Introduction

This LibGuide was created to accompany the Visions & Voices event: Queer Aesthetics and Archival Practices, on Tuesday January 24th, at 7:00 pm in the Doheny Memorial Library Friends Lecture Hall, Room 240. Read more about the event at the Visions & Voices website.

About the event: "Queer Aesthetics and Archival Practices will feature artists and scholars who will discuss the practical and theoretical aspects of 'the archive' and its relationship to contemporary art today. Moderated by curator and performance artist Malik Gaines, the panel will feature Ann Cvetkovich, professor of English and women's and gender studies at the University of Texas at Austin; Catherine Lord, professor of studio art at UC Irvine; and Ulrike Müller, artist and coeditor of the queer feminist art journal LTTR."
The Advocate
"The Advocate is an American lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender (LGBT) monthly newsmagazine. Established in 1967, it is the oldest continuing LGBT publication in the United States. The website for the magazine contains approximately thirty percent of the print issue online and is updated daily."

Curve: The Lesbian Magazine
"Curve, the nation's best-selling lesbian magazine, spotlights all that is fresh, funny, exciting, controversial and cutting-edge in our community. Curve brings you the latest in lesbian-related celebrity interviews, news, politics, pop culture, style, travel, social issues and entertainment..."

GLQ: A Journal of Lesbian and Gay Studies
"Providing a much needed forum for inter-disciplinary discussion, GLQ publishes scholarship, criticism, and commentary in areas as diverse as law social sciences, religion, political science, and literary studies. Its aim is to offer queer perspectives on all issues touching on sex and sexuality..."

Journal of Gay & Lesbian Mental Health
"The Journal of Gay & Lesbian Mental Health is a clinical, multidisciplinary professional forum for the exposition, discussion, and exchange of practical information about lesbian and gay psychotherapy. You'll find that the journal is dedicated to enhancing the emotional, psychological, and psychiatric health of gay men and lesbians..."

Journal of Gay & Lesbian Social Services
"The Journal of Gay & Lesbian Social Services is the premiere publication promoting the well-being of homosexuals and bisexuals in contemporary society. Filled with innovative ideas and resources for the design, evaluation, and delivery of social services for lesbians and gays, the journal is a positive influence on the development of public and social policy, programs and services, and social work practice..."

Lambada Book Report
"Lambda Book Report is the country's most established review of contemporary LGBT literature. Appearing four times a year, LBR will be published in January, April, July, and October."
California-Related Archival Collections

Huntington Library This website provides key information about the library as well as access to its online catalogue.

LA as Subject Hosted by USC Libraries, LA as Subject is an alliance of research archives, libraries, and collections dedicated to preserving the rich history of the Los Angeles region.

Online Archive of California The OAC brings together historical materials from a variety of California institutions, including museums, historical societies, and archives.

Seaver Center for Western History Research The purpose of the Seaver Center is to collect, preserve, and make accessible to the general public research materials documenting the history of the trans-Mississippi West, with special emphasis on Southern California and Los Angeles. The collection includes manuscripts, books, serials, pamphlets, broadsides, maps, posters, prints, and photographs.

Southern California Library The SCL documents and preserves the histories of communities in struggle for justice and uses its collections to address the challenges of the present.

Special Collections USC's Special Collections offer access to a wide range of primary source material in all formats, including resources of interest to researchers in US History. Special Collections encompass rare books, manuscripts, and archival collections. In addition to housing a high proportion of rare and unique materials, Special Collections also contains many thematic special collections whose individual parts may not be 'valuable' or 'rare', but, as an aggregate, constitute a historically significant body of material. Search Special Collections

USC Digital Library The USC Digital Archive helps to fulfill the mission of the USC Libraries to select, collect, preserve, and make accessible high quality digital images of unique materials with metadata to support research, and provides a gateway to resources on Los Angeles and Southern California.

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Archive-Related Databases and Web Sites

Archives USA The ArchivesUSA database provides information about primary source materials from nearly 4,800 US manuscript repositories. ArchivesUSA includes records, complete with detailed indexes, about nearly 109,000 manuscript and other special collections.

Historical Text Archive: History of the United States The HTA publishes high quality articles, books, essays, documents, historical photos, and links, screened for content, for a broad range of historical subjects. It was founded in 1990 in Mississippi and is one of the oldest history sites on the Internet.

Internet Archive Offers permanent access for researchers, historians, and scholars to historical collections that exist in digital format, including texts, audio, moving images, and software as well as archived web pages.


National Archives and Records Administration (NARA) Established in 1934 by President Franklin Roosevelt to permanently preserve the nation's most important documents, NARA's major holdings date back to 1775. They capture the sweep of the past: slave ship manifests and the Emancipation Proclamation; captured German records and the Japanese surrender documents from World War II; journals of polar expeditions and photographs of Dust Bowl farmers; Indian treaties making transitory promises; and the Louisiana Purchase Treaty that doubled the territory of the young republic. NARA keeps only those Federal records that are judged to have continuing value—about 2 to 5 percent of those generated in any given year; however, this amounts to billions of pages of documentation.

NUCMC Repositories of Primary Sources A listing of over 5000 websites describing holdings of manuscripts, archives, rare books, historical photographs, and other primary sources for the research scholar

ONE National Gay and Lesbian Archives The world's largest research collection related to lesbian, gay, bisexual, and transgender history

WorldCat WorldCat contains more than 32 million records describing items owned by libraries around the world. Item records provide
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information about individual library holdings. Types of materials include books, journals, musical scores, computer data files, magazines, newspapers, computer programs, sound recordings, films and slides, maps, videotapes, and manuscripts written as early as the 12th century.

World History Archives  World History Archives, by Hartford Web Publishing, offers documents to support the study of world history from a working-class and non-Eurocentric perspective.

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Websites of Related Interest

- The LBGT Resource Center (USC)
- Los Angeles Gay & Lesbian Center
- ONE National Gay & Lesbian Archives
- Lesbian and Gay Archives Roundtable

Other Web Sources of Interest

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Lesbian and Gay Archives and Libraries List for the United States

ALABAMA

- Lambda, Inc. Barnes Library, P.O. Box 73062, Birmingham AL 35253 (205) 933-7369

CALIFORNIA

Alhambra

- Los Angeles Library, California School of Professional Psychology, 100 S. Fremont Ave., Alhambra CA 91803

Berkeley

- Bancroft Library, Social Protest Project, University of California, Berkeley CA, 94720 (415) 642-3781
- Women's Resource Center Library, Constance Barber Collection on Lesbian History, 250 Golden Bear Center, University of California, Berkeley CA 94720 (415) 642-3781

Los Angeles

- Gay and Lesbian Alliance Against Defamation (GLADD/LA) Archives, (213) 658-6775
- International Gay and Lesbian Archive (IGLA), 1654 North Hudson Ave., Los Angeles CA 90028
- Tom of Finland Foundation Archives, P.O. Box 26658, Los Angeles CA 90026 (213) 250-1685
- University Research Library, Dept. of Special Collections, Gay and Lesbian Studies Collection, University of California, Los Angeles, 405 Hilgard Ave., Los Angeles CA 90024-1575 (310) 206-8551
- William Andrews Clark Memorial Library, University of California-LosAngeles, 2520 Cimarron Street, Los Angeles CA 90024-1575 (310) 206-8551

Northridge

- Special Collections Department, Oviatt and South Libraries, California State University, Northridge, 1811 Nordhoff Street, Northridge CA 91330

Oakland

- History Department - Oakland Museum, 1000 Oak Street, Oakland CA 94607 (415) 273-3842

Sacramento

- Dissent and Social Change Collection, California State University Library- Sacramento, 2000 Jed Smith Drive, Sacramento CA 95819 (916) 278-6466
San Diego
- Lesbian and Gay Archives, P.O. Box 4186, San Diego CA 92104
- Lesbian and Gay Historical Society of San Diego, P.O. Box 40389, San Diego CA 92164 (619) 260-1522

San Francisco
- Center for Research and Education in Sexuality, San Francisco State University, San Francisco CA 94132 (415) 469-1137
- D.A.I.R. Archives (Documentation of AIDS Issues & Research), 2336 Market #33, San Francisco CA 94114
- Gay and Lesbian Center, San Francisco Public Library, Civic Center, San Francisco CA 94101 (415) 557-4566
- Gay and Lesbian Historical Society of Northern California, P.O. Box 424280, San Francisco, CA 94142, street address 973 Market #400, San Francisco CA 94143 (415) 777-5455
- Gay/Lesbian Collection - Eureka Valley/ Harvey Milk Memorial Branch, San Francisco Public Library, 3555 16th Street, San Francisco CA 94114 (415) 626-1132
- Humanities Library, New College of California, 777 Valencia, San Francisco CA 94110 (415) 626-1694
- Institute for Advanced Study of Human Sexuality Research Library, 1523 Franklin Street, San Francisco CA, 94109 (415) 928-1133
- National Deaf Lesbian, Gay & Bisexual Archives, P.O. Box 14431, San Francisco CA 94114
- San Francisco AIDS History Project Library, University of California-San Francisco, San Francisco CA 94109

Santa Ana
- Lavender Archives, P.O. Box 28977, Santa Ana CA 92799

West Hollywood
- June Mazer Lesbian Collection, or 626 N. Robertson Blvd., West Hollywood, CA 90069

CONNECTICUT

Hartford
- Connecticut Lesbian Archives, Hartford’s Women’s Center, 305 Farmington Ave., Hartford CT 06105 (203) 232-7393
- Institute of Social Ethics, 1 Gold Street #22-ABC, Hartford CT 06103 (203) 547-2281

Storrs
- Alternative Press Collection Special Collections Department, University of Connecticut Library, Storrs CT 06268, (203) 486-2524

DELAWARE

- Delaware Lesbian and Gay Archives, P.O. Box 974, Wilmington DE 19899

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

- National Archives for Black Women's History, National Council of Negro Women, 1318 Vermont Ave. NW, Washington DC 20005
- Triangle Institute, P.O. Box 2296, Washington DC, 20013 (202) 628-4166
- United States Holocaust Memorial Museum, Research Institute Archives, 100 Raoul Wallenberg Place SW, Washington DC, 20024-215 (202) 488-0480
- World Congress of Gay and Lesbian Jewish Organizations, Resource Library, P.O. Box 18961, Washington DC 20036

FLORIDA

Boca Raton
- Contact Info 213-740-7044
- Send Email

Southern Gay Archives  P.O. Box 2118, Boca Raton FL 33427

Fort Lauderdale
- Stonewall Library  c/o Holy Spirit MCC, 330 SW 27 St., Fort Lauderdale FL 33315

Jacksonville
- Florida Collection of Lesbian Herstory  P.O. Box 5605, Jacksonville FL 32207

Tallahassee
- Lesbian/Gay Archives of Naiad Press  P.O. Box 10543, Tallahassee FL 32302 (904) 539-9322

GEORGIA

Atlanta
- A.L.F.A. (Atlanta Lesbian Feminist Alliance)  Library Committee, P.O. Box 5502, Atlanta GA 30307
- Southeastern Lesbian Archives, Atlanta Lesbian Feminist Alliance, P.O. Box 5502, Atlanta GA 30307 (404) 523-7786

ILLINOIS

Chicago
- Chicago Gay/Lesbian History Project  P.O. Box 60046, Chicago IL 60660
- Henry Gerber/Pearl M. Hart Library and Archives, Midwest Lesbian/Gay Resource Center, 3352 N. Paulina Street, Chicago IL 60657-1038 (312) 883-3003
- Leather Archives and Museum, 5025 N. Clark Street, Chicago IL 60640 (312) 878-6360
- Rodde Center, 3223-3227 N. Sheffield, Chicago IL 60657 (312) 327-7771

Evanston
- Special Collections Department, Northwestern University Library  1937 Sheridan Road, Evanston IL 60201 (312) 491-3635

INDIANA

Bloomington
- Kinsey Institute for Research in Sex Gender and Reproduction  Room 313, Morrison Hall, Indiana University, Bloomington, IN 47403 (812) 335-7686

Fort Wayne
- Gay and Lesbian Resource Center Archives  3426 Broadway Street, Ft. Wayne IN 46807

Indianapolis
- Diversity Center Library and Archives Indianapolis, IN

KANSAS

- T.S. Library, P.O. Box 1144, Topeka KS 66601 (312) 883-3003

KENTUCKY

Lexington
- Kentucky Gay & Lesbian Archives & Library

Louisville
- Kentucky Collection of Lesbian Herstory  P.O. Box 1701, Louisville KY 40201
- Kentucky Gay and Lesbian Education Center, P.O. Box 4264, Louisville, KY 40204 (502) 636-0935
Sunnybrook
- Kentucky Lesbian Herstory Archives c/o Sunnybrook Wimmin's Collection, Sunnybrook, KY 42650

LOUISIANA
Boisier City
- Homosexual Information Center 115 Monroe St., Boisier City LA 71111 (318) 742-4709

New Orleans
- Contemporary Culture Collection Howard-Tilton Memorial Library, Tulane University, 7001 Freret Street, New Orleans LA 70118 (215) 787-8667
- Special Collections Division Howard-Tilton Memorial Library, Tulane University, 7001 Freret Street, New Orleans, LA 70118 (215) 865-5685

MAINE
- Heyman Memorial Library, c/o Dignity/Maine, P.O. Box 7021, Lewiston ME 04240

MASSACHUSETTS
Cambridge
- Arthur and Elizabeth Schlesinger Library on the History of Women in America, Radcliffe College, Cambridge MA 02138 (617) 495-8647
- Boston Lesbian & Gay History Project c/o 258 Harvard Street Apt. 102, Cambridge MA 02139

Boston
- Gay Community News Library 25 West Street, Boston MA 02111 (617) 426-4469
- Women's Center Library, Boston University, 775 Commonwealth Ave. NorthTower, Boston MA 02215 (617) 353-4202

Northampton
- New Alexandria Lesbian Library P.O. Box 402 Florence Station, Northampton, MA 01060 (413) 584-7616
- Sophia Smith Collection, Smith College, Northampton, MA 01063 (413) 584-2970

Salem
- Library of Social Alternatives Salem State College, Salem MA, 01970 (508) 741-6000

MICHIGAN
Ann Arbor
- Joseph A. Labadie Collection, Department of Rare Books and Special Collections, 711 Hatcher Library, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor MI 48109 (313) 764-9356

Detroit
- American Radical History Collection Special Collections Division, Michigan State University Libraries, East Lansing, MI 48824 (517) 355-2344

MI HANNAH
- Gay and Lesbian Archives of Southeastern Michigan, Walter P. Reuther Library of Labor and Urban Affairs, Wayne State University, Detroit, MI 48202 (313) 577-4024

MINNESOTA
Minneapolis
- Matrices, c/o Jacqueline Zita, Women's Studies Dept., 492 Ford Hall, University of Minnesota, Minneapolis MN 55455

St. Paul
- Quatrefoil Library, 1610 Dayton Ave., St. Paul MN 55104, (612) 641-0969

MONTANA
- Out in Montana Resource Center, P.O. Box 7223, Missoula MO 59807 (406) 721-9144

NEVADA
Las Vegas
- Nevada Women's Herstorical Society 1298 S. Christy Lane, Las Vegas NV 89112 (702) 431-1208

Reno
- Baker Archives 350 S. Center Street, #350, Reno NV 89501 (702) 747-5323

NEW JERSEY
New Brunswick
- New Jersey Gay and Lesbian Archives P.O. Box 160, New Brunswick NJ 08903 (908) 722-2553
- Special Collections and Archives, University Libraries, Rutgers University, New Brunswick NJ 08903, (908) 932-7510

NEW MEXICO
- Thomas J. Armour/ Michael H. Beck HIV Resource Library, Rosnia AIDS Center, 1915 Rosina Street, Santa Fe NM 87501 (505) 982-5995

NEW YORK
Binghampton
- Herzion Archives P.O. Box 1082, Binghampton NY 13902

Buffalo
- Buffalo Women's Oral History Project 435 Tacoma Ave., Buffalo NY 14214

Ithaca
- Human Sexuality Collection Department of Manuscripts and University Archives, Carl A. Kroch Library, Cornell University, Ithaca NY 14853-5302 (607) 255-3530

New York City
- AIDS Archives, Gay Men's Health Crisis, 132 West 124th Street, New York, NY 10011 (212) 807-6664
- Center for Lesbian & Gay Studies, Graduate Center, City University of New York, 33 West 42nd Street, New York, NY 10036, (212) 929-2639 and (212) 642-2924
- GAGV Library, 713 Monroe Ave., Rochester NY 14607
- Homophile Research Library, Church of the Beloved Disciple, 132 West 24th Street, New York NY 10011 (212) 242-6616
- International Gay History Archive, P.O. Box 2, Village Station, New York NY 10014 (718) 625-6463
- Latina Lesbian Herstory Project, P.O. Box 627, Stuyvesant Station, New York NY 10009 (212) 677-1289
- Lesbian Herstory Archives, Lesbian Herstory Education Foundation, P.O. Box 1258, New York NY 10116 (212) 768-3953
- Leslie-Lohman Gay Art Foundation Archives, 131 Prince Street, New York NY 10012 (212) 673-7007
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National Museum of Lesbian & Gay History, 208 13th Street, New York NY 10011
- Rare Books and Manuscripts Division, New York Public Library, 5th Ave. and 2nd St., Room 328, New York NY 10018-2788 (212) 930-0801
- Schomburg Center for Research in Black Culture, New York Public Library, 515 Malcom X Blvd., New York NY 10037-1801 (212) 491-2200
- Visual AIDS, 131 W. 24th Street, New York NY 10011 (212) 206-6758

Rochester
- Gay Alliance of the Genesee Valley Library, 713 Monroe Ave., Rochester, NY 14607

NORTH CAROLINA

Durham
- Duke University Library, Durham, NC 27706 (919) 660-5828
- The Feminist Library, c/o YWCA, 809 Rector Street, Durham NC 27702 (919) 688-4396

NORTH DAKOTA

- Lambda United Library, P.O. Box 6024, Bismark ND 58502

OHIO

Bowling Green
- Popular Culture Collection, William T. Gerome Library, Bowling Green State University, Bowling Green OH 43403 (419) 372-2450

Cincinnati
- Cincinnati Gay Lesbian Archives, 408 Ludlow, No. 56, Cincinnati OH 45220 (513) 861-6171
- Ohio Lesbian Archives, c/o Crazy Ladies Bookstore, 4039 Hamilton Ave., Cincinnati, OH 45223 (513) 541-1917

Cleveland
- Northeast Ohio Lesbian Gay Archives, Western Reserve Historical Society, 10825 East Blvd., Cleveland, OH 44106 (216) 721-5722

Oberlin
- Archives of Gay and Lesbian Artists, Dept. of Art, Oberlin College, Oberlin OH 44074 (216) 775-8181

Yellow Springs
- Joan Ruth Rose Library, P.O. Box 509, Yellow Springs OH 45387

OREGON

- Douglas County Gay Archives, P.O. Box 942, Dillard OR 97432

Pennsylvania

Philadelphia
- Black Gay Archives, P.O. Box 30004, Philadelphia PA 19103
- Contemporary Culture Collection, Samuel Paley Library, Temple University, Berks and 13th Street, Philadelphia PA 19122 (215) 787-8230
- Gay, Lesbian, Bisexual, and Transgendered Library, Archives of Philadelphia, Penguin Place GLBT Community Center, 201 S. Camac Street, Philadelphia PA 19107 (215) 732-2220
RHODE ISLAND

- Richard G. Katzoff Collection Dept. of Special Collections, John Hay Library, Brown University, Providence RI 02912

TENNESSEE

- T.L. A. (Tennessee Lesbian Archive), c/o Teresa Hornsby, 303 Kenyon Road, Knoxville TN 37909

TEXAS

Austin

- Center for American History SRH 2.101, University of Texas at Austin Austin TX 78713 (512) 471-5961
- Harry Ransom Humanities Research Center, University of Texas at Austin, attn: Office of Research Librarian, P.O. Drawer 7219, Austin TX 78713-7219 (512) 471-9119

Dallas

- Dallas Gay Historic Archives 6146 St. Moritz, Dallas TX 75214
- Dallas Gay/Lesbian Historic Archives, c/o Dallas Gay Alliance, 4012 Cedar Springs, Dallas TX 75219, (214) 528-4233

Denton

- Gay & Lesbian Archives of Texas 201 Peach Street, Denton TX 76201

Houston

- Gay and Lesbian Archives of Texas P.O. Box 16401, Houston TX 77222
- Metropolitan Community Church Library, 1919 Decatur, Houston TX 77007 (214) 861-9149

San Antonio

- Happy Foundation c/o Gene Elder, 411 Bonham Street, San Antonio TX 78205 (210) 227-6451

VIRGINIA

- Gay and Lesbian Archives of Washington DC, P.O. Box 4218, Falls Church VA 22044

WASHINGTON

- Lesbian and Gay Alliance of the Pacific North West, 1425 East Prospect Street, Seattle WA 98112 (201) 323-3007

WISCONSIN

Madison

- State Historical Society of Wisconsin Library 816 State Street, Madison WI 53706 (608) 262-3421
Serving LGBTIQ Library and Archives Users : Essays on Outreach, Service, Collections and Access

“Greenblatt (the U. of Colorado's Auraria Library) presents perspectives on providing library services to lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, intersex, and queer/questioning (LGBTIQ) patrons in academic and public libraries. The collection features essays and profiles of libraries, archives, professionals, and projects, some of which integrate personal stories of contributors' own experiences as LGBTIQ patrons. The essays are grouped in sections highlighting new communities and connections, library and archive contexts and venues, collection development, bibliographic access, and censorship of LGBTIQ resources. The book's final set of essays examines professional concerns such as library education and networking. Some specific areas of discussion include LGBTIQ oral history, barriers to selecting materials about sexual and gender diversity, the treatment of LGBTIQ concepts in Library of Congress subject headings, and censorship of children's and young adult books in schools and public libraries. The book includes a glossary of LGBTIQ terms.” -- Annotation 2011 Book News, Inc., Portland, OR (booknews.com)