



Ford Foundation International Fellowship Program Records

Columbia's goals ...

 To preserve and make accessible IFP's paper and digital archives to scholars, researchers and students

 To build out a full set of digital archival repository systems and services at Columbia to support the IFP archive and other born-digital archives

IFP Content

- Records from 21 international partners and Secretariat
- 509 linear feet of paper records
- 350,000+ digital files
- 250+ data file formats
- Content in 10 languages
- Content in 7 non-Roman character sets

Tasks to Come / In Progress Digital Archive

- Review of beta website by Ford, IIE, others
- Public launch of website, external communication
- Further confidentiality recategorization, review
- Conversion / transcoding of audio and video content to allow for online access
- Creation of additional metadata for A/V material and other high-value content
- Data conversion / curation of content in non-document formats

Tasks to Come / In Progress Continued ...

- Bring IFP processing archivist on board
- Process paper archives
- Complete and disseminate EAD archival finding aid
- Design and implement a Ford IFP Visiting Scholar's Program at Columbia

Thank you. Questions?