Institute of International Affairs and the Institute of Commonwealth	c1970-1971

		Studies, University of London, (St. Catharine's, Canada, 3-5 September 1971). Includes participant list, programme, <i>Britain and Canada: A Colloquy: A report of the discussions held at Cumberland Lodge, Windsor Great Park 3-5 September 1971</i> , some conference articles, and handwritten notes. See also ICS135/2/1.	
ICS135/2/3	Institute of Commonwealth Studies Comparative politics notes for 'Political Change' course – 1969-1970, 1970-1971, 1971-1972	Mainly handwritten notes. Includes a draft of <i>Social science and natural science: The end of the affair</i> by Colin Leys, and a conference article from the Institute of Development Studies (University of Sussex, 28 June-2 July 1968) <i>Politics of development: Anthropology and political development</i> by Joan Vincent.	c1968-1972
ICS135/2/4	Institute of Commonwealth Studies initiatives	Includes attendance lists of visiting scholars' lectures at the Institute of Commonwealth Studies: Rex Lee (1970), Giovanni Sartori (1970); and handwritten notes.	c1969-1980
ICS135/2/5	Interviews	Preliminary list of interviews with Colonial Office officials, related correspondence, and handwritten notes. Assumed to relate to Lee's 1982 book: <i>The Colonial Office, war and development policy : organisation and the planning of a metropolitan initiative 1939-1945</i> .	c1972-1978

ICS135/2/6	Conference on nationalism – 9 July 1962	Includes preliminary list of participants and related articles for this conference held at Birkbeck College (London, United Kingdom, 9 July 1962).	c1962
ICS135/2/7	Miscellaneous	Includes the programme for the visit of Queen Elizabeth The Queen Mother, the chancellor of the Institute of Commonwealth Studies, to the Institute (1973), and various handwritten notes.	c1964-1976
ICS135/2/8	Colonial Office	<p>File 1. Includes <i>Report of a colonial conference</i> (Oxford, United Kingdom, 20-21 January 1940), <i>Report of the second colonial conference</i> (London, United Kingdom, 18-19 May 1940), <i>Colonial Office: Information Department: List of special memoranda</i> (1964) as well as memoranda numbers 2, 4B, 4C, 4D (1963), 4D (1964), 10, 20, and 20A.</p> <p>File 2. Includes <i>Planning machinery in the foreign and Commonwealth offices; Office machinery and general organization committee: Minutes of first meeting held on the 8th March, 1939; Labour Party: International Department: No. 283: December, 1944: Advisory Committee on Imperial Questions: Declarations of the Labour Party concerning international control of colonies; and H. M. Treasury: Overseas output budget: Note by the chairman of the Study Group.</i></p>	c1939-c1964