



Digital Library of Georgia

Sharing Georgia's History & Culture Online

DLG Quick Facts

Based at the University of Georgia Libraries, the [Digital Library of Georgia](#) is a [GALILEO](#) initiative that collaborates with Georgia's institutions of education and culture to provide access to key information resources on Georgia history, culture, and life. This primary mission is accomplished through the ongoing development, maintenance, and preservation of digital collections and online digital library resources including the [Digital Library of Georgia](#), [Civil Rights Digital Library](#), [Georgia Historic Newspapers](#), and [Civil War in the American South](#). DLG also serves as Georgia's service hub for the [Digital Public Library of America](#).

DLG by the numbers:

300 nationwide content partners
145 Georgia content partners
1333 collections
1.5 million newspaper pages
10th most records in DPLA

DLG's Strategic Goals:

Sustainability
Expand and diversify content partners
Deepen and cultivate outside partnerships
Increase partner engagement and services
Support the digitization capacity in state organizations

Public Library Partners in the DLG:

57% of Georgia's public library systems have content in the DLG
1/3 of the DLG's content partners are public libraries
Georgia's public libraries have contributed over 40,000 archival items
Georgia's public libraries are the second largest contributor to the DLG
Georgia's public libraries have contributed nearly 390,000 total items



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Georgia's Virtual Library
GALILEO
An Initiative of the University System of Georgia

Types of Memory Institutions Contributing to the DLG:

Municipal agencies
Consortial groups
Corporate archives
Encyclopedias
Federal agencies
Federal archives
Historical societies
Municipal archives
Museums

Public libraries
Presidential libraries
Public broadcasting
Religious
State agencies
State archives
University archives
University departments
University libraries

Partnerships Beyond Libraries, Archives, and Museums (LAMs)

Arts agencies
Educational agencies
Humanities agencies
Public broadcasting

DLG Communication Channels

[DLGNEWS listserv](#)
[Quarterly newsletter](#)
[Calendar](#)
[Blog](#)
[Twitter](#)
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DLG Genealogical Resources

[DLG Genealogical Resources flyer \(color\)](#)
[DLG Genealogical Resources flyer \(b&w\)](#)

DLG Newspaper Milestones

In 2007, the Digital Library released its first newspaper website, the Red and Black Archive.

The DLG began releasing regional newspaper sites in 2011, beginning with the South Georgia Historic Newspapers Archive.

The DLG reached the half million pages digitized milestone in October 2012.

In July 2017, the Digital Library of Georgia released the Georgia Historic Newspapers website, an online archive that will incorporate all new and previously released newspapers.

<http://gahistoricnewspapers.galileo.usg.edu>

The National Endowment for the Humanities awarded the Digital Library of Georgia a two-year National Digital Newspaper Program grant to digitize 100,000 more pages of Georgia historic newspapers in August 2017. In August 2019, DLG was awarded a second round of funding to digitize an additional 110,000 pages of historic newspapers.

In 2018, the DLG launched a new interface for its collections, <https://dlg.usg.edu>.