

# Guide to the Vicki Lord Larson Collection, 1977-2007

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## Overview of the Collection

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**Reference Code:** USGZE UHC 374

**Accession Number:** 20-009

**Collection Number:** University Historical Collection 374

**Creator:** Vicki Lord Larson

**Title:** Vicki Lord Larson Collection

**Dates:** 1977-2007

**Quantity:** 2.8 linear feet (1 archives box, 1 record carton, 1 flat)

**Location of Collection:** A7/1e and A3/2d

**Languages:** Collection materials are in English.

**Summary:** Dr. Vicki Lord Larson, professor at the University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire also served as Interim Chancellor at from 2005 to 2006. This collection includes a number of Lord's academic papers, books, and various memorabilia from her time at UW-Eau Claire.

## Biographical/Historical Note

Dr. Vicki Lord Larson was born in Prentice, WI on September 21, 1944. As a first-generation college student, Vicki attended UW-Madison, eventually earning a Ph.D. in Communication Sciences and Disorders. In her field, Dr. Larson published a large number of academic papers, furthering the research of many other academics.

Dr. Larson taught at three Wisconsin colleges, of which are UW-Whitewater, UW-Oshkosh, and UW-Eau Claire. In 1973, Dr. Larson started as an assistant professor of communication disorders at UW-Eau Claire, later becoming the chair of the Department of Communication Disorders from 1978-1983.

In 1984, she became the assistant dean for Graduate studies, as well as University Research in 1987, later being promoted to associate dean in 1989.

After leaving UW-Eau Claire, Vicki Lord Larson served as Provost and Vice Chancellor of Academic Affairs at UW-Oshkosh, as well as consultant to the UW System President concerning the understanding of women in the UW system. Vicki returned to Eau Claire in 2005 and was named interim chancellor of the university while transitioning between chancellor Donald Mash and Brian Levin-Stankevich.

In February 2019, due to her long history with UW-Eau Claire, the Old Library was renamed Vicki Lord Larson Hall in memory of her dedication to the university. Dr. Larson passed away on January 31, 2019.

## Content Description

Included in this collection are Dr. Larson's academic papers, books, awards, and various memorabilia related to her time at UW-Eau Claire.

## Administrative Information

**Acquisition Information:** Donated to the Special Collections & Archives, University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire by Sally Webb on behalf of the estate of Vicki Lord Larson in September 2019.

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## Subjects

**Personal Names:** Vicki Lord Larson

**Corporate Names:** University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire, Interim Chancellor

**Subject Terms:** Vicki Lord Larson

**Geographical Terms:** Eau Claire, Wis., Oshkosh, Wis., Whitewater, Wis

## Detailed List of Contents

Academic papers, books, awards, and various memorabilia involving Dr. Larson's academic life and time at UW-Eau Claire.

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Container	Contents	Dates
1	Academic Papers	1977-2000
2	Books and Award	1982, 1987, 2003-2005, 2007
3	Various memorabilia (photos, awards, poster, and nametags)	n.d.