

Finding Aid to The HistoryMakers® Video Oral History with Barbara Alleyne

Overview of the Collection

Repository:	The HistoryMakers®1900 S. Michigan Avenue Chicago, Illinois 60616 info@thehistorymakers.com www.thehistorymakers.com
Creator:	Alleyne, Barbara, 1948-
Title:	The HistoryMakers® Video Oral History Interview with Barbara Alleyne,
Dates:	August 20, 2017
Bulk Dates:	2017
Physical Description:	6 uncompressed MOV digital video files (2:14:59).
Abstract:	Investment banker Barbara Alleyne (1948 -) was the managing director in global fixed income at Citigroup until 2001, and founded the Black Alumni Association Scholarship at Northeastern University. Alleyne 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_150
Language:	The interview and records are in English.

Biographical Note by The HistoryMakers®

Investment banker Barbara Alleyne was born on October 9, 1948 in Brooklyn, New York to Elaine Harrell Alleyne and Irving Seymour Alleyne. Her family later moved to Long Island, New York and she graduated from Roosevelt Junior and Senior High School in Roosevelt, New York in 1965, and received her B.A. degree in economics from Northeastern University in Boston, Massachusetts, in 1970, where she participated in three finance co-ops including one with First National City Bank. She then received her M.B.A. degree from the Columbia Business School in New York, New York in 1979, where she received a scholarship from the Coalition of Concerned Black Executives.

Alleyne worked for Model Cities in the New York City Office for the Aging, where she remained for three years. In 1976, Alleyne secured a position with the New York State Office for the Aging. Following her graduation from Columbia Business School in 1979, Alleyne was hired at Salomon Brothers where she oversaw a team marketing money market securities and was mentored by Milton Irving. In 1989, she joined Chase Manhattan Bank where she worked for five years and sold their first corporate bond, until she returned to Salomon Brothers which later became part of Citigroup in 1998. Alleyne served as the first African American female managing director in global fixed income at Citigroup, where she remained until 2001.

Alleyne then joined the Northeastern University board of directors, where she founded the Black Alumni Association Scholarship, and the scholarship's annual fundraiser in Martha's Vineyard, Massachusetts. In 2007, Alleyne was elected to the Northeastern University Corporation's Board of Trustees, and from 2008 to 2009, served on its Students Affairs and Alumni Relations Committee. Alleyne also served as vice chair of the board of directors for the Martha's Vineyard Museum, and as treasurer of the Martha's Vineyard Branch of the NAACP. She was also active in the Adult and Community Education of Martha's Vineyard organization and The Cottagers, Inc., the island's philanthropic organization. In 2017, Alleyne's gift to Northeastern University created an associate professorship in the department of African American Studies.

Barbara Alleyne was interviewed by *The HistoryMakers* on August 20, 2017.

Scope and Content

This life oral history interview with Barbara Alleyne was conducted by Larry Crowe on August 20, 2017, in Martha's Vineyard, Massachusetts, and was recorded on 6 uncompressed MOV digital video files. Investment banker Barbara Alleyne (1948 -) was the managing director in global fixed income at Citigroup until 2001, and founded the Black Alumni Association Scholarship at Northeastern University.

Restrictions

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Related Material

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:

Alleyne, Barbara, 1948-

Crowe, Larry (Interviewer)

Stearns, Scott (Videographer)

Subjects:

African Americans--Interviews

Alleyne, Barbara, 1948- --Interviews

Organizations:

HistoryMakers® (Video oral history collection)

The HistoryMakers® African American Video Oral History Collection

Occupations:

Investment Banker

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 Barbara Alleyne, Section A2017_150_001_001, TRT: 1:04:04 ?

Video Oral History Interview with Barbara Alleyne, Section A2017_150_001_002, TRT: 2:28:31 ?

Video Oral History Interview with Barbara Alleyne, Section A2017_150_001_003, TRT: 3:28:41 ?

Video Oral History Interview with Barbara Alleyne, Section A2017_150_001_004, TRT: 4:27:17 ?

Video Oral History Interview with Barbara Alleyne, Section A2017_150_001_005, TRT: 5:29:19 ?

Video Oral History Interview with Barbara Alleyne, Section A2017_150_001_006, TRT: 6:17:07 ?