Guide to the Cleophus Thomas Jr. collection
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## Summary Information

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**Preferred Citation note**

Cleophus Thomas Jr. collection, University Libraries Division of Special Collections, The University of Alabama
Biographical/Historical note

Cleo (Cleophus) Thomas, Jr. was born in Sylacauga, Alabama. While a student at The University of Alabama, he was elected president of the Student Government Association and graduated with honors in 1977. He received the George C. Marshall Scholarship to Oxford University and was awarded a BA in Philosophy, Politics and Economics from Oxford in 1980. He received his law degree from Harvard Law School in 1982, and served as law clerk to U.S. District Judge J. Foy Guin from 1982 to 1983. Mr. Thomas is a practicing attorney in Alabama.

Scope and Contents note

The collection contains letters from several noted authors and artists to Alabama attorney Cleophus Thomas Jr. Thomas' correspondents include Bernard Malamud, Bobbie Ann Mason, and David Levine. There are also two invitations from University of Alabama president Dr. Judy Bonner to events in 2013 honoring her cabinet.

Administrative Information

Publication Information

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Conditions Governing Access note

None

Conditions Governing Use note

None

Provenance

Deposit of Cleophus Thomas, Jr.
Controlled Access Headings

Genre(s)

• Correspondence

Personal Name(s)

• Thomas, Cleophus, Jr.

Subject(s)

• Authors
• Invitations
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