

## Mission



The mission of the Archives and Special Collections is to support the University in all endeavors of producing a quality educational experience. As the repository for primary documents and artifacts of enduring value to the University, we are to preserve and protect all materials under the archives care and supervision. We are to provide regulated and efficient access to materials for the University community and researchers. To that end, we:

- Select, purchase, organize and maintain a quality archive and special collections
- Anticipate information needs in an increasingly global society
- Build and develop collections and provide access to information resources in support of teaching, research and services
- Ensure the long-term preservation, availability, and access to these resources
- Provide physical environments conducive for study, research, and inquiry
- Encourage, develop, and sustain in its staff the requisite knowledge, skills, commitment and innovative spirit

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- Researchers may be required to wear gloves at the archivist's discretion
- Photography is prohibited without permission from the archivist

## Hours of Operation

9 a.m. - 5 p.m., Monday - Friday

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\* It is recommended that visitors call or email for an appointment.

## Digital Collection

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