

ARIZONA MEMORY PROJECT

<http://azmemory.lib.az.us>

About Arizona Memory Project

Arizona Memory Project provides an online shared space to store and display digital collections from Arizona libraries, archives, museums, historical societies and other cultural institutions. The Arizona Memory Project is designed to manage small and large collections alike – and can handle virtually all file formats, including digital documents, images, video and audio files, URLs and other electronic resources for a variety of items including photographs, newspapers, maps, manuscripts, oral histories and more. The Project is designed to support a multitude of digital collections from geographically distributed organizations.

The aim of this initiative is to create a central online repository to provide access to digital content representative of the history and culture of Arizona. This is a legacy project in support of the 2012 Arizona State Centennial.

Key Features

- **Patron Access**
Patrons can view collections outside of normal business hours. Digital collections are accessible online 24 hours a day, 7 days a week.
- **Staff Time**
The web interface is easy to navigate so patrons can conduct initial research without requiring additional staff instruction.
- **Collection Administration**
Organizations can manage collections remotely through online administrative tools. Workflow and security access controls can be tailored to the organizations' needs.

Benefits

- **Visibility**
Immediate web presence of online collections increases visibility and generates interest among researchers, students, teachers and the public.
- **Reliability**
Arizona Memory Project uses a dependable and trusted software system that is widely used and supported.
- **Accessibility**
Arizona Memory Project provides a central place to store and exhibit digital content online, providing access to resources that exist only on servers, CDs or tapes.
- **Focus**
Arizona Memory Project does the technical footwork, allowing organizations to focus on digital content, not technological trends.
- **Fast and Easy Process**
Intuitive software interface and customized training eases the learning process for partner institutions.
- **Supported**
Arizona Memory Project partner institutions receive software, consultation, staff training and assistance throughout the upload process.

About the Software

Arizona Memory Project utilizes CONTENTdm Digital Collection Management Software®, developed by DiMeMa Inc. and distributed through OCLC. To learn more about the CONTENTdm Software package, please visit the CONTENTdm website at <http://contentdm.com/> or the OCLC sister site at <http://www.oclc.org/contentdm/about/default.htm>.