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Collection Summary

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Extent: 14,765 items; 36 containers plus 3 oversize and 7 classified; 18 linear feet

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Repository: Manuscript Division, Library of Congress, Washington, D.C.

Abstract: Army officer and educator. Correspondence, memoranda, speeches and writings, logbooks, subject files, scrapbooks, printed material, photographs, and other papers pertaining primarily to Odom's service as military assistant to the assistant to the president for national security affairs, United States Army assistant chief of staff for intelligence, and director of the National Security Agency.

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.

People

Armstrong, Anne Legendre--Correspondence.

Brzezinski, Zbigniew, 1928-

Brzezinski, Zbigniew, 1928---Correspondence.

Carter, Jimmy, 1924-

Huntington, Samuel P.

Kennan, George F. (George Frost), 1904-2005--Correspondence.

Meyer, Eugene C.--Correspondence.

Odom, William E.

Rowny, Edward L., 1917---Correspondence.

Solzhenitsyn, Aleksandr Isaevich, 1918-2008--Correspondence.

Solzhenitsyn, Aleksandr Isaevich, 1918-2008. Aleksandr Isaevich Solzhenitsyn papers (1918-1992)

Warner, John W., 1927---Correspondence.

Wickham, John Adams, 1928---Correspondence.

Organizations

National Security Council (U.S.)

Strategic Arms Limitation Talks II.

United States. Army--Officers--Education.

United States. Army.

United States. Dept. of the Army. Office of the Assistant Chief of Staff for Intelligence.

United States. National Security Agency.

United States. Special Assistant to the President for National Security Affairs.

Subjects

Arms control.

Hijacking of aircraft.

Intelligence service--United States.

Iran Hostage Crisis, 1979-1981.

Military intelligence--United States.

Terrorism.

War and emergency powers--United States.

Places

Afghanistan--Foreign relations--Soviet Union.
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United States--Armed Forces--Intelligence specialists--Education.
United States--Armed Forces--Officers.
United States--Armed Forces.
United States--Defenses.
United States--Foreign relations--1977-1981.
United States--Foreign relations--Middle East.
United States--Foreign relations--Soviet Union.
United States--Military policy.
United States--National security.
United States--Politics and government--1977-1981.
United States--Strategic aspects.

Occupations

Army officers.
Educators.

Administrative Information

Provenance:

The papers of William E. Odom, army officer and educator, were given to the Library of Congress by Odom between 1988 and 1993.

Processing History:

The Odom Papers were arranged and described in 1991. Additional material was incorporated into the collection in 1997. The finding aid and organization were revised in 1998 and again in 2008.

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Biographical Note

<i>Date</i>	<i>Event</i>
1932, June 23	Born, Cookeville, Tenn.
1954	B.S., United States Military Academy, West Point, N.Y. Commissioned 2d lieutenant, United States Army
1954-1960	Duty with troops in West Germany and United States
1962	Married Anne Weld Curtis M.A., Columbia University, New York, N.Y.
1964-1966	Member, United States military liaison mission to group of Soviet forces in Potsdam, Germany
1966-1969	Assistant professor of government, United States Military Academy, West Point, N.Y.
1970	Ph.D., Columbia University, New York, N.Y.
1970-1971	Staff of Plans, Policy, Programs, Civil Operations and Revolutionary Development Support (CORDS), Military Assistance Command Vietnam (MACV), Vietnam
1971-1972	Visiting scholar, Research Institute on Communist Affairs, Columbia University, New York, N.Y.
1972-1974	Assistant army attaché, United States Embassy, Moscow, USSR
1974	Published <i>The Soviet Volunteers: Modernization and Bureaucracy in a Public Mass Organization</i> . Princeton, N.J.: Princeton University Press
1974-1975	Associate, Research Institute on International Change, Columbia University, New York, N.Y.
1974-1977	Associate professor, Department of Social Science, United States Military Academy, West Point, N.Y.
1975-1976	Associate member, Columbia University Seminar on Communism, Columbia University, New York, N.Y.
1975-1977	Senior research associate, Research Institute on International Change, Columbia University, New York, N.Y.
1977-1981	Military assistant to the assistant to the president for national security affairs
1981-1985	Assistant chief of staff for intelligence, United States Army
1985-1988	Director, National Security Agency, Ft. Meade, Md.
1988	Director, national security studies, Hudson Institute, Indianapolis, Ind.

- 1989 Adjunct professor, political science, Yale University, New Haven, Conn.
- 1992 Published *On Internal War: American and Soviet Approaches to Third World Clients and Insurgents*. Durham, N.C.: Duke University Press
Published *Trial After Triumph*. Indianapolis, Ind.: Hudson Institute
- 1993 Published *America's Military Revolution: Strategy and Structure After the Cold War*. Washington, D.C.: American University Press
- 1998 Published *The Collapse of the Soviet Military*. New Haven, Conn.: Yale University Press
- 2003 Published *Fixing Intelligence: For a More Secure America*. New Haven, Conn.: Yale University Press

Scope and Content Note

The papers of William Eldridge Odom (1932-) span the years 1918-1992, but primarily focus on the years between 1977 and 1988 when Odom served as military assistant to Zbigniew Brzezinski, as assistant chief of staff for intelligence of the United States Army, and as director of the National Security Agency. A small addition that included photocopies of personal documents belonging to Aleksandr Isaevich Solzhenitsyn covering the years 1918-1964 was received in 1992. The collection consists of personal and official correspondence, daily activity logs, subject files, speeches and writings, scrapbooks, photographs, and some printed matter. The official files include several folders containing national security information.

Odom earned a national reputation as an expert on the Soviet Union. Early in his military career he had an opportunity to observe Soviet military activities while serving as a member of the United States military liaison to Soviet forces in Potsdam, Germany. From 1966 to 1969 he taught courses in Russian history at the United States Military Academy at West Point, New York, and while serving as assistant army attaché at the United States embassy in Moscow in the early 1970s, he visited all the republics of the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics. Upon returning to the United States, he resumed his career at West Point where he taught courses in Soviet politics. His book, *The Soviet Volunteers*, was published in 1974. However, the only material in the Odom Papers from this phase of his career consists of a folder of official telegrams and intelligence reports that Odom had assembled in preparation for a working paper while on the faculty at West Point.

The corpus of the collection begins with Odom's appointment as [military assistant to the assistant to the president for national security affairs](#) in January 1977. The correspondence files for this period are generally personal, concerning arrangements for speeches and participation in forums and conferences. The letters reflect the respect of colleagues in the military and academic community for Odom's expertise and opinions regarding the Soviet Union. Many of the letters also emphasize Odom's continuing interest in the quality of education received by military officers. Others pertain to curricula of universities and the continual training of military officials.

Daily logs of Odom's activities and the files relating to the presidential directives on defense policy offer a significant record for a study of government policy. The logs provide insight into the operations of the White House and issues discussed at National Security Council meetings. They were maintained irregularly in 1977 but are more complete for the later years. They form an index to the problems and activities with which Odom was concerned on a daily basis. Some entries are cursory jottings; others are more expansive, containing Odom's opinions, impressions, and summaries of events. The notations record agenda for meetings of the National Security Council and the Special Coordination Committee on the Persian Gulf framework, reactions of participants,

meetings with government officials and others, telephone calls, and briefings attended or delivered, including preparations for trips by the president. Issues highlighted include strategic defense policy matters, particularly those pertaining to American-Soviet relations; the hostages in Iran; presidential directives on the situation in the Persian Gulf; President Jimmy Carter's executive order on telecommunications policy; the Soviet invasion of Afghanistan; terrorism and hijackings; the Middle East; strategic arms limitations talks; and the "continuation of government" during military crises or other threats to normal government operations. The entry for the morning of 20 January 1981 describes the atmosphere and activities at the White House during the last hours of the Carter administration as staff exchanged farewells and monitored the status of the flight carrying the American hostages released from Iran.

In assessing his years at the White House, Odom viewed the series of memoranda he drafted, which culminated in several presidential directives on strategic defense policy, as responsible for turning the United States from a "de facto policy of strategic retreat in the world to a policy of strategic and regional competition with Soviet power." Copies of several of these documents pertaining to the evolution of policy change are included among the classified documents in the Odom Papers.

Odom's papers for his years as the army's [assistant chief of staff for intelligence](#) and as director of the [National Security Agency](#) also relate to matters of defense and intelligence. Many of the letters and documents concern training in intelligence-gathering methods used by the military and other government agencies. Other papers focus on the study of Soviet military personnel and organization, including the Nitze Group's analysis of Soviet views of strategic competition. Additional topics discussed in the collection are the development of a defense strategy, formulation of an arms control policy, and the structure of a modern military establishment. There are also frequent references to the writings of Samuel Huntington, a person Odom believed to be "unexcelled" in tough and sound reasoning on strategic relationships. As in the earlier files, the predominant subjects in the personal correspondence are conferences covering various aspects of the intelligence field and curricula for training classes. Again, the daily logs for 1981-1988 add descriptive detail and insightful commentary on each day's activity. Further explanations of Odom's views on United States and Soviet foreign policy, approaches to developments in military strategy, and the current role of intelligence in the modern army and in international affairs can be found in the articles and speeches in the [Speeches and Writings File](#).

The [Addition](#) series contains several notebooks of Odom's personal notes on policy discussions pertaining to the Persian Gulf situation at meetings of the Special Coordination Committee in 1980 and an additional notebook relating to meetings of the Policy Review Committee and National Security Council in August 1978 that resulted in Presidential Directive #41. The addition also includes a narrative depicting Odom's role in the smuggling of Aleksandr Solzhenitsyn's papers out of the Soviet Union and their subsequent return to the author, several Solzhenitsyn letters to Odom, and photocopies of Solzhenitsyn's passports, medals, and personal documents.

A [Formerly Classified](#) series contains declassified documents that had previously been part of the [Classified](#) series.

Correspondents in the Odom Papers include Anne Legendre Armstrong, Zbigniew K. Brzezinski, George Frost Kennan, Eugene C. Meyer, Edward L. Rowny, John W. Warner, and John Adams Wickham.

Organization of the Papers

The collection is arranged in eleven series:

- [National Security Affairs Military Assistant, 1977-1981](#)
- [Assistant Chief of Staff for Intelligence, 1932-1985](#)
- [National Security Agency, 1985-1989](#)
- [Hudson Institute, 1989-1990](#)

- Speeches and Writings File, 1975-1987
- Miscellany, 1972-1989
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Description of Series

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Separated by classification levels and duplicates arrangement of the
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"The 'Militarization' of Soviet Society," *Problems of Communism*, Sept./Oct. 1976
Review of *The Soviet Soldier*, by Herbert Goldhamer, 1976
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- Speech to Spanish Military Select Group, 17 May 1978
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- "The Future of the Soviet Union and U.S. Foreign Policy," 28 Aug. 1980
- C³I and Telecommunications at the Policy Level," C³I Seminar, Program on Information Resources Policy, Harvard University, Cambridge, Mass., 8 Sept. 1980
- Notes for lecture to the National War College on the National Security Council, Washington, D.C., 2 Oct. 1980
- Remarks at the Sage Session, Lincoln Laboratories, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Lexington, Mass., 21 Oct. 1980
- Remarks on civil defense policy, 4 Dec. 1980
- "The Riddle of Soviet Military Spending," [Apr. 1981]
- Speech, Reserve Officers Training Corps (ROTC), Ft. Riley, Kans., 9 July 1981
- "Strategic Realities and Strategic Choices," National War College, Washington, D.C., 25 Aug. 1981
- "Evolution of U.S. Strategic Doctrine," Woodrow Wilson Center for International Studies, Washington, D.C., 16 Sept. 1981
- "The Threat to U.S. Security in the 1980's: Two Overlapping Challenges," Fifth Army Civilian Aides, 15 Oct. 1981
- Review of *The New Red Legions*, by Richard Gabriel, 1981
- Introduction for International Research and Exchanges Board (IREX) occasional papers, Jan. 1982
- Flag Day, Vint Hill Farms, Warrenton, Va., 14 June 1982
- "Notes on the Evolution of U.S. Strategic Doctrine: The Dialectics of Change," American Political Science Association, Denver, Colo., 2-5 Sept. 1982
- "Choice and Change in Soviet Politics," *Problems of Communism*, May-June 1983
- "Trends in the Balance of Military Power Between East and West," International Institute for Strategic Studies Conference, 8-11 Sept. 1983
- "The Soviet Approach to Nuclear Weapons: A Historical Review," *Annals of the American Academy of Political Science*, Sept. 1983
- "Impact of Soviet Cuban Power Projection on the Americas," Conference of American Armies, Caracas, Venezuela, 3-7 Oct. 1983
- Speech to Divisional Commanders Conference, 1983
- "Soviet Strategic Framework," paper presented to the Nuclear Strategy Development Group, Office of Secretary of Defense, 13 Oct. 1984
- "The Implications of Active Defense of NATO for Soviet Military Strategy," European American Institute for Security Research, 26-27 Nov. 1984
- "Soviet Politics: Internal Imperatives and External Dynamics," Middlebury College, Middlebury, Vt., 26 Nov. 1984
- "Dilemmas and Directions in Soviet Force Development Policy," Kennan Institute for Advanced Russian Studies, Woodrow Wilson Center for International Studies, Washington, D.C., 30 Jan. 1985 (includes revisions)

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 - Comments on Legvold's paper, undated
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 - "Net Assessment of East-West Relations," outline, undated
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 - Draft speech on the security framework for the Persian Gulf region, 7 Sept. 1980
 - "The Quest for Global Security: The Third Phase," 20 Oct. 1980
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	Documents containing top secret national security information removed from classified files and housed separately. An inventory of Top Secret items is included in the box.
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