

Digital Readiness Fair

Virtually hosted by Pioneer Village/Barron County Historical Society

August 3, 2021

Time	Session	Speaker
8:30 am - 9:00 am	Meet and greet (optional) Grab a morning beverage of your choice and join us before the fair to chat, meet other local history practitioners, and connect with Janet Seymour, Wisconsin Historical Society Outreach Director. If you'd like to join in person, coffee and breakfast pastries will be provided.	In person location: Pioneer Village 1866 ½ 14th Ave. Cameron, WI **Please contact the host organization for location-specific health protocols.**
9:00 - 9:10 am	Welcome	Tammy Schutz Executive Director Barron County Historical society
9:10 - 9:40 am	Statewide Digital Readiness Community of Practice	Emily Pfotenhauer Digital Projects Team Recollection Wisconsin Kristen Whitson Program Assistant Recollection Wisconsin
9:40 - 9:50 am	Break	
10:00 - 10:50 am	Why and How? Baby Steps to Digitization You want to start a digitizing project, but you have so many questions. How do you convince stakeholders of the importance of digitizing collections? What can be done on a small or nonexistent budget? Is this really worth my time? In this presentation, individuals from three small cultural heritage organizations will discuss how they got their digitization projects off the ground. They'll share their experiences making a case for digitization, getting started with equipment at hand, and using digital collections for the benefit of the organization.	Russ Hanson Technical Specialist Sterling Eureka and Laketown Historical Society Jodi Kiffmeyer Archivist Chippewa Valley Museum Jennifer Gurske Program and Technology Manager Madison Trust for Historic Preservation

10:50 - 11:00 am	Break	
11:00 - 11:30 am	Wisconsin Historical Society Local History Affiliate Outreach	Liz Arbuckle Educational Outreach Specialist Wisconsin Historical Society
11:30 am - 12:00 pm	Standardized Rights Statements 101: Easier Than You Think Standardized rights statements from rightsstatements.org provide clear, standard information about the copyright status of individual items, and make it easier to understand how they might be used for educational and other purposes. Want to learn more about them, and how to apply them to your collections? Minnesota Digital Library Outreach Coordinator Molly Huber will provide a quick overview of the statements available and share tools and examples to help you get started. It's easier than you think!	Molly Huber Outreach Coordinator Minnesota Digital Library
12:00 - 12:05 pm	Break	
12:05 - 12:20 pm	Digital Public Library of America / Recollection Wisconsin	Emily Pfotenhauer Program Manager Recollection Wisconsin
12:20 - 12:30 pm	Wrap up	
12:30 - 1:00 pm	Lunch (optional) Grab your lunch and join us after the fair to connect with other local history practitioners, ask questions of speakers, and connect with Janet Seymour, Wisconsin Historical Society Outreach Director. If you'd like to join in person, lunch will be provided.	Virtual on Zoom, or In person at Pioneer Village, 1866 ½ 14th Ave. Cameron, WI **Please contact the host organization for location-specific health protocols.**