Extending Omeka for Special Collections and Archival Content

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Background of Digital Collections at Kent State University (KSU) Special Collections & Archives

Collections

Kent State Shootings: Digital Archive
Selected photographs, audio recordings, and other items from the May 4 Collection, documenting the May 4, 1970 Kent State shootings.

Kent State Shootings: Oral Histories
Audio recordings and textual transcripts to oral histories documenting the Kent State shootings and their aftermath.

Kent State University Photographs & Maps
Photographs, images, and maps documenting the 100+ year history of Kent State University.
National Historical Publications and Records Commission (NHPRC) Grant

- September 2016: KSU University Libraries awarded a 2 year grant to digitize part of the May 4 Collection
- ~50,000 pages from 39 sub-collections
- First large digital initiative @ KSU that drove many of the modifications to Omeka instance & adapted workflows
Workflow adaptations for NHPRC grant

- Three broad steps: Pre-Production, Production, Post-Production
- Major workflow changes include:
  - Batch ingest
  - Shift to ingesting raw image files for text
  - Adding in copyright and privacy review processes
Overview of Omeka Extensions

1. Mirador Image Viewer
2. Finding Aid Auto-Link
3. Automated PDF Creation and OCR Process
Finding Aid Auto-Link

Box 59
Folder -- Contents

1. Agenda: AAUP Executive Committee: May 26, 1970

2. Ballot: College of Fine and Professional Arts, Election of College Secretary: May 25, 1970

   Physical Location: Shelved in map case.

4. Class rosters: Art Survey 180 and Art History 111
   Restrictions on Access: This file is restricted.

5. Correspondence: Louis K. Harris to KSU Faculty and Staff Members: May 11, 1970

6. Correspondence: Regarding Grading Procedures Following KSU Closure: May 13-26, 1970

7. Correspondence: Tabakoff to Students: May 12, 1970-May 27, 1970
   Scope and Content: Includes Tabakoff commentary on Kent State situation and informational enclosures she included with her class mailings following the shootings.
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**Citation**


**Direct Links**

- Download PDF File
RESOURCES

- Mirador IIIF Image Viewer
  http://projectmirador.org/
- Mirador Omeka Plugin
  https://github.com/kent-state-university-libraries/Mirador
- Loris IIIF Image Server
  https://github.com/loris-imageserver/loris
- Finding Aid Auto-Link
  https://github.com/kent-state-university-libraries/finding-aids-auto-link
- Automated PDF Creation
  https://github.com/kent-state-university-libraries/PDFCreate
Thanks!

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