

Chris Barnwell interviewing Wayne Crosse clip 1
Topic: Employment at the University of Delaware

[Wayne Crosse responding to a question about handling college expenses as a student.]

Wayne Crosse: You asked how did I handle expenses, the expenses associated with college. And I remembered I didn't come away with a lot of college debt because in the beginning it was covered by these national student, I think national student aid fund grants that we got. But part of that grant was, which as I think back was kind of interesting, was work study. And I don't know if they still do work study around, but my work study was working in the cafeteria washing dishes. I don't know if they still do that but I think I remember most of the only other people that were in there working with me were African Americans from the Newark community that had full time jobs there. You know, so I thought that was pretty interesting and something that people should be aware of because I know there are a lot of better work study jobs like working at the different counters, the student center, the library, but mine was washing dishes. I'd go between classes for lunch time and dinner. But it was help, and helped pay for my college back in the late 60s.