

Potential AIHA Archive Project

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Background

- Dyson and Phillips
- Society of Women Engineers
- Could not do work without professional advice
- Contracted with Reuther Library in College of Urban, Labor and Metropolitan Affairs at Wayne State University in Detroit

About CULMA

- Provide centers in academic setting for research into labor and workplace issues
- Detroit's history and legacy wrt labor well known
- Walter P. Reuther Library
 - Houses SWE archives among others
- Douglas Fraser Center for Workplace Issues
- Leonard Woodcock Room

SWE's Arrangement with the Reuther Library Archives

- About 4 years duration
- Pays salary and benefits to professional archivist ~ \$45 K per year
- Archived materials
- Oral history of Women in Engineering
- Traveling display

What We Learned Re: Potential AIHA Archive

- Interested in archiving materials
 - Minutes
 - Policy decisions
 - Positions on regulatory issues
 - Organizational
 - Not technical, books, tech cmte reports
- Expand to ABIH, Academy, ACGIH (if interested)
- Local Sections

What Steven Davis Thinks

- Very interested
- AIHA might have some funds to support
- Depends on Board buying in
 - Present well thought-out project
- Cost for AIHA to store documents now is ??
- Some in leadership positions interested