

The Engagement:

Announcing the Marriage between ArchivesSpace and the University of MN

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What Content Management System?

What not to say at an interview:

- “...Wait, what?”
- “Why not?!”
- “But then how do you (fill in the blank)?”
- “...Wait, what?!”

Distinct Collecting Entities 1960s-2000



Elmer L. Andersen Library 2000-Present





ArchivesSpace

**Shape the Direction of ArchivesSpace
as a Charter Member**

- Existing membership commitment
- Support of University Library and ASC Director

Changing Landscape

- 17 different ways of doing things
- Individualized practices are ingrained
- Some things don't need to be centralized



Homegrown

- Access
 - not easily shared or replicated
- Excel
 - Simple and unwieldy

CMS Should Support Life Cycle



Research

Documentation available to public: <http://www.archivesspace.org/technicaldocumentation>

Technical Documentation

[Original Functional Requirements](#)

[Original Technical Architecture Report](#)

[Original Functional Specifications](#)

[Data Import and Export Maps](#)

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ArchivesSpace Google Group:
<https://groups.google.com/d/forum/archivesspace>

ArchivesSpace Shared publicly

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Advanced search and API Documentation (2)

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A Plugin Question & Plugin Development Resources? (1)

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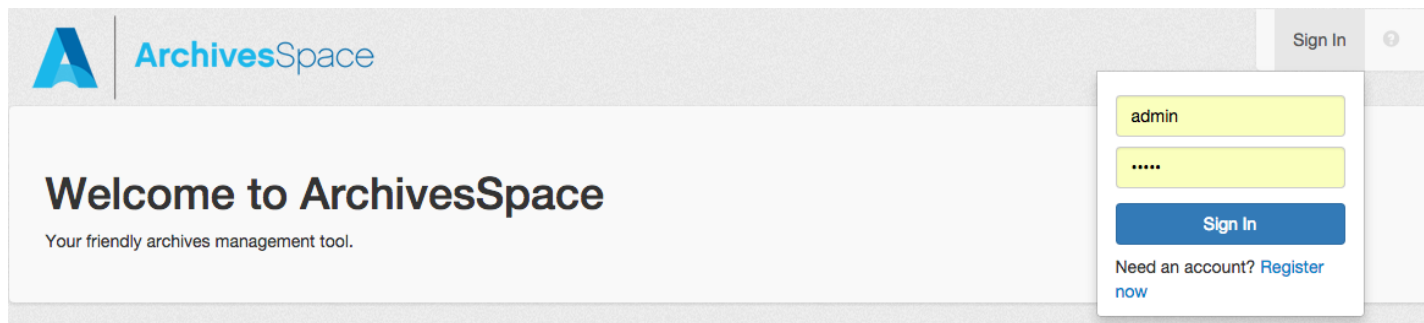


ArchivesSpace-Archivematica-DSpace Workflow Integration Project Blog (1)

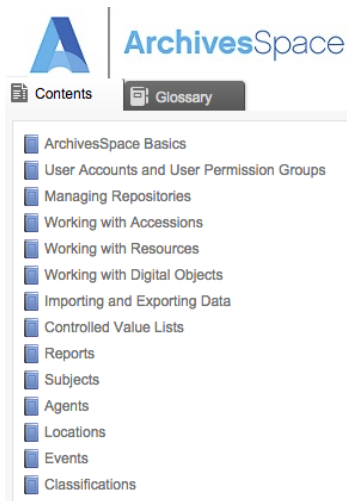
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Testing

Sandbox:



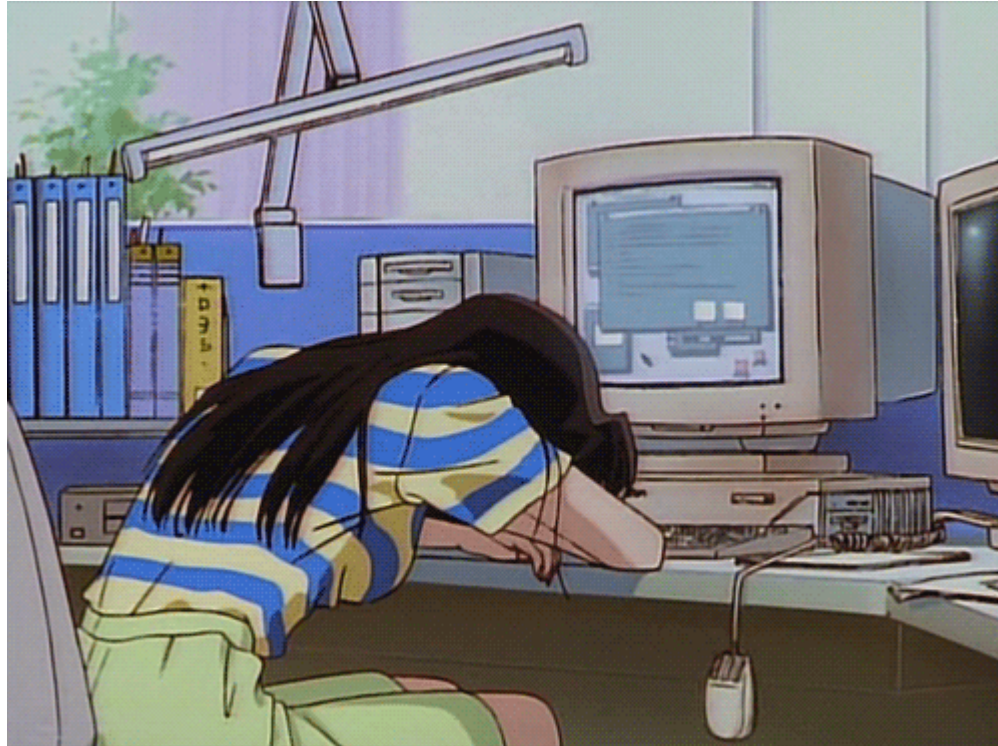
Member User Manual:



Capabilities

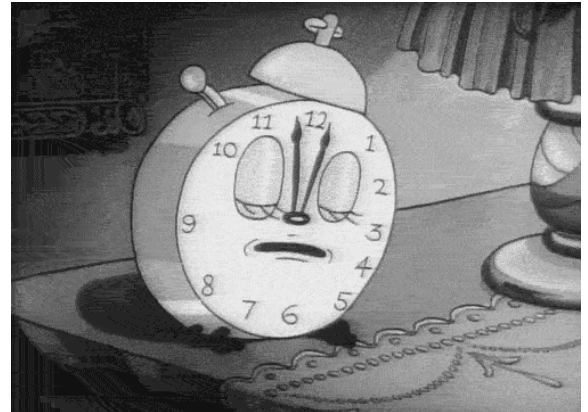
- Centralized collection management
- Standardized and uniform data entry for EADs
- Collection Location Management
 - Yale Plug-in enhancement
- Discoverability and Public Access
- Exporting Records
- Unified Finding Aid Display

Hand coding =



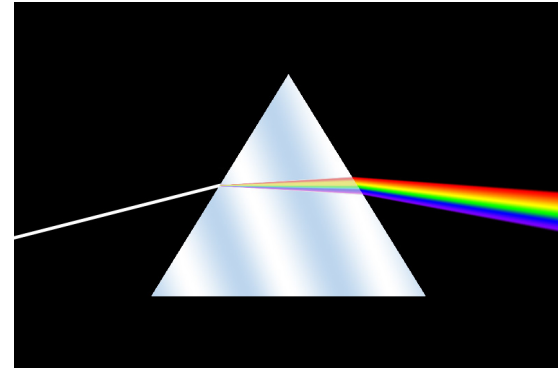
Current Status

- Review and testing process, July 30, 2015
- Proposal to University Librarian, January 2015
- Proposal approved, February 2015
- Security Report from Lyrasis received and contract review began, April 2015





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