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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed ____10-26-62

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Station location INDIANAPOLIS, IND.

-BELETEB-9-18-79- REINSTATED 10-17-79

Name of licensee THE INDIANA CENTRAL UNIVERSITY

Transmitter location 4001 Otterbein Avenue, Indianapolis, Indiana

Main studio location

Same

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	TPO	Time Div.	Period From To
SPED-508	3-26-62	88.7mc CH 204		Un	5-26 to 11-26-62
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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Letters Free WICR non-commercial educational

INDIANA CENTRAL UNIVERSITY INDIANAPOLIS, INDIANA (P.O. Dean M. Ransburg, 4001 Otterbein Ave., Indianapolis, Name 27, Ind.) Nature Date Application for File No. Dated CP for for a new non-commercial ecucational 1-18-62 BPED-508 FM broadcast station to be operated on: GRANTED 3-26-62 1-22-62 Rec'd Frequency - 88.7mc CH 204 1-22-62 Filed TPO 10 watts Type Antenna - Gates FM-11 (1 section) Type Transmitter - Gates BFE-10B Transmitter location - 4001 Otterbein Ave. Indianapolis, Indiana Studio location - Same as transmitter Eng. Mercury Consulting Service, Indianapolis, Mod. of CP(BPED_508, which auth. a new noncomm 5-7-62 BMP 50-391 Ed F/M B/C Station) to change type antenna 5-15-62 R & F (GATES FM 22, 2 section) GRANTE 7-6-62

P. C. C. - WASHINGTON, D. C.

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Letters .W. J. G. R.

Name INDIANA CENTRAL UNIVERSITY
INDIANAFOLIS, INDIANA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Nature	Date
BLED-363 R & F	8-8-62 8-10-62	Lic. to cover CP (BPED-508, as mod) which auth a new non-commercial educational FM B/C station.	GRANTED	
BRED-228 R & F	5-1-64 5-4-64	Renewal of license.	GRANTED	7-10-64
BRED-228 R & F	5-4-67 5-8-67	Renewal of license	GRANTED	7-18-67
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PRED_228 7-6-70 follow-up letter sent re: form 342 ret'd 6-12-70

Resub. 7-20-70; Retid 7-24-70 for signature Ltr. sent 8-28-70

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BRED 791012 PRESS OC		LICENSE to operate on 88.7 mcs; 10 Watts. (8-1-79)		
		F.C.C WASHINGTON, D.C.		

APPLICATION RECORL SROADCASTING 88.7MHz

Call Letters: WICR

Name:

INDIANA CENTRAL UNIVERSITY

Station Location:

INDIANAPOLIS, INDIANA

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File No.	Date	Description	Action and Date
BUND-PHIZZEBN (C) PN RECD-81		CP chg TL: 79th and Township Line Rd., Indianapolis, Indiana; incr ERP: 10KW HAAT: 5 39 53 59 86 12 01 ATTY: John D Pellegrin (See Over)	500'
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	1.		Form BC-121 March 1979

Amended4-9-80 Reconstitution of licensee's Board of Trustees
Amended 4-18-80 Additional Information
Amended 4-18-80 Proof of Publication Notice being filed

Letter 4=16-81 Additional Information
Letter 6-19-81 Legal Information

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.

