American Indians and Marquette University: A Comprehensive Bibliography (includes all sources known by author)

See also -- Who’s the American Indian on the MU Flag? A Timeline about Native Americans and Marquette University by Mark G. Thiel.

Marquette Digital Collections and Online Publications

American Indians - Archival Resources; guide archival resources for research about American Indians and Marquette University; includes “Who’s the American Indian on the MU Flag? A Timeline about Native Americans and Marquette University”

Exploration and Discovery: A Distinct Collection of Stamps; pertains to commemorations of Jacques Marquette's exploration of the Mississippi River in stamps issued by the U.S. Postal Service, 1898 and 1968, and in the painting by Wilhelm Lamprecht, 1869.


University Histories; includes references to Indians in association with Jacques Marquette and Indian imagery in the university logo.

Web Links and Online Publications Elsewhere

Marquette, Jacques, Journals (English translation), http://www.iwu.edu/~matthews/homepage.html
Marquette Logo and Seal, http://www.mu.edu/about/logo-seal.shtml
Marquette University Timeline, http://www.mu.edu/about/timeline.shtml
Office of Institutional Research and Assessment, http://www.marquette.edu/oira/; includes common data sets and head counts of students and faculty with ethnic breakdowns

Wikipedia, [http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Main_Page](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Main_Page); articles include Marquette University, Jacques Marquette, F. Paul Prucha


**Print Publications**


*The Marquette Tribune*: reports on the Marquette American Indian sport team nickname/mascot, 1954-1990s, the Konrad Adenauer honorary degree event with American Indian involvement, June, 1956, and students, 1970s--; Raynor Library has complete sets available in Archives (paper and microfilm) and Library Reserves (microfilm). Suggested search terms: "Indians", "Native Americans", "White Buck", "Willie Wampum" and "First Warrior".

**Marquette Special Collections**


**Marquette University Records in University Archives**

Record Group A-2, Board of Trustees, Minutes of Meetings

*Record Group A-4.2, Series 5 – Office of Public Relations, Administrative Subject Files*: includes file for the Konrad Adenauer honorary degree event with American Indian involvement, 1956.

Record Group A-4.3, Series 1 – University Anniversaries – 75th Anniversary, 1955-1956; includes planning files and follow up clippings for the Konrad Adenauer honorary degree event with American Indian involvement, 1956.

*Record Group A-4.5, Series 9 – Photographic, Sound, Film, and Biographical Records*: includes biographical files about students, staff and honored visitors; contain news clippings, university press releases, photographs and other documents; files about American Indians = Konrad Adenauer, Chancellor of West Germany, honorary degree event with American Indian involvement, 1956; John J. Bodine, Sociology-Anthropology Department; Rev. Raphael N. Hamilton, S.J., Chairman, History Department, 1932-1956, Dean of Graduate School, 1939-1944, University Archivist, 1961-1973 (2 folders); Alice B. Kehoe, Sociology-Anthropology Department; Dave Overstreet, Anthropology Department; Maxine Smallish, American Indian/ Native American Student Counselor; Rev. Francis Paul Prucha,
S.J., History Department, Faculty Teaching Award recipient, 1973, President, Milwaukee County Historical Society, 1977, Honorary Degree recipient, 1988 (4 folders); Norman Craig Sullivan, Anthropology Department; Mark G. Thiel, Archivist, Native American collections.

Record Group A-4.5, Series 9 – Photographs and General Information Files – Marquette University People – Digitized and Online Photographs: includes Marquette, (Pere) Jacques, S.J.

Record Group A-4.5, Series 10 – Photographs and General Information Files – Marquette University History (Activities); contain news clippings, university press releases, photographs and other documents; files about American Indians and Indian imagery = 00044, Anthropology; 00698, Indians (American Indian Counselor); 00985a-00985e, Nickname/ Mascot; 01380, Wampum, Willie; 01385 Warrior/ First Warrior; 01387 Warriors (White Buck, Willie Wampum, and First Warrior)

Record Group A-4.5, Series 10 – Photographs and General Information Files – Marquette University History (Activities) – Digitized and Online Photographs; includes Homecoming

Record Group 4-5, Series 11 – Oversize Materials: includes 1954 poster and Warrior basketball guide with Indian-related imagery; includes biographical file for Scott C. Idleman, Law School.

Record Group A-4.5, Series 13 – Color Slides: includes American Indians and Indian imagery (logo, sports team nicknames/mascots); related files with box/file number: Logo/Promotion, 1980s-1994, 59/00866; Logo/Promotion, 64/00866; Multi-Cultural Center, 25/00963; Warrior, First Warrior, 42/01385; Warrior, First Warrior, 1980s, 62/01385.

Record Group A-6.2 – Marquette University Catalogs and Bulletins; includes bulletins with lists of courses, e.g. College of Liberal Arts: Sociology 112, The American Indian, 1959-1961, and lists of graduates to the 1920s. The 1909-1910 Marquette Department of Medicine bulletin lists all previous Medical School graduates, e.g. Josiah A. Powless, 1904. The annotation for “Record Group A-8.1, Series 2 – Student Life Office – Student Directories” includes a listing of known surnames used by Marquette Indian students. The Marquette Archives has a comprehensive card file of Marquette graduates and the online Hilltop Yearbooks list all graduates, 1915-1996.


Record Group A-8.1, Series 1 – Student Life Office – Administrative Subject Files; includes the First Warrior outfit. See Record Group B-2.23, Series 7, for the Willie Wampum costume.

Record Group A-8.1, Series 2 – Student Life Office – Student Directories; lists contact information of students starting in 1922. The following are some of the surnames used by American Indian students: Chabot, Corn, Denning, Koehler, LaFromboise, Logan, Loudbear, Powless, Smallish, Tourtillot, Vigue, and Webster. The Marquette Archives has a comprehensive card file of Marquette graduates and the online Hilltop Yearbooks list all graduates, 1915-1996.
Record Group A-8.1, Series 4 – Student Life Office – MultiCultural Center (International Education Center/Minority Cultural Center); activities and reports, a few of which include scant information about American Indian students, e.g. Ethnic Minority Student Survey, Minority Arts Festival.

Record Group A-8.1, Series 6 – Student Life Office – New Student Register, Freshman Record, New Faces; lists new students starting in 1971.


Record Group A-8.3, Series 8 – Student Government; includes records on Indian-related nickname/mascot, 1954-1990s.

Record Group B-2.17, Series 7 – Club Sports – Realia; box 1 includes a 1968 Marquette Warriors football pin.

Record Group B-2.23, Series 7 – Athletic Photographs, Realia (Artifacts), and Recordings - Realia; Banners, clothing, drinking containers, mascot costumes, etc., with the “warriors” and other sports team logos and nicknames; includes the Willie Wampum costume. See Record Group A-8.1, Series 1, for the First Warrior outfit.

Record Group B-2.4, Series 3 – Men's Basketball Programs; includes articles about First Warrior role and its student performer, 1980-1986.

Record Group B-4, Series 1 – All University Assemblies; includes clippings, reel-to-reel audio tape and film of the Konrad Adenauer honorary degree event with American Indian involvement, 1956.

Record Group B-14 – Pere Marquette Memorial Ludington Michigan; a 300th anniversary memorial; for more memorials, see "Record Group D-2, Series 4 Pere Marquette Collection".

Record Group B-15, Series 1 – Pere Marquette Postage Stamp Collection; about the 1869 Wilhelm Lamprecht painting and the 1898 and 1968 U.S. postage stamps honoring Marquette; described further in the digital collection, "Exploration and Discovery: A Distinct Collection of Stamps".

Record Group D-2, Series 4 – Pere Marquette Collection; comprises articles, biographies and memorials.

Record Group D-8, Series 1 – Athletics Nickname/Mascot Collection; includes framed decal with Indian-related logo and 2005 Marquette Warrior blog printout on nickname/mascot entries.

Record Group C-1.7, Series 2 – Department of History (FPP): Prucha, Francis Paul, S.J., Papers; includes research materials and correspondence regarding American Indian relationships with the United States.

Marquette University Records in Office of Origin or Location Unknown

University Advancement, Mike Koehler contact reports, 2007, 2009.