Finding Aid to The HistoryMakers ® Video Oral History with Wanda Henton Brown

Overview of the Collection

Repository: The HistoryMakers®1900 S. Michigan Avenue Chicago, Illinois 60616

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Creator: Brown, Wanda Henton, 1951-

Title: The HistoryMakers® Video Oral History Interview with Wanda Henton Brown,

Dates: August 20, 2017

Bulk Dates: 2017

Physical Description: 7 uncompressed MOV digital video files (3:13:07).

Abstract: Management consultant Wanda Henton Brown (1952 -) worked as an investment banker

with firms such as Lazard Freres and her own company, Lloyd Bridge Advisory Corp. She also served as first lady of Bermuda from 2006 to 2010 and CEO of Bermuda Health and the Brown-Darrell Clinic. Brown was interviewed by The HistoryMakers® on August 20, 2017, in Martha's Vineyard, Massachusetts. This collection is comprised of

the original video footage of the interview.

Identification: A2017 147

Language: The interview and records are in English.

Biographical Note by The HistoryMakers®

Management consultant Wanda Henton Brown was born on December 6, 1951 in Pineville, Louisiana to Evangeline Compton Henton and Mack Henton, Sr. She enrolled in college at the age of fourteen through an early entrance program, and enrolled at Southern University in Baton Rouge, Louisiana. She graduated with her B.S. degree, and received her J.D. degree from Southern University Law School in 1977.

Henton Brown moved to Boston, Massachusetts in the early 1980s to work at the minority-owned law firm Budd & Wiley, led by Fletcher "Flash" Wiley and Wayne Budd. In 1985, she moved from law into public finance, and accepted a position in the public sector as a debt issuance coordinator for the New York State Housing Finance Agency and the New York State Medical Care Facilities Finance Agency. Henton Brown moved her work in public finance into the investment banking sector in 1989, when she joined the investment banking firm of Dillon, Read & Co. as a vice president, and then became executive vice president at the asset management company of Lazard Freres in 1992. During her tenure as a vice president, her clients included the State of Connecticut, the Fulton County Water and Sewer Authority in Georgia, Lambert-St. Louis International Airport, and the District of Columbia. Henton Brown founded her own financial services consulting firm, Lloyd Bridge Advisory Corp. in New York City, in the late 1990s. She also served on the corporate boards of both StanCorp Financial Group, Inc., Ocean Energy, Inc., New York State Teachers' Retirement System, and National Association of Securities Professionals.

In 2003, Wanda Henton Brown married Dr. Ewart Brown, then a Member of Parliament in his native land of Bermuda. Dr. Brown became the premier of Bermuda of 2006, and she became the first lady from 2006 to 2010. Presiding over affairs of state such as the visit of Queen Elizabeth II of the United Kingdom to Bermuda in 2009. Henton Brown also worked with her husband on the operation of two medical practices on the island, Bermuda Healthcare Services and Brown-Darrell Clinic.

Wanda Henton Brown was interviewed by *The HistoryMakers* on August 20, 2017.

Scope and Content

This life oral history interview with Wanda Henton Brown was conducted by Randall Pinkston on August 20, 2017, in Martha's Vineyard, Massachusetts, and was recorded on 7 uncompressed MOV digital video files. Management consultant Wanda Henton Brown (1952 -) worked as an investment banker with firms such as Lazard Freres and her own company, Lloyd Bridge Advisory Corp. She also served as first lady of Bermuda from 2006 to 2010 and CEO of Bermuda Health and the Brown-Darrell Clinic.

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Information about the administrative functions involved in scheduling, researching, and producing the interview, as well as correspondence with the interview subject is stored electronically both on The HistoryMakers® server and in two databases maintained by The HistoryMakers®, though this information is not included in this finding aid.

Controlled Access Terms

This interview collection is indexed under the following controlled access subject terms.

Persons:

Brown, Wanda Henton, 1951-

Pinkston, Randall (Interviewer)

Hickey, Matthew (Videographer)

Subjects:

African Americans--Interviews Brown, Wanda Henton, 1951- --Interviews

Organizations:

HistoryMakers® (Video oral history collection)

The HistoryMakers® African American Video Oral History Collection

Occupations:

Management Consultant

HistoryMakers® Category:

BusinessMakers

Administrative Information

Custodial History

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Preferred Citation

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Processing Information

This interview collection was processed and encoded on 5/30/2023 by The HistoryMakers® staff. The finding aid was created adhering to the following standards: DACS, AACR2, and the Oral History Cataloging Manual (Matters 1995).

Other Finding Aid

A Microsoft Access contact database and a FileMaker Pro tracking database, both maintained by The HistoryMakers®, keep track of the administrative functions involved in scheduling, researching, and producing the interview.

Detailed Description of the Collection

Series I: Original Interview Footage

Video Oral History Interview with Wanda Henton Brown, Section A2017_147_001_001, TRT: 1:28:12?

Video Oral History Interview with Wanda Henton Brown, Section A2017_147_001_002, TRT: 2:29:40?

Video Oral History Interview with Wanda Henton Brown, Section A2017_147_001_003, TRT: 3:29:09?

Video Oral History Interview with Wanda Henton Brown, Section A2017_147_001_004, TRT: 4:28:32?

Video Oral History Interview with Wanda Henton Brown, Section A2017_147_001_005, TRT: 5:29:25?

Video Oral History Interview with Wanda Henton Brown, Section A2017_147_001_006, TRT: 6:28:54?

Video Oral History Interview with Wanda Henton Brown, Section A2017_147_001_007, TRT: 7:19:15?