

Interviews, 1993 – 1995

3 boxes &amp; 45 audio tapes

## INTRODUCTION

The interviews in this collection were conducted as part of the Albert Einstein Institution Oral History Project entitled: "Forty Years of Popular Resistance: Using Oral Histories to Document the Struggle Against Apartheid". The interviews were conducted By Dr Barbara Harmel and Professor Phil Bonner in 1993 and 1994.

Most of the audiotapes are accompanied by transcriptions but in some cases only the transcriptions are available.

Dr Barbara Harmel was born in December 1942 in Johannesburg. Harmel is the daughter of Ray Harmel, a trade unionist, founding member of the Garment Workers' Union and a life-long member of the South African Communist Party, and Michael Harmel who was a member of the central committee of this the South African Communist Party and the first Editor of the African Communist.

Dr Harmel joined the underground movement in 1963 and, after narrowly avoiding arrest, went into exile in 1964. Harmel graduated with a B.A. (Hons.) in Philosophy and a Masters in sub-Saharan African Studies at the School of Oriental and African Studies from the University of London. While reading for a Ph.D. at the University of Essex, she was awarded a travel scholarship to do her research at Yale University. She was also an Associate Fellow of the Southern Africa Research Programme at Yale and taught several courses on the politics of South Africa. In 1984 Barbara moved to Washington D.C. where she worked for four years promoting Congressional awareness of conditions in South Africa and campaigning for U.S. sanctions against South Africa.

In 1988 she was awarded a two-year scholarship at Harvard University's Center for International Affairs where she ran a weekly seminar on South African politics presented by many speakers from South Africa. In 1990 she became the Director of the South Africa Program at the Albert Einstein Institution in Cambridge, Massachusetts. It was in this capacity and under their auspices that she returned to South Africa in 1992. In 1995 Dr Harmel trained as a psychologist in London and is currently in private practice in Johannesburg.

## COLLECTION DESCRIPTION

## A PROJECT PROPOSAL

Proposal for Oral History Project from The Albert Einstein Institution entitled: "Forty Years of Popular Resistance: Using Oral Histories to Document the Struggle Against Apartheid".

A 1 Project costs and reimbursement.

## B INTERVIEWS

Interview transcripts, audio tapes of interviews with Political Leaders and Ex-Political Prisoners including a copy of seminar on South Africa and log sheets of interviews.

B 1 Bernstein, Rusty

B 1.1 Interview conducted on 29 November 1993 (Oxford)

B 1.2 Interview conducted on 29 March 1994(Berea)

B 1.3 Interview conducted on 5 May 1994(Berea)

B 1.4 Interview conducted on 29 May 1994 (Berea)

Transcripts available 5 x audio tapes 2 are duplicates

Transcript available 1 x audio tape  
2 duplicates

Transcript available No tape available of this interview

Transcript available No tape available of this interview

No transcript available  
2 x audio tapes

B 2 Diale, Nelson

Transcript only No tapes available of this interview

No dates or location provided.

B 3 Fazie, Henry

B 3.1 Interview conducted on 25 October 1993(Johannesburg)

B 3.2 Audio tape of interview of 1 November 1993.

Transcript available 2 x audio tapes

No transcript available  
1 x audio tape

B 4 Kathrada, Ahmed

No transcript available  
1 x audio tape

Interview conducted on 18 April 1994 (Johannesburg)

B 5 Makgothi, Squire

B 5.1 Interview conducted on 22 February 1994(Shell House, Johannesburg)

B 5.2 Interview conducted on 6 May 1994 (Shell House Johannesburg)

Transcript available 1 x audio tape

Transcript available 1 x audio tape

B 6 Matthews, Joe

Transcript only No tape available

Interview conducted on 18 August 1994 (Plein Street, Cape Town)

B 7 Mbeki, Govan

Including one unidentified and 4 audio tapes

B 7.1	Interview conducted on 27 October 1993 (Standard House, Port Elizabeth)	Transcript available	2 x audio tapes
B 7.2	Interview conducted on 28 October 1993 (Standard House, Port Elizabeth)	Transcript available	2 x audio tapes
B 8	Mhlaba, Raymond		
B 8.1	Interview conducted on 27 October 1993 (Standard House, Port Elizabeth)	Transcript available	2 x audio tapes
B 8.2	Interview conducted on 28 October 1993 (Standard House, Port Elizabeth)	Transcript available	1 x audio tape
B 9	Mkwayi, Wilton		
B 9.1	Interview conducted on 18 October 1993 (Shell House, Johannesburg)	Transcript available	1 x audio tape
B 9.2	Interview conducted on 22 October 1993 (Shell House, Johannesburg)	Transcript available	1 x audio tape
B 9.3	Interview conducted on 25 October 1993 (Shell House, Johannesburg)	Transcript available	1 x audio tape
B 10	Mlangeni, Andrew		
B 10.1	Interview conducted on 2 March 1994 (Shell House, Johannesburg)	Transcript available	1 x audio tape
B 10.2	Interview conducted 2 May 1994 (Shell House, Johannesburg)	Transcript available	No audio tape
B 11	Motsoaledi, Elliot		
B 11.1	Interview conducted on 7 April 1993 (Soweto, Johannesburg)	Transcript available	2 x audio tapes
B 11.2	Unknown date and location	Transcript available	No audio tape is available
B 12	Mtshali, Eric		
	Interview conducted on 18 July 1994 (Durban)	Transcript available (only part 2 )	No audio tape available
B 13	Nair, Billy		
	Interview conducted on 13 June 1994 (Nedbank Gardens, Durban)	Transcript available (only parts 2 &3)	2 x audio tapes
B 14	Ndlovu, Cornick		
	Interview conducted on 13 June 1993 (Kwa-Mashu, Durban)	Transcript available	2 x audio tapes
	Interview on tape together with B. Nair & D. Nyembe		
B 15	Nkadameng, John		
B 15.1	Interview conducted on 17 May 1993 and (Shell House, Johannesburg)	Transcript available	2 audio tapes
B 15.2	Interview conducted on 18 May 1993	Transcript available	1 audio tape
B 15.3	Interview conducted on 8 July 1993	Transcript available	1 audio tape
B 16	Nkobi, Thomas		
B 16.1	Interview conducted on 11 November 1993(Shell House, Johannesburg)	Transcript available	3 audio tapes
B 16.2	Interview conducted on 24 November 1993(Shell House, Johannesburg)	Transcript available	1 audio tape
B 17	Nyembe, Dorothy		
	Interview conducted on 13 June 1993 (Nedbank Building, Durban) Interview on tape together with B. Nair & C. Ndlovu	Only part 2 available	2 audio tapes
B 18	Nzo, Alfred		
B 18.1	Interview conducted on 14 March 1994(Shell House, Johannesburg)	Transcript available	1 audio tape
B 18.2	Interview conducted on 8 April 1994(Shell House, Johannesburg)	Transcript available	1 audio tape
B 19	Ramokgadi, Martin		
	No location or date provided.	Transcript available	No audio tape available
B 20	Segale, Stephen		
	Interview conducted on 3 August 1994 (Saulspoort)	Transcript available	No audio tape available
B 21	Sisulu, Walter		
B 21.1	Interview conducted on 5 May 1993(Shell House, Johannesburg)	Transcript available	1 audio tape
B 21.2	Interview conducted on 10 May 1993(Shell House, Johannesburg)	Transcript available	No audio tape available
B 21.3	Interview conducted on 21 May 1993(Shell House, Johannesburg)	Transcript available	1 audio tape
B 21.4	Interview conducted on 15 July 1993(Shell House, Johannesburg)	Transcript available	1 audio tape 1 duplicate
B 21.5	Interview conducted on 25 October 1993 (Shell House, Johannesburg)	Transcript available	No audio tape available
B 21.6	Interview conducted on 11 November 1993(Shell House, Johannesburg)	Transcript available	1 audio tape
B 21.7	Interview conducted on 10 June 1994(Shell House, Johannesburg)	Transcript available	No audio tape available
B 21.8	No date or place provided.	Transcript available	1 audio tape
B 22	Tambo, Olivier		
	Interview conducted on 6 November 1973 (New York)	Transcript available	No audio tape available
B 23	Turok, Ben		
B 23.1	Interview conducted on April 1993 (no location provided)	Transcript available	1 audio tape
B 23.2	Interview conducted on 20 April 1993 (no location provided)	Transcript available	1 audio tape
B 24	South Africa Seminar on 26 February 1991 (Huntington)	No Transcript available	1 audio tape
B 25	Micro tape not labeled, undated or place provided. No transcript available.		
B 26	Interviews log sheets listing names and dates of all people interviewed for this project		

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OTHER

Paper by Colin Bundy entitled: "Survival and Resistance: Township Organizations and Nonviolent Direct Action in Twentieth Century South Africa". 1979/80