Historic Maps Come Alive: Research in Geospatial Visualization and Access using Google Earth and Yahoo!Map

SAA Research Forum

Kathy Weimer
Texas A & M University Libraries
August 11, 2009
Harvard Map Collection
Index Map to AMS Series of China
MHAPPO - GoogleMap interface to historic aerial photos
MapHappy - U. Minnesota
GoogleMap interface to Catalog
Africa Map
2001 Enthno-linguistic map
New York City Fire Insurance Atlases in Google Earth
David Rumsey Collection in GoogleEarth
Travelers in the Middle East

Browse by Place

To access a list of TIMEA resources related to a particular place, select one of the place names in the menu on the right, then click on the link that opens up in the balloon above the place on the map.

To discover resources related to place names not included in the menu on the right, simply enter the place name into the search box above.

Nile River
The longest river in the world, the Nile's course from the south of Nubia to the Mediterranean has largely determined the course of Egyptian history. Its regular flooding was the basis of ancient Egyptian agriculture, but also its religion and government.
Find information in TIMEA about Nile River

MAP
Nile River
Other place names at latitude 30.166667 / longitude 31.1

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Feature Type</th>
<th>Alternate Name(s)</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Nilometer</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>
Geologic Atlas of the United States

- Texas A & M University Libraries
- 227 Folios, USGS, 1894-1945
Geologic Atlas of the United States - Yahoo!Map
Geologic Atlas of the United States
Map Sheets in Google Earth
Geologic Atlas of the United States
Igneous Geology Sheet
Summary and Research Questions

- Create map-based interfaces
- Document best practices
- Partner with scholars to build access tools for multidisciplinary collections
- Use of centralized repositories
Thank You!

Kathy Weimer
Texas A&M University Libraries
k-weimer@tamu.edu