

Archives Unbound:

JFK's Foreign Affairs and International Crises, 1961-1963



Archives Unbound

Archives Unbound answers the call within libraries and university departments to digitise small collections of primary source material. This new online resource digitises the most sought-after microfilm collections from Gale and Primary Source Media, capturing defining moments in history. Between 5,000 to 200,000 pages per title, these specialist collections act as small adjuncts to the large Gale digital collections making them an affordable option for libraries and departments.

JFK's Foreign Affairs and International Crises, 1961-1963

Sourced from the John F. Kennedy Presidential Library, this fascinating collection provides insight into President Kennedy's views and actions on:

- The Bay of Pigs
- Support of Third World countries
- Nuclear weapons and testing
- NATO and the Multilateral Force in Europe
- The international space race

Devoting his entire inaugural address to international affairs, President John F. Kennedy spoke of the need for all Americans to be active citizens, famously urging the nation to, "Ask not what your country can do for you; ask what you can do for your country." He also asked the nations of the world to join together to fight what he called the "common enemies of man: tyranny, poverty, disease, and war itself." In closing, he expanded on his desire for greater internationalism: "Finally, whether you are citizens of America or citizens of the world, ask of us the same high standards of strength and sacrifice which we ask of you."

This series contains files on a variety of subjects such as:

- Alliance for Progress
- Civil defense
- Foreign aid
- Hijacking incidents
- Nuclear weapons
- Policy planning
- Space Activities
- Regional Security File

This material is divided by geographic region, treaty organization or subject including:

- Latin America
- Southeast Asia
- NATO
- Multilateral Force
- Depts/Agencies

This series is divided alphabetically by department or agency name: Arms Control & Disarmament Agency

- Defense Department
- National Security Council
- State Department

Features:

- Intuitive searches that deliver organised results
- Highlighted keywords to facilitate research
- Flexible and accessible for the 24-hour researcher
- Subject-specific collections support multidisciplinary research in history, political science, hard science, ethnic studies and more
- Active publishing schedule, with multiple collections added annually
- Highly targeted at 5,000 to 200,000 pages per collection