W U C F-FN

BC-126
June 1975

NON-COMMERCIAL EDUCATIONAL FM

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

OFFICIAL NO. 975

W U C F-FM9-12-79

Date first licensed 4-5-78

Call letters XW F T U-FM

Station location Orlando, Fla

UNIVERSITY OF CENTRAL FLORIDA (MLED790618AQ 7/18/79)

Name of licensee XBoard of Regents Acting for and on Behalf of Florida Technological University

Transmitter location FTU Campus, Library Learning Resources Bldg., Mercury Circle, Orlando, Fla. (PED 2-2-77)

ZIP: 32816

Main studio location Mercury Circle, Library Building, Suite BLL (LETTER - 10-22-81) XSAME AS TRANSMITTER

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From To
BPED-2322 {L}	2-2-77	89.9MHz ch. 210 CP for NEW EDUC FM Station	TPO:	10 watts Class-D	U 2-2-78
BPED-2322 (1)	5-9-77	Assigned Call Letters			
EBSA	5-9-77				
BMPED-1518 (2)	9-21-77	MP(BPED-2322) oper Trans by RC: chg Trans: m'ke chg ant sys(decr hght)			
BLED-1752 HAAT: ---	4-5-78	89.9MHz #210	TPO: (RC)	10 watts	2-1-79
License to cover (BPED-2322, as mod.) for New Station					
BLED-1752	4-5-78	89.9MHz #210	TPO:	10 watts	2-1-79
THIS SUPERSEDES AUTHORIZATION OF THE SAME DATE TO CORRECT ANTENNA HEIGHT AND OBSTRUCTION MARKINGS.					
BRED-7909180B (S)	1-23-79	RENEWAL OF LICENSE			2-1-82
BMLED790618AQ (1)	7/18/79	ML to chg Licensee name			
EBSA	9-12-79	chg. call			
BPED790620AB HAAT: 160' (H&V) L	5-7-80	89.9mhz CP incre. ERP, HAAT & chg ant syst.	ERP: 7.9kw (H&V)		5-7-81
LETTER	10-22-81	SL & RC Library	now Loc. at: Mercury Circle, Building, Suite BLL		

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call W F T U-FM
Letters ~~NEW EDUC. FM~~

Name Board of Regents acting for and on behalf of Florida Technological University
Orlando, Florida (PO P.O. BOX 25000, Orlando, Florida 32816)

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BPED-2322 R & F NO FEE REQUIRED AC: press; PN REc'D	6-25-76 6-29-76 SEP 28 1976 1-17-77	CP for new Educ. FM on: 89.9mhz #210 TPO: 10 watts Trans: Sparta-680/1; Ant: Phelps-Dodge EHFM-4, 4 sects TL-SL: Library Learning Resources Bldg., Mercury, Circle, FTU Campus, Orlando, Florida 28° 36' 00" 81° 12' 05" Atty: ---- Engr: -----	GRANTED COND'L	2-2-77
AMENDED	1-13-77	Section II, Item 4 and Section VI		
BMPED-1518 R & F PRESS	7-6-77 8-2-77	MP(BPED-2322) Operate Trans by RC from: FTU Campus, Village Center Bldg., Room 27, Orlando, Fla; chg Trans: WILKINSON, FM-10; mke chgs in Antenna system: decr hght Atty.--- Engr. J. W. Warne	ACCEPTED AND GRANTED	9-21-77

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89.9MHz

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May 1976

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters WUCF-FM ~~WMFU-FM~~

Name UNIVERSITY OF CENTRAL FLORIDA
X BOARD OF REGENTS ACTING FOR AND ON BEHALF OF FLORIDA TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY
Orlando, Florida

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BLED-1752 R & F PTA: PRESS: MAR	10-19-77 10-26-77 11-22-77 15 1978	Lic. (BPED-2322, as mod.) for New Station. Atty: ----	GRANTED	4-5-78
BRED780918UB PRESS DEC	4 1978	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	GRANTED	1-23-79
BPED- 790620AB ACCEPTED CUT OFF DATE	Dec 19 79 Feb 14 80	Construction permit to incr ERP: 7.94KW HAAT: 160.6' install new ant (PHELPS DODGE CFM LP-10 10 sections); make chgs in ant sys	GRANTED	5-7-80
AMEND	9-24-79	reflect chg of name and call ltrs(BMLED-790618AQ GRT 7-18-79)		
	9-28-79	public notice filed		

F.C.C. - WASHINGTON, D. C.

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APPLICATION RECORD BROADCASTING

89.9MHz.

W U C F-FM

Call Letters: W F T U-FM

Name: UNIVERSITY OF CENTRAL FLORIDA
BOARD OF REGENTS ACTING FOR AND ON BEHALF OF FLORIDA
TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY

Station Location: ORLANDO, FLORIDA

File No.	Date	Description	Action and Date
BMLED790618AQ PRESS (0)	JUL 17 1979	Modification of License to change Name of Licensee to: UNIVERSITY OF CENTRAL FLORIDA.	GRANTED 7/18/79
BLED-810430AE PTA PRESS MAY 12 1981		License to cover (BPED-790620AB) for changes. Atty: John G. Johnson, Jr.	GRANTED 4-28-82 Issued with Renewal.

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About the History Cards …

History Cards were first used by the Department of Commerce to keep track of applications filed by, and changes to, the earliest AM broadcast stations in the early 1920s. The records were subsequently transferred to the Federal Radio Commission in 1927, and after that to the Federal Communications Commission when that agency was created in 1934. These cards gradually grew into a large card file.

FM History Cards were initiated in the early 1940s, with the authorization of the earliest FM stations in the FM band, then at 42 to 50 MHz. (The band was shifted to its present location, 88 to 108 MHz, in 1946.) History Cards remained in use until the creation of the first computerized database in 1980 to track broadcast applications, the Broadcast Application Processing System (BAPS). However, the Commission did not transfer the data from the History Cards to the new system. Instead, it retained the History Cards in their original form for reference.

In 1999, the Commission moved to a new location (445 12th Street SW), and also at that time created the successor database to BAPS, the Consolidated DataBase System (CDBS). Prior to that move, the History Cards were transferred to microfiche by a contractor (only a few sets of microfiche exist), and the original paper cards were destroyed. The History Cards were stored on the microfiche as negative images, like those you see above.

History Cards contain very brief entries and notes about station facilities, applications, and ownership. They are not, and never were intended to be, a comprehensive record of a station's operations. Nevertheless, they can be useful to help determine, for example, when a station first went on the air and its call letters at that time. History Card comments were generally typed onto the cards, and thus some records will show more faintly or with more smudging than others, depending on the quality of typewriter and ribbon then used. Occasional handwritten comments, corrections, and strikeouts may also be found. Cards may be incomplete, missing, or occasionally out of sequence.

The History Cards are presented here as they were copied to microfiche, to preserve this record for public use, and with the hope that they will be of value to future researchers of radio station history.