

RECOLLECTION WISCONSIN DIGITIZATION INITIATIVE



Calling all Wisconsin history organizations!

Want to digitize but need support scanning and creating metadata?
We're here to help!

Recollection Wisconsin seeks new content partners to digitize local history collections starting in fall 2024. Trained graduate students will complete the work and will receive a stipend from us. Your collection will be added to Recollection Wisconsin. It's a win-win!

Content partners will:

- identify and organize a photo or paper-based collection in advance,
- identify a staff person to serve as liaison and attend a virtual project launch meeting and training,
- provide student staff with an orientation to their organization and collections, and general support during a student's work shift,
- receive scanning and metadata workflows to support future work,
- have a scanner, computer and adequate workspace, and
- receive an external hard drive for your organization's digital preservation work.



We're interested in collections that document lesser-known stories about Wisconsin history and the people who have inhabited our home state including Native, immigrant and LGBTQ communities; women's stories; and, in general, materials that document aspects of Wisconsin business, industry, tourism, cities and architecture, natural landscape and resources or military veterans.

For additional program information, contact vicki@wils.org or visit <https://www.recollectionwisconsin.org/rwdi>