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# 2017 DLC Meeting & FDL Conference

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## The University of Hawai'i at Mānoa experience



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The decision

- Support regional discard policy by agreeing to preserve selected titles
- United States Reports was one of the few titles for which we have a complete run

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## The process

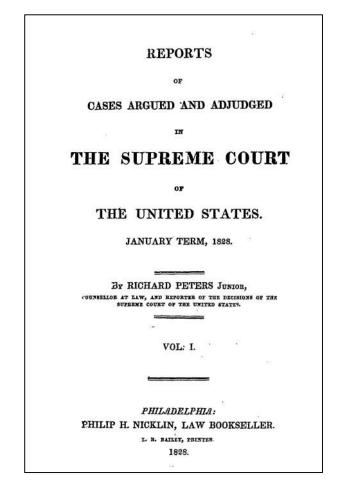
- Inventory of holdings
- Assessment of condition
- Cataloging, linking, barcoding, property stamping
- Determination of which volumes were issued by GPO or were considered officially government issued

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Damaged 1894 volume



1828 privately published volume

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## The result

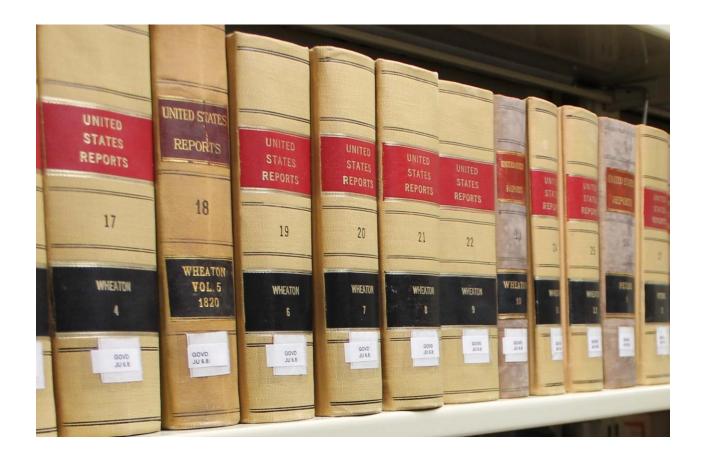
- 566 volumes total (1751-present)
- 480 volumes (1876-present) in scope (funded by the Government) and covered by MOA
- 81 volumes were reprints or were not in Good or Fine condition and we are seeking replacements
- Kept in open stacks but non-circulating
- Most volumes had never been depository stamped or property stamped by UHM

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## Thank you!



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## **Scanning the Canal**

#### Becoming a Preservation Steward for Document Collections



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ASERL's Collaborative Federal Depository Program (CFDP)

Centers of Excellence:

- actively replace damaged or lost pieces,
- seek to fill holes in their collections, as necessary, via Needs and Offers lists,
- provide active preservation for the collection,
- catalog the pieces that they own on OCLC and identify them as the archival copy,
- participate in GPO's program to set holdings on OCLC for Regionals free of charge, if eligible,
- retain content permanently.

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### **Panama Canal Documents**



http://ufdc.ufl.edu/ufpancan

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## **Contributing to FDsys**

- Process was reasonable
  - Create folders
  - Insert JP2s, thumbnails, PDFs, and XML
  - Used FTP to deliver files
- Return was excellent
  - Files loaded into national collection
  - Authenticated PDFs provided back to UF collections

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## **Contributing to FDsys**

- Increased accessibility for FDLP librarians and researchers
- GPO reviewed catalog records
- Allowed digital files to be authenticated



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### Thank you!

### **Questions?**

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## **FDLP Web Archive**

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**FDLP Web Archive: What and Why?** 

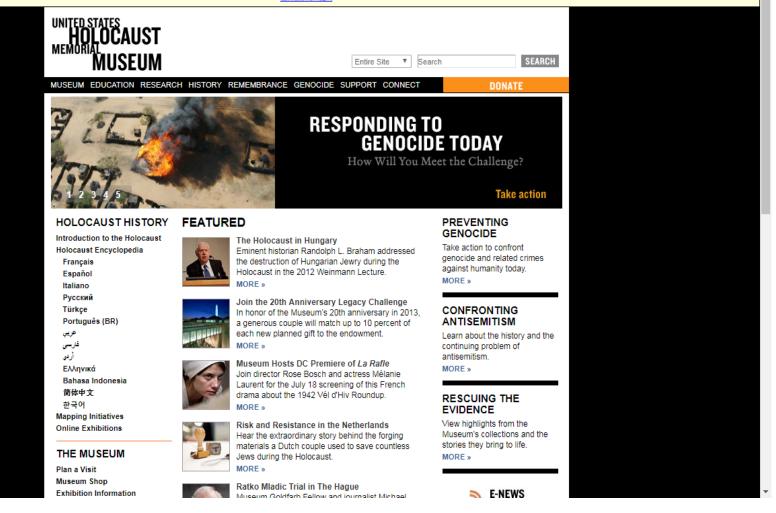
- Since the 1990s much has changed with dissemination in electronic format.
- 1998: begin manually harvesting electronic Government publications and use of PURLs for permanent access
- Agencies disseminating information on own websites, not through FDLP or informing the SuDoc, as stated in Title 44, U.S.C.
- How do we continue mission of *Keeping America Informed*, especially considering huge increase in online content and ephemeral nature?
- 2011: website level archiving, became Archive-It partner

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### July 2012

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Through our comprehensive campaign, "Never Again. What You Do Matters," led by honorary chair Elie Wiesel, the Museum seeks to secure the resources to keep Holocaust memory alive as a force for change in today's world.

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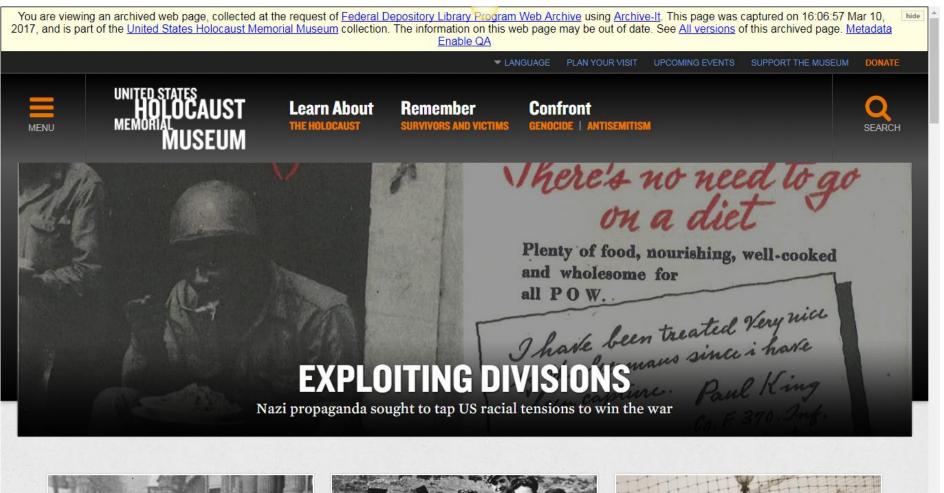
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#### **March 2017**



wayback.archive-it.org/3111/20170310160657/https://medium.com/@HolocaustMuseum/the-nazi-plan-to-divide-and-conquer-the-us-army-296a3c97fb54#.ilhvs3u2c

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### **Collection Development**

- Priorities for website level collection:
- Must be within scope of FDLP
- Not distributing through print
- Government information disseminated through web and not cataloged
- Avoid duplication of effort with other institutions
- Worked with the Acquisitions staff to help determine needs

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## **Collection Development: to Date**

Collection to date

- SuDoc Y3 sites: commissions, committees, independent agencies
- Non-standard Government websites: *flu.gov,* choosemyplate.gov
- Special Collections
  - Native American Resources
- Notification from community
- Maintaining Regular frequency of crawls (resource intensive)
- All while monitoring size of account

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### **Collection Development**

Notification from community

- Document Discovery (Govt Agencies) (<u>http://usgpo.wufoo.com/forms/document-discovery/</u>
- askGPO

http://www.gpo.gov/askgpo/

- Lost Docs Reporting Form <u>http://www.fdlp.gov/collection-tools/lostdocs</u>
- Monitor listservs

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### **Collection Development**

### Moving forward

- Working with Collection Development Librarian
- Move from smaller to larger sites
- Special Collections: Themes
- Google Analytics, extensive monitoring

-more info (24 minutes in)

https://archive.org/details/AccessToArchiveItCollections01Video

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### **FDLP Web Archive**

Collection size:

- 12.2 TB, 99 million URLs crawled
- 141 collections in AIT
- 181 records on CGP (analytical cataloging)
- FDLP Project page
- http://www.fdlp.gov/377-projects-active/2020web-archiving
- Using web archives for reference:
- FDLP Academy webinar: <u>goo.gl/vGx17E</u>



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### Access

**Two locations for Access** 

- Archive-It
- Search for "GPO" or "FDLP"

https://archive-it.org/home/FDLPwebarchive

- Catalog of U.S. Government Publications (CGP)
- Search FDLP Web Archive Catalog

https://catalog.gpo.gov/

## Collaboration

Federal Web Archiving Working Group

- With nominations came questions: What are others doing?
- Priorities are to maximize use of account: stick to other priorities if being done by others
- Began talks with Library of Congress who organized inaugural meeting with Library of Congress, GPO, and NARA, and attained management approval

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### Collaboration

- What now?
- Detailed presentations on each agency's web archiving program, what and how
- Outreach: blog
  <u>https://blogs.loc.gov/thesignal/2015/02/introducing-the-federal-web-archiving-working-group/</u>
- Increase participation: Smithsonian, NLM, HHS, Education

## Collaboration

What we have done or discussed?

- Bi-monthly updates from each agency keeping the group well informed of new activities
- Developed an internal wiki to post information on agency programs, outreach, etc.
- Developed contracts and RFI's
- Processes for ingest and transfer of WARC files
- Policy topics, sharing policies
- Technical topics, such as how social media is being archived, which is constantly changing

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### **Collaboration**

Where we want to go

- More outreach: Increase participation and knowledge of group
- More relationship with content creators
- Guidance documentation
- Web presence

## Web Archiving at the Library of Congress

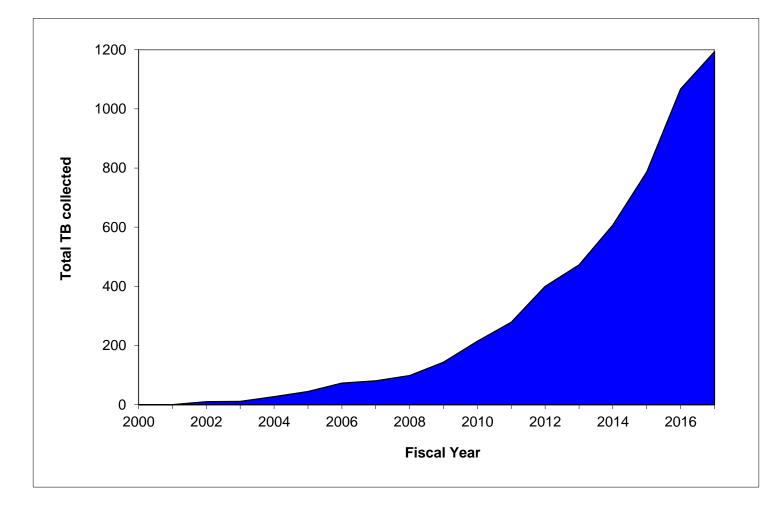
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### Library of Congress Web Archives: A Snapshot

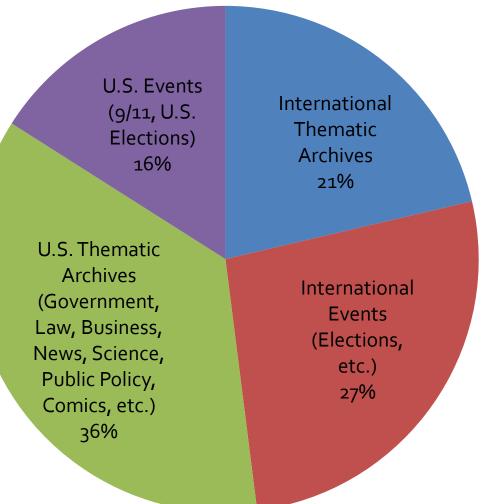
> 1.193 petabytes collected; and over 14.9 billion documents as of June 2017



### Tools and Processes at LC

- Staffing: 5 FTs on Web Archiving Team, plus many more around LC
- > Workflow
  - Inhouse-developed curatorial tool, Digiboard, to manage nomination permissions, quality review, etc.
- > Crawling
  - > Heritrix crawler <a href="https://webarchive.jira.com/wiki/display/Heritrix/Heritrix">https://webarchive.jira.com/wiki/display/Heritrix/Heritrix</a>
    - Umbra, a browser automated tool, is also used to improve results <u>https://github.com/internetarchive/umbra</u>
    - > Experimenting with Webrecorder <a href="https://webrecorder.io/">https://webrecorder.io/</a>
  - > Contract out large-scale effort (~20-25 TB/mo) to Internet Archive
  - > Inhouse crawling: ~10 TB/year using Heritrix
- > Access
  - Open Wayback Machine <u>https://github.com/iipc/openwayback/wiki</u>
  - Metadata Object Description Schema (MODS) <u>https://www.loc.gov/standards/mods/</u>
- > Preservation
  - WARC (Web ARChive file format) <u>http://www.digitalpreservation.gov/formats/fdd/fddooo236.shtml</u>
  - > Use Bag-it to transfer data over Internet2 from contractor to LC
  - > Two local copies, one in long-term storage, another access copy

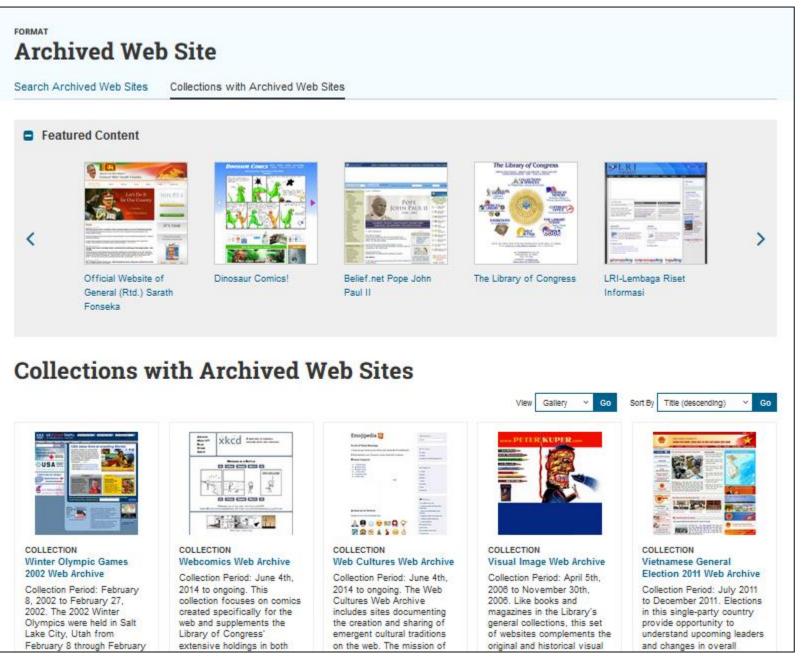
### LC Web Archive Collections



- Permissions-based, selective harvesting of web content published U.S. and 127 other countries
- Over 33,000 Seed URL nominations; over 31,000 have been archived in ~90 collections. Full list: <u>http://www.loc.gov/webarchiving/</u> collections.html
- 32 **active** collections, with over 7,100 seed URLs currently in crawl status, crawled at various frequencies
- Collection Development
  Policies:

http://www.loc.gov/acq/devpol/w ebarchive.pdf

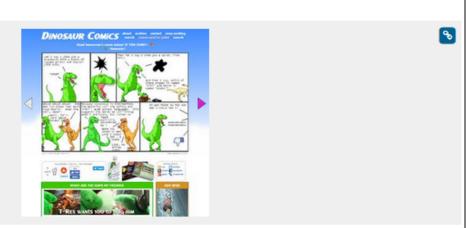
#### 26 collections available at http://www.loc.gov/websites/collections/



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#### Dinosaur Comics!



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#### About this Item

Title Dinosaur Comics!

#### Summary

"Dinosaur Comics is a comic about talking dinosaurs! It appears online and also in print in some newspaper: magazines!" This widely read webcomic by Ryan North has been publishing since 2003.

Contributor Names North, Ryan, 1980-

Created / Published United States.

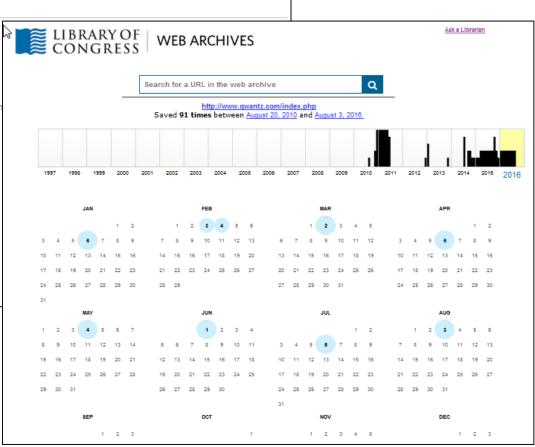
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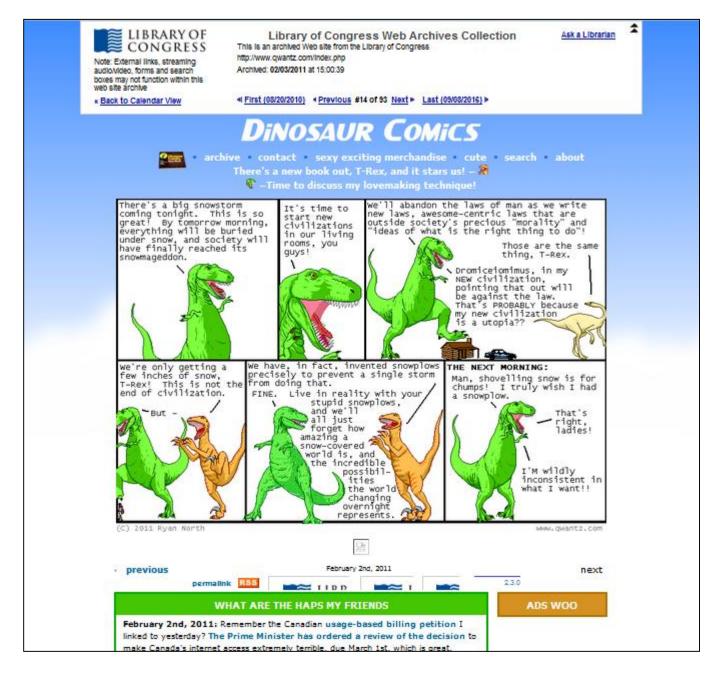
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- Art and Art History

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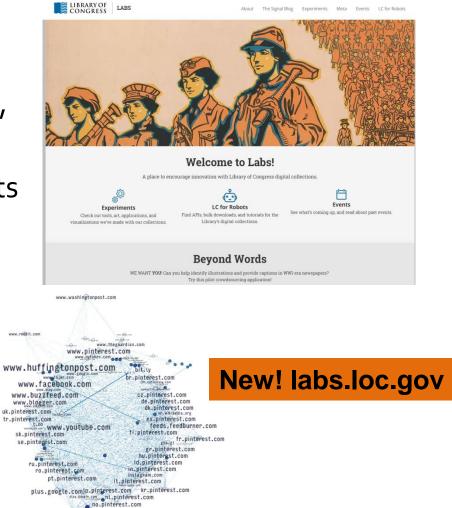
### URL search at webarchive.loc.gov\*



\*everything publicly and offsite accessible up through September 1, 2016 (we are under a one-year embargo)

### Tapping into the "Lake" of Web Archive Data

- Pilot explored: transfer of content, rights issues, staff resources, potential uses of data, future planning of a data lab
- What kinds of derivative data sets and visualizations will be useful? What other processing can we do?
  - > Full text indexing
  - Thumbnail creation
  - > Automated QR processes
  - > Reporting



Report here:

https://blogs.loc.gov/thesignal/2017/03/recommendations-for-enabling-digital-scholarship/ <sup>43</sup>

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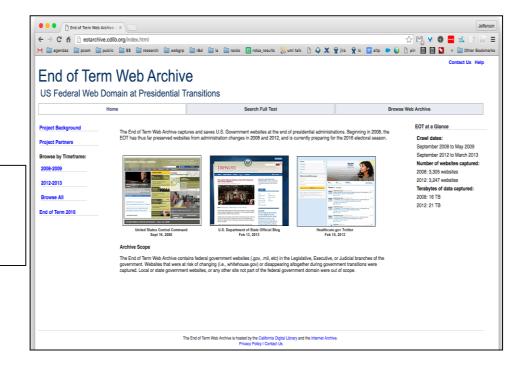
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Results of a Survey of Organizations Preserving Web Content February 2017

### More information

- Library of Congress Web Archives: <u>www.loc.gov/websites</u> and loc.gov/webarchiving
- IIPC : <u>http://www.netpreserve.org</u>
- End of Term Archive: <u>http://eotarchive.cdlib.org/</u> and <u>https://archive.org/details/EndOfTerm2016WebCrawls</u>

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