



Repository Working Group

Collaborative Archives: Factors and Benefits

Wednesday, October 6, 2021

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12 Noon EDT

4 p.m. GMT

Collaborative archives have become a primary focus for many institutions as a response to the need for preserving and making accessible Catholic religious community archival collections. Building on our November 2020 webinar outlining types of repositories [www.archivalrcc.org], this webinar examines the process of creating a collaborative archive.

Each panelist has experience conceiving, planning, and executing a collaborative repository. They will present their experience and lessons learned through participating in a collaborative archive project. In addition to addressing the cost benefits and efficiencies of collaborative archives, they will discuss how to:

- Develop a strategy for a collaborative archives
 - Evolving process of reaching an archival solution
 - Finding partners
 - Involving stakeholders – leadership and community
 - Importance of communication
 - Initial and long term benefits
- Determine financial support
- Address stumbling blocks
- Achieve long-term sustainability

Presenters:

Kingston, Ontario Collaborative Archive Project

- Rodney Carter, Archivist, Religious Hospitallers of Saint Joseph, Kingston, Ontario
- Veronica Stienburg, Archivist, Sisters of Providence of Saint Vincent de Paul, Kingston, Ontario

Society of the Sacred Heart, Saint Louis, Missouri

- Michael Pera, Archivist, Society of the Sacred Heart USA-Canada Province Archives
- Thomas More Daly, OSU, Archivist, Central Province Archives, Ursuline Sisters

Heritage and Research Center at Saint Mary's, Notre Dame, Indiana

- Monte Abbott, Archivist, Sisters of the Good Shepherd Archives, Saint Louis, Missouri

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