

NWDA: Selection of Materials for Digitization Based on Researcher Needs

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Abstract: This poster presents research on digitization of archival materials for presentation on the Web. As a member of the Northwest Digital Archives (NWDA) Digitization Program Working Group, my research has focused on selection of materials for digitization based on researcher needs. The results will be used to develop a set of selection standards and to obtain usable data for the writing of a grant by our working group.

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