



## **Descriptive Summary:**

*Title:* The Inauguration Collection

*Repository:* Beulah Williams Library Archives and Special Collections, Northern State University

*Creator:* Northern State University – University Relations

*Dates:* 1919, 1969-2016

*Extent:* 0.5 Linear Feet

## **Administrative Information**

*Acquisitions Information:* Donated by Northern State University – University Relations in multiple accretions. Future accretions are anticipated annually.

*Processing Information:* This collection was processed by Sarah Jones

*Access Restrictions:* None

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### **The President's Office Collection**

Beulah Williams Library Archive and Special Collections

## **Historical Note**

The inauguration at Northern is a formal ceremony or special event to mark the beginning of the university president's term. As of 2017, Northern has had 17 presidents:

1. Charles F. Koehler (1902-1905)
2. George W. Nash (1905-1914)
3. Willis E. Johnson (1914-1919)
4. Harold W. Foght (1919-1927)

5. David A. Anderson (1928-1933)
6. Carl G. Lawrence (1933-1939)
7. N.E. Steele (1939-1951)
8. Warren C. Lovinger (1951-1956)
9. J. Howard Kramer (1956-1968)
10. Norbert K. Baumgart (1968-1976)
11. Joseph M. McFadden (1977-1982)
12. Terrence M. Brown (1982-1992)
13. John m. Hutchinson (1993-1997)
14. John M. Hilpert (1997-2003)
15. Patrick J. Schloss (2004-2008)
16. James M. Smith (2009-2016)
17. Timothy M. Downs (2016-)

## Scope and Content

The formats in this collection include invitations and programs. This collection is divided into one series: *Inauguration*. This collection is entirely in English. This collection is arranged chronologically.

## Series Descriptions:

Series 1: Inauguration

Boxes: 1

Dates: 1969-2016

## Detailed Description of the Collection

### 1. Series 1: Commencement

#### *Box #1*

FF Harold W. Foght (December 18, 1919)

*Note: includes the commencement program from 1920, a play program from 1920, and a choir concert program from 1920.*

FF Norbert K. Baumgart (April 25, 1969)

FF John M. Hutchinson (October 19, 1993)

FF John M. Hilpert (December 11, 1998)

FF Patrick J. Schloss (2005)

FF James M. Smith (October 30, 2009)

FF Timothy M. Downs (November 10, 2016)

