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Article Summary: This article presents a listing of theses from universities and colleges in the Midwest that covered topics relating to Nebraska or Great Plains history and politics. Twenty six institutions were contacted, with nine colleges responding and listed.

## Arranged by College:

- Chadron State College (Chadron, Nebraska)
- Drake University (Des Moines, Iowa)
- Fort Hays Kansas State College (Hays, Kansas)
- The University of Iowa (Iowa City, Iowa)
- Kansas State University (Manhattan, Kansas)
- University of Missouri (Columbia, Missouri)
- University of Nebraska (Lincoln, Nebraska)
- University of Nebraska (Omaha, Nebraska)
- University of South Dakota (Vermillion, South Dakota)

# NEBRASKA HISTORY IN GRADUATE THESES

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Thesis and dissertation topics relating to Nebraska or Great Plains hisotry and politics are listed periodically in Nebraska History. Previous listings appeared in the 1971 Winter Issue and the 1973 Spring Issue. The bibliography is a continuing project of the Nebraska State Historical Society and is designed to make researchers aware of available unpublished sources. Twenty-six universities and colleges in the Midwest were contacted.

# CHADRON STATE COLLEGE, Chadron, Nebraska

# Master of Arts

Hytrek, Anthony J., "The History of Fort Robinson, Nebraska, from 1900 to the Present" (1971).

# DRAKE UNIVERSITY, Des Moines, Iowa

# Master of Arts

Allen, Leola F., "The Rise and Impact of Anti-German Sentiment in Iowa 1917-1921" (1973).

Burstein, Gordon, "Iowa's 1846 Ban on Banking: A Product of State and National History and Politics" (1972).

Dougherty, Donald, "The Evolution of a Progressive; Daniel Webster Turner of Iowa" (1973).

Fitzgerald, Thomas B., "Child Labor Regulation in Iowa, 1874-1906" (1970).

Gildner, Judith, "A Comparative Study of the National Farmers Alliance and the National Farmers Alliance and Industrial Union in Iowa, 1880-1896" (1972).

Rickman, Wilburn E., "The Nature of Iowa Territorial Politics" (1974).

Schwechel, Dale, "An Inquiry into the Role of the Indian Agent's Work Among the Tribes of the Winnebago, Sac and Fox Indians in Territorial Iowa from 1820-1848" (1970).

Worcester, Richard, "The Origins and Development of the Indian Removal Policy: 1800-1840" (1974).

FORT HAYS KANSAS STATE COLLEGE, Hays, Kansas Master of Arts

Byrne, Joseph, "Medical History of Fort Dodge, Kansas, 1865-1972" (1974).

Zwink, Timothy, "The Hancock-Custer Expedition of 1867" (1974).

# THE UNIVERSITY OF IOWA, Iowa City, Iowa

Master of Arts

Rose, Marilyn M., "Ethnicity and Assimilation of Swiss-German Mennonites of Hutchison and Turner Counties, South Dakota" (1974).

Doctor of Philosophy

Dennis, William Hostetler, "The Influence of Campus, Social, and Political Variables on Student Protest Behavior During the Late Sixties" (1974).

Gregory, Alan Snider, "Non-Partisanship in American Elections: Independents, Swing Voters, and Ticket Splitters" (1974).

# KANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY, Manhattan, Kansas

Master of Arts

Bute, Wayne Lee, "'Dad' Koeger and the Good Samaritan Society" (1973).

Wintz, Cary DeCordova, "Social Response to Ethnic Groups in Omaha, Nebraska: 1892-1910" (1968).

## Doctor of Philosophy

Winkler, Albert Leo, "Investment Among the States" (1972).

#### UNIVERSITY OF MISSOURI-COLUMBIA

## Master of Arts

Delgado, Richard, "Community Leaders' Attitudes Toward The Omaha Sun Newspapers" (1974).

#### UNIVERSITY OF NEBRASKA-LINCOLN

#### Master of Arts

Rosenberg, Sarah Zacher, "Christian Abraham Sorensen as Attorney General of Nebraska, 1908-1932" (1973).

## Doctor of Philosophy

Kelly, William, "Extremist Politics in Nebraska During the Last Decade" (1973).

Mertens, Marilyn, "The Federalism's Tool: Revenue Sharing and Nebraska Municipalities" (1974).

Potts, James Byron, "Nebraska Territory, 1854-1867: A Study of Frontier Politics" (1973).

Timmons, Jack, "Development and Utilization of Multi-Purpose Water Resource Districts" (on the legislative history of Nebraska's NRD's) (1972).

#### UNIVERSITY OF NEBRASKA-OMAHA

# Master of Arts

Hardin, John David, "Residential Construction, Acceleration, Urban Growth, and Future Trends of Sarpy County" (1973).

Harkins, Michael Joseph, "Public Health in Early Omaha 1857-1900" (1973).

Hoesel, Stephen Frederick, "The Impact of Center-Pivot Irrigation on the Sandhills of Nebraska" (1973).

Olmes, Jerry Philip, "Selected Causes in Dust in the Southern Great Plains 1931-1950" (1974).

Osinski, Robert Stanley, "Spatial Variations of Valley Slide Slopes Along a Traverse Through the Central Loess Hills of Nebraska" (1973).

Passewitz, Gregory Rae, "O'Neill Nebraska, The First Quarter Century" (1973).

## UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH DAKOTA, Vermillion, South Dakota

## Master of Arts

Burt, Larry Wayne, "Glen Emmons and the Administration of Indian Affairs in the 1950's" (1974).

Clow, Richmond L., "The Brule Indian Agencies 1868-78" (1972).

Dollar, Clyde D., "The Journal of Charles LeRaye: Authentic or Not?" (1974).

Dykshorn, Janice Mae, "Public Law 83-280 and the Reasons for its Failure" (1972).

Laberge, Alfred, "History of Yankton State Hospital, 1878-1973" (1974).

Lamport, Nancy Lee Catherine, "Francis Case: His Pioneer Background, Indian Legislation and Missouri River Conservation" (1972).

Mathews, Alan James, "History of the United Farmers League in South Dakota" (1972).

Neal, David G., "Voluntary Relocation Program: Indian Employment During the 1950's" (1971).

Olson, Carol J., "A History of the Winnebago People" (1974).

Stanley, Gentry, "History of the South Dakota Highway Department, 1941-60" (1971).