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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD
NONCOMMERCIAL EDUCATIONAL

Date first licensed 9-24-47

Call letters WFUV
LOCATION: NEW YORK, N.Y.

Name of licensee FORDHAM UNIVERSITY

Transmister location Keating Hall, Fordham University Campus, 441 East Fordham Rd., New York (Bronx), N.Y.

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Main studio location Keating Hall, Fordham University Campus, East Fordham Rd., New York (Bronx) NY

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CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Effective radiated Power	Time Div.	Period From To
B1-PED-65	10-17-46	90.1 mcn	3.5kw	U	By 12-17-46 to 6-17-47
	(CP for new noncommercial educational b/c stn)				
BMPED-66	6-19-47	90.1	3.5 kw	Terr 200'	By 12-17-46
od. CP for new noncomm. ed. b/c station					to 7-17-47
	6-27-47	90.7 (No. 21-)			
	Freq. assignment accord. Do 6768				
BED-14	9-24-47	Lic. to cover C.P. (B1-PED-65 which authorized a new FM broadcast station 90.7 3.5 U			exp. 9-24-48
BED-7	9-17-48	Ex. of license.			To 12-1-48
BED-7	11-18-48	Renewal of license.			To 9-1-49
BED-7	8-31-49	Renewal of license			To 9-1-52
BED-7	8-6-52	Renewal of license to			9-1-55
8-31-55	ACTION ON RENEWAL DEFERRED pend. resubm. 342.				
BRED-7	9-21-55	Renewal of license			to 6-1-57 L
Action on renewal deferred.					
BED-7	5-29-57	RENEWAL OF LICENSE TO			6-1-60(s)
Letter BED-7	9-21-55	Superseding Authorization correcting ERP from 5.5 to 3.5 kilo			
WHRE	9-30-58	AUTHORITY OPERATE ON NONCOMMERCIAL BASIS AS DEVELOPMENTAL STATION TESTS RE STEREOPHONIC SYSTEM USING CALL KE2XYF period ending 12-31-58			
WRE	1-22-59	ABOVE AUTH. extended to 3-31-59			
Letter	5-28-59	DENIED request for further authority to develop stereophonic broadcasting.			
	5-25-60	Commission deferred action on renewal pending further consideration.			
BED-7	6-15-60	Renewal of License			6-15 6-1-63
	5-29-63	COMMISSION DEFERRED ACTION ON RENEWAL PENDING FURTHER CONSIDERATION.			
BED-7	8-8-63	Renewal of license			8-8 6-1-66
WRED-7	5-27-66	Renewal of License			6-1 6-1-69

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Station location .....

Name of licensee .....

Transmitter location .....

Main studio location .....

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From To
BPED-828 HAAT: 220' Cond'l	9-20-67 CP to install new ant(Electronic Research, Inc. Special Custom, 3 sects); incr. TPO; incr. ERP; and incr. HAAT;	90.7mc. ch#214	ERP: 50kw(Max) U TPO: 8.2kw trans(RCA-BTF-10E); install		11-20-67 5-20-68
BMPED-550 HAAT: 215'(h&v)	4-11-68	90.7mc. ch# 214	ERP: 50kw(h&v) U Max TPO: 19kw MP(BPED-828) chg. trans., ant.,; TPO, operate with vert. ERP and chg. HAAT;		5-20-68
& BMPED-559 (1)	5-16-68	MP(BPED-828 as mod.)ext. time to			9-1-68
BMPED-577 (2)	8-29-68	MP(BPED-828 as mod.) ext. time to 1-1-69			
BRCED-69(3)	11-29-68	Operate RC. MP(BPED-828)			
BMPED-594 (4)	12-24-68	MP(BPED-828 as mod.)ext time			3-1-69
BRED-7(S)	6-6-69	Renewal			6-1-72
BLED-702(L)	6-10-69	Lic.(BPED-828 as mod.) for chgs.			6-1-72
BPED-1,155 HAAT: 215'	10-15-70 (Maximum h&v) CP to install New Auxiliary trans, TPO, ERP and HAAT.	90.7mc	ERP: 2.65kw(h&v) TPO: 1kw RC		12-15 10-15-71
BMPED-762 (I) HAAT: Condl.	12-29-70 215' (H&V) Issued as CP change main trans. antenna.	90.7mc	ERP: 50kw(H&V) TPO: 18.5kw		12-29-71
BLED-[illegible](L)	2-5-71	Lic.(BPED-[illegible]) for chgs, Main transmitter			6-1-72
BLED-[illegible](L)	2-5-71	Lic.(BPED-1155) for new auxiliary transmitter			6-1-72
BSTD-7 (I)	5-20-71	ML chg. TPO: 18.5kw			
BPED 1351(L) HAAT:	1-18-72 187' CP install new Aux. ant. for use with auxiliary transmitter.	90.7mc	ERP: 1.70kw		1-18-73
EBSA	5-15-72				
BRED-7	5-31-72 (SHORT) RENEWAL OF LICENSE MAIN & AUXILIARY				6-1-75

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Station location .....

Name of licensee .....

Transmitter location .....

Main studio location .....

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Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From To
BPED-1654 HAAT: 187	7-13-73 (H&V)	90.7mhz #214	ERP: 1.70kw(H&V) (RC)		7-13-74
		CP replace expired permit (BPED-1351)			
BLED-1148	(L)10-9-73	Lic.(BPED-1654)-Changes-Aux. 6-1-75 90.7mhz 50kwH&V 215'H&V RC (Main) 1.70kwH&V 186'H&V RC (Aux)			
BRED-7(S)	5-28-75	Renewal of (Main & Aux.)			6-1-78
BPED-2268 HAAT: 215' {H&V} {L}	6-16-76	90.7MHz ERP: 50kw {Max H&V} CP install new Antenna {RC} 6-16-77			
BLED-1623	5-27-77	Lic. {BPED-2268} Chgs 6-1-78			
comtel	7-27-77	Operate GATES FM 20H TRANSMITTER with ORBAN OPTIMOD 8000 Stereo Generator			
BLED-1623	5-27-77	SUPERSEDING AUTHORIZATIOON TO CORRECT TPO			
BRED-7(L)	6-29-78	Renewal of (Main & Aux.)			6-1-81

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Call Letters WFUV

Name FORDHAM UNIVERSITY

P.O. 441 East Fordham Road, ~~(New York 58, New York)~~ New York, New York

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
B1-PED-65 Rec'd Filed	4-6-46 4-22-46 4-22-46	Construction permit for a new noncommercial educational broadcast station Frequency: Ch. #220, 91.9 mcs., or nearest available adjacent channel Power: 1 kw Emission: Special for FM Hours of Operation: Unlimited T.& S: University Campus, New York, N.Y. (RCA BTF-1C Max. 1kw)	GRANTED	10-17-46
BMPED-66 Rec'd Filed	6-9-47 6-10-47 6-10-47	Mod. of C. P. (B1-PED-65 which authorized a new noncommercial educational broadcast station) for extension of completion date from 6-17-47 to 7-17-47.	GRANTED Exp. 7-17-47	6-19-47
BLED-14 Rec'd Filed	7-7-47 7-8-47 7-8-47	License to cover construction permit for new noncommercial educational broadcast station (B1-PED-65 as modified).	GRANTED	9-24-47
BRED-7 Recd Filed	9-20-48 9-22-48 9-22-48	Renewal of license	GRANTED	11-18-48

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P.O. 441 East Fordham Road, New York, New York

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BRED-7 Recd Filed	8-12-49 8-17-49 8-17-49	Renewal of license.	GRANTED	8-31-49
BRED-7 Recd & Filed	4-17-52 4-28-52	Renewal of license	GRANTED	8-6-52
Bred-7 Recd Resub. Recd. & Filed	8-11-55 8-18-55 8-30-55 8-31-55	Renewal of license	~~Ret.-8-19-55-re-sig. One copy & logs retained in Comm.~~ GRANTED	9-21-55
BRED-7 Recd & filed	4-3 -57 5-2-57	Renewal of license	GRANTED	5-29-57
BSCA-108 Recd Filed	11-29-57 12-2-57 12-2-57	Subsidiary Communications Authorization to be operated on 41 kc (Multiplex basis); Multiplex Services Corp. equipment model MBC20.	DISMISSED Failure to prosecute Section 1.312(b).	4-23-61

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Name FORDHAM UNIVERSITY
New York, New York

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BRED-7 Rec'd Filed	2-29-60 3-1-60 3-1-60	Renewal of license.	GRANTED	6-15-60
BRED-7 R & F	3-14-63 3-18-63	Renewal of license.	GRANTED	8-8-63
BRED-7 Rec'd Filed	3-7-66 3-11-66 3-11-66	Renewal of license.	GRANTED	5-27-66
BPED- R & F	1-16-67 3-1-67	CP to install new type trans(BTF-10E); install dual polarized ant.(RCA-BFC-3, 3 sections); incr. TPO to 8.337kw; incr. ERP to 11.5kw (horiz. & vert.) and incr. HAAT to 218 feet.	Returned 3-29-67 by Commission Order.	
BPED-828 R & F	6-20-67 7-5-67	CP to install new trans(RCA-BTF-10E); install new ant(Electronic Research, Inc.-Special Custom, 3 sections); incr. TPO to 8.232kw; incr. ERP 50kw; and incr. HAAT to 218 feet. Atty - Edward P. Taptich(Wilner, Scheiner etc.) Engr: Paul F. Godley, Jr., Little Falls, N.J.	GRANTED	9-20-67 cond'l re max.ERP toward WFMU shall not exceed 6.5kw; 341 must contain proof-of-perf.of DA syst.;affidavit by lic. surveyor that proper azimuthal orien of ant. was established

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BMPED-550 R & F APR 3 1968	3-18-68 3-20-68	MPED(BPED-828) chg. trans(Gates-FMS-20H);add vert. polarization; chg. ant(Jampro-J3B/3V-DS-Custom-DA-3 horiz. & 3 vert. sects); chg. TPO 19.04kw; operate with a vert. ERP 50kw; & chg. HAAT 213 feet. Attys - Wilner, Scheiner & Greeley	GRANTED Cond'l re max. ERP direction of WFMU not to exceed 6.5kw; Form 341 contain proofs;affv from surveyor re proper orient. &lic.show desc.of DA system	4-11-68
BMPED-559 R & F MAY 3 1968	4-16-68 4-19-68	MPED-(BPED-828 as mod.) ext.time to 9-1-68 Attys- Wilner,Scheiner & Greeley	GRANTED to	5-16-68 9-1-68
BMPED-577 R & F AUG 23 1968	8-1-68 8-7-68	MP(BPED-828 as mod.) ext. time to 1-1-69. (FOR CHANGES.)	GRANTED to	8-29-68 1-1-69

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BRCED-69 R & F	11-22-68 11-25-68	MP(BPED-828) to operate transmitter by remote control from Keating Hall, Fordham University Campus, East Fordham Rd., New York (Bronx), New York. Atty.: John R. Wilner	GRANTED	11-29-68
BMPED-594 R & F DEC 17 1968	12-3-68 12-6-68	MP(BPED-828 as mod.) ext. time to 3-1-69 (FOR CHGS.) Attys - Wilner, Scheiner & Greeley	GRANTED to	12-24-68 3-1-69
BLED-702 Rec'd AMENDED:R&F Filed PT MAR 12 1969	1/21/69 1/22/69 2/4/69 2/4/69 2/20/69	License (BPED-828 as mod.) for changes. Re engr. data. Engr: Harold M. Michaels Atty: John R. Wilner	GRANTED	6-10-69

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Name FORDHAM UNIVERSITY
New York, New York

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BRED-7 R & F No fee required PRESS MAR 19 1969	2-28-69 3-3-69	Renewal of license Atty. John R. Wilner	GRANTED	6-6-69
BPED-1,155 Rec'd: NO FEE REQUIRED PRESS: SEP 24 1970 RESUBMITTED Filed PRESS: OCT 13 1970	9-1-70 9-1-70 10-1-70 10-2-70	CP to install New Auxiliary Trans(Gates Radio FM-1B); at Main Trans loc. to be operated on 90.7mc Ch#214, TPO: 1kw, horiz. & vert. ERP: 2.630kw, horiz. & vert. HAAT: minus215'. For Auxiliary Purposes Only. Atty-Wilner, Scheiner & Greeley)	~~RETURNED 9-21-70 Filed on wrong form~~ GRANTED	10-15-70
BMPED-762 R & F NO FEE REQUIRED PRESS: DEC 23 1970	12-1-70 12-2-70	MP(BPED-1,155); change Ant(JAMPRO-3-DA, 3 sections). Atty-John R. Wilner(Scheiner & Greeley).	GRANTED as new CP for main trans Condl re submit proper azimuthal orientation of antenna.	12-29-70

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90.7mcs

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BLED-860 R & F PTA PRESS FEB 2 - 1971	1-15-71 1-18-71 1-22-71	Lic.(BMPED-762) for changes, Main Antenna Atty: Wilner, Scheiner & Greeley	GRANTED	2-5-71
BLED-843 R & F PTA AMENDED PRESS FEB 2 - 1971	11-13-70 11-16-70 11-24-70 1-11-71	Lic.(BPED-1155) for new Auxiliary Transmitter (GATES, FM-B) ERP: 2.6kw(H&V). Atty: Wilner, Scheiner & Greeley Re; Antenna	GRANTED	2-5-71
BPED-1,351 R & F No Fee Required Press JAN 12 1972	12-15-71 12-16-71	CP to install a new Auxiliary Antenna(Gates FMA-2,2 sects.) to be operated on ERP:1.720, HAAT:177'. for use with Aux. transmitter. Atty: John R. Wilner	GRANTED	1-18-72

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90.7mhz.

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NEW YORK, NEW YORK

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BRED-7 R & F PN Recd. PRESS MAR 7 1972	2-25-72 2-25-72 "	RENEWAL OF LICENSE (MAIN & AUXILIARY) AMENDED 3-10-72 re:employment policy	GRANTED	5-31-72
BPED-1,654 R & F No Fee Required Press JUL 9 1973	6-8-73 6-19-73	CP to replace expired permit (BPED-1,351). Atty: James E. Greeley	GRANTED	7-13-73
BLED-1148 Rec'd Amended & F PTA PRESS SEP 20 1973	8-1-73 8-6-73 8-24-73 8-28-73	Lic.(BPED-1654) for changes of Auxiliary transmitter& Antenna. New 341 Atty: James E. Greeley	GRANTED	10-9-73

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90.7 mhz.

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NEW YORK, NEW YORK

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BRED-7 R & F PN Recd. PRESS	1-24-75 1-28-75 " MAR 4 1975	RENEWAL OF LICENSE (MAIN & AUXILIARY) Jas.E.Greeley,Atty.	GRANTED	5-28-75
BPED-2268 R & F NO FEE REQUIRED PRESS:	5-17-76 5-20-76 JUN 8 1976	Construction Permit to install new Antenna (RCA-BFG-3AD, 3 sects.). Atty - James E. Greeley	GRANTED COND'L	6-16-76
BLED-1623 R & F PTA PRESS AMENDED	10-8-76 10-8-76 1-18-77 MAR 21 1977 12-22-76	Lic. (BPED-2268) for changes Atty: James E. Greeley (Greeley & Bernard) Engr. Data	GRANTED	5-27-77

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90.7 mhz

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Name FORDHAM UNIVERSITY
NEW YORK, NEW YORK

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BRED-7 R & F PRESS	1-25-78 2-3-78 FEB 17 1978	RENEWAL OF LICENSE (Main & Auxiliary)	GRANTED	6-29-78
BRED810130UV PRESS	MAR 26 1981	RENEWAL OF LICENSE Atty. Peter Gutmann	GRANTED	5-29-81

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.