

Statewide Digital Memory Projects

This is a list of statewide digital memory projects that allow public libraries and other cultural institutions to add their collections. The requirements and support available vary by state, but most at least provide technical quality and metadata specifications for partnering institutions.

Primary source for this list is Library of Congress - <https://www.loc.gov/rr/program/bib/statememory/>

State	Name & URL	Description – assistance to libraries
Alabama	Alabama Mosaic http://www.alabamamosaic.org/	Free to partner, stated purpose of helping small institutions create and manage digital collections.
Alaska	Alaska's Digital Archives https://vilda.alaska.edu/	Includes existing public library collections, but not clear how a new library can participate.
Arizona	Arizona Memory Project https://azmemory.azlibrary.gov/	Note that this is " <i>strictly an access tool and not a replacement for an archival repository. All contributors must be capable of retaining and preserving their own digital files. The Arizona Memory Project does not save digital copies of items.</i> "
Arkansas	<i>none found</i>	
California	Calisphere https://calisphere.org/	Hosted by University of California Libraries, provides access to more than 2,000 collections, contributed by UC campuses, as well as libraries, archives and museums across the state. See the Contributors page for info.
Colorado	Plains to Peaks Collective https://ppc.cvlites.org/	Includes collections from Colorado and Wyoming libraries, archives and museums.
Connecticut	Connecticut History Illustrated https://cthistoryillustrated.org/ Connecticut Digital Archive https://ctdigitalarchive.org/	CHI: "Connecticut history-related digital resources of libraries, archives, museums, galleries, historical societies and other cultural heritage institutions." CTDA: "Dedicated to the maintenance, delivery, and preservation of a wide range of digital resources for educational and cultural institutions."
Delaware	The Delaware Collections https://delaware.contentdm.oclc.org/	"Documents, artwork, maps, newspapers, slides, photos, audio/video and other important items documenting Delaware's rich history and culture." Participation process is not stated.

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Florida	Sunshine State Digital Network https://sunshinestatedigitalnetwork.wordpress.com https://ssdn.dp.la	The DPLA service hub for Florida. Offers documentation and training, including extensive collection of past training event recordings.
Georgia	Digital Library of Georgia https://dlg.usg.edu/	" DLG's mission includes supporting Georgia cultural heritage institutions with all aspects of the digitization cycle from selection to delivery." Provides clear information and documentation.
<i>Hawaii</i>		<i>Hawaii State Public Library System is a single statewide system. See the Digital Archives of Hawai'i</i>
Idaho	Digital Library of Idaho https://www.digitallibraryofidaho.org/	Fill out form on "about" page to start process of adding a collection. No other information on the site for partners.
Illinois	Illinois Digital Heritage Hub https://idhh.dp.la/	DPLA hub. Appears to have limited instruction and workflows documented onsite. Apply via form.
Indiana	Indiana Memory https://digital.library.in.gov/	Includes digitization and metadata standards and policies, level of support for small libraries not specified.
Iowa	The Iowa Heritage Digital Collections http://www.iowaheritage.org/	Provides good amount of instruction and background material on digitization, metadata, preservation, etc.
<i>Kansas</i>	<i>none found</i>	
Kentucky	Kentucky Digital Library https://kdl.kyvl.org/	Small libraries can join and create small collections for free. Training materials for participating libraries available.
Louisiana	Louisiana Digital Library https://louisianadigitallibrary.org/	Run by the Louisiana Digital Consortium . Libraries wishing to participate must join the consortium.
Maine	Maine Memory Network https://www.mainememory.net/	Allows organizations and individuals to contribute. Has extensive documentation for organizations wishing to create and share collections.
Maryland	Digital Maryland https://www.digitalmaryland.org/	Statewide digitization program of the Maryland State Library Resource Center and the Enoch Pratt Free Library. Provide a range of services to partner libraries.

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Massachusetts	Digital Commonwealth https://www.digitalcommonwealth.org/	Annual membership fee for contributors. Some digitization services through Boston Public.
Michigan	The Making of Modern Michigan https://mmm.lib.msu.edu/index.php	"A collaborative project involving 52 Michigan libraries. It includes local history materials from communities around the state." Originally funded by IMLS, but not clear if it is still actively managed, or if new libraries can join.
Minnesota	Minnesota Digital Library https://mndigital.org/	Provides free digitization to accepted contributors. Contributing libraries add metadata,
Mississippi	Mississippi Digital Library https://msdiglib.org/	Libraries can share locally hosted collections or MDL can host. Varying levels of support, including training and annual competitive funding award.
Missouri	Missouri Digital Heritage https://www.sos.mo.gov/mdh/	"Missouri State Archives and the Missouri State Library are assisting institutions across the state in digitizing their records and placing them online for easy access." Partnership process and level of support not stated.
Montana	Montana Memory Project https://www.mtmemory.org/	Fairly extensive guidelines, instructions and policies, but appears to be self-serve for libraries. Small grants and advice for seeking funding, but no direct assistance?
Nebraska	Nebraska Memories http://www.memories.ne.gov/	Open to any Nebraska library or cultural institution, partnership is free and support and documentation is offered.
Nevada	Nevada Library Cooperative Digital Collections https://nvlibrarycoop.contentdm.oclc.org/	The Nevada Library Cooperative runs an online digital collection system for member libraries.
<i>New Hampshire</i>	<i>none found</i>	
New Jersey	New Jersey Digital Highway https://njdigitalhighway.org/	Appears open to cultural heritage organizations in the state. Little public info about becoming a Collection Partner on the site - use the contact form.
New Mexico	New Mexico Digital Collections https://econtent.unm.edu/	Provides access to digitized photographs, manuscripts, posters, oral histories, videos, maps, and books from libraries, museums, and cultural centers across the state.

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New York	New York Heritage https://nyheritage.org/	Main support and access to contributing libraries is through NY regional library councils.
North Carolina	DigitalNC: North Carolina Digital Heritage Center https://www.digitalnc.org/	Free to partner with, they offer extensive support, documentation and training.
North Dakota	Digital Horizons http://www.digitalhorizonsonline.org/	“An online resource for thousands of images, documents, videos, and oral histories depicting life on the Northern Plains.”
Ohio	Ohio Memory https://ohiomemory.ohiohistory.org/	Cultural heritage materials related to Ohio history. Subscription-based partnership model, sliding scale fee. Offers branded portals, free storage and training.
Oklahoma	Oklahoma Digital Prairie https://digitalprairie.ok.gov/	“An electronic library for the people of Oklahoma.” No explicit information on site about how to partner, but there are many public library collections. Contact ODL.
Oregon	Northwest Digital Heritage http://www.nwdigitalheritage.org	A partnership with Washington Rural Heritage to extend access to Oregon libraries, museums, and cultural heritage organizations.
Pennsylvania	Power Library https://digitalarchives.powerlibrary.org/papd/	Run by Pennsylvania Department of Education, Office of Commonwealth Libraries. Offers PA Photos & Documents, a statewide digitization service.
Rhode Island	<i>none found</i>	<i>Providence Public library has Digital Collections</i>
South Carolina	The South Carolina Digital Library https://scmemory.org/	3 regional repositories and digitization centers with support and instructions. Also Digitization in a Box kits that libraries can borrow.
South Dakota	<i>none found</i>	
Tennessee	<i>none found</i>	
Texas	The Portal to Texas History https://texashistory.unt.edu/	Run by UNT. “The Portal leverages the power of hundreds of content partners across the state to provide a vibrant, growing collection of resources.”

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Utah	Mountain West Digital Library https://mwdl.org/	Utah-based but includes Nevada, Idaho, Oregon, Wyoming, and Hawaii. Organizations can contact MWDL or go through one of 19 Member Repositories. Some basic guidelines on the site.
Vermont	Digital Vermont https://www.digitalvermont.org/	It is not clear if DV is currently taking on new library content partners.
Virginia	<i>none found</i>	
Washington	Washington Rural Heritage https://www.washingtonruralheritage.org/digital/	Online short manual and some support
West Virginia	<i>none found</i>	
Wisconsin	Recollection Wisconsin https://recollectionwisconsin.org/	Operates as a for-fee content host, does not include storage. Also has a Digital Projects Toolkit with instructions for creating your own digital collection
Wyoming	Plains to Peaks Collective https://ppc.cvlisites.org/	Includes collections from Colorado and Wyoming libraries, archives and museums.

Multi-State Projects		
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Montana + North Dakota	Big Sky Country Digital Network https://bscdn.dp.la/	A partnership of the Montana State Library, Montana Historical Society, MSU, UM and North Dakota State Library. Digital photos, maps, books, artifacts, oral histories and more from dozens of libraries, archives, historical societies and museums.
Utah, Nevada, Idaho, Oregon, Wyoming	Mountain West Digital Library https://mwdl.org/	Utah-based but includes Nevada, Idaho, Oregon, Wyoming, and Hawaii. Organizations can contact MWDL or go through one of 19 Member Repositories. Some basic guidelines on the site.