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Department Newsletter

Reaching OUT

Mara Sedlins gave presentations at the Empirical Librarians Conference and the University of Oklahoma Supercomputing Center Virtual Residency Workshop.

In February, the department hosted a social with the History Department to reconnect collections with instruction and research.

BY THE Numbers

Archives & Special Collections

245 patrons served

46 feet of new collections

5 tours

731 conservation treatments

Data Management

13 data deposits

3 guest graduate class lectures

4 Data & Donuts classes

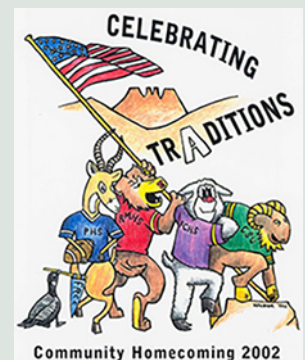### Digital Repository

26,724 scans created

105,753 Mountain Scholar (CSUL) page views

22,093 Mountain Scholar (CSUL) downloads

Mountain Scholar Digital Repository & Data Management
HIGHLIGHTS

Homecoming Scrapbooks Added to Mountain Scholar

Now available online are 28 scrapbooks depicting the CSU Homecoming Parade from 1978-2007, along with select homecoming t-shirts. Donated by the CSU Alumni Association, the scrapbooks depict homecoming royalty, student organizations, and area businesses. https://mountainscholar.org/handle/10217/194332

Digital Public Library of America

In January, Mountain Scholar made available more than 38,000 records in the Digital Public Library, representing photographs, maps, text, oral histories, personal letters, and other historical resources. New materials will be added to DPLA four times per year. Several departments within the Library spent more than a year planning, selecting content, and addressing technical requirements. https://dp.la/

New Data Set

Submitted by four Atmospheric Science researchers, this data set contains observations of air quality trends from 2006-2015. The data has been used to support their article on the contributions of wildfire smoke to seasonal changes in particulate matters concentrations across the U.S. https://hdl.handle.net/10217/193258

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Great Western Sugar Company Collection Added to Food Industry Library

In partnership with the University of California-San Francisco, more than 14,000 pdfs of GWS materials have been scanned with accompanying metadata. Completed over two years and soon to be available in Mountain Scholar, these records document the company's role in the sugar beet industry, operations, research, and the use of sugar in foods and food processing.
https://www.industrydocuments.ucsf.edu/food

Raymond L. Anderson Papers Available

Natural resource economist Raymond L. Anderson spent nearly three decades working jointly for the United States Department of Agriculture and CSU's Agricultural and Resource Economics Department. His research focused on economic aspects of water resources development, irrigation, water supply, and water transfers in arid environments. Four boxes, 1950-2008.
https://lib2.colostate.edu/archives/findingaids/water/wrla.html

Focus FORWARD

CSU's 150th Documentary

Nearly 600 motion picture films, oral histories, and videotapes have been selected for digitization for the documentary. The work will be completed by a vendor who is also working with Indiana University on digitizing their audio-visual content for their bicentennial. The oral histories are interviews with CSU presidents and faculty members, and the films and tapes capture athletic events, aerial views of campus, notable speakers on campus, such as Jane Goodall, wind engineering studies, dance performances, and building dedications.

Notable

Dr. Neil Grigg, professor of Civil and Environmental Engineering, published an article in the April issue of the *Journal of Irrigation and Drainage Engineering* using the papers of Royce Tipton, a noted consultant and civil engineer. Grigg's article focuses on Tipton's political astuteness and use of water allocation calculations to help settle transboundary water disputes, particularly in arid regions that require extensive irrigation.
https://ascelibrary.org/doi/10.1061/%28ASCE%29IR.1943-4774.0001383