This recently established feature serves as a preliminary guide to freely accessible online collections of primary sources. The sites identified here draw on the expertise of AHR staff and the Board of Editors, but we also solicited submissions from a small group of readers to test a larger crowdsourcing initiative that will drive the list of entries in the future. We intend to add to this section with each issue, with the complete list to be available online at historians.org/digital-primary-sources. Readers are encouraged to use the form available there to submit their own favorite primary-source archival collections.

**COMPARATIVE/WORLD/TRANSNATIONAL**

**Cornell Digital Witchcraft Collection** (Cornell University Library)
http://ebooks.library.cornell.edu/witch/digital.html

"An online selection of 104 English language books" from Cornell University Library's Witchcraft Collection, which "documents the earliest and the latest manifestations of the belief in witchcraft as well as its geographical boundaries, and elaborates this history with works on demonology, criminal law and investigation of criminal cases and social violence; the use of censorship, torture, exorcism, and the medical treatment of possession or madness; and sexuality. Especially after the late seventeenth century, many books express skepticism and recommend moderation concerning witchcraft beliefs, paganism, etc."

*Geography:* Western Europe, United States
*Period:* 1400s–1800s

**David Rumsey Map Collection** (Cartography Associates)
http://www.davidrumsey.com

"Contains more than 150,000 maps. The collection focuses on rare 16th through 21st century maps of North and South America, as well as maps of the World, Asia, Africa, Europe, and Oceania."

*Geography:* World
*Period:* 1500s–present

**Wilson Center Digital Archive** (Wilson Center)
http://digitalarchive.wilsoncenter.org

"Collects the research of three Wilson Center projects which focus on the interrelated histories of the Cold War, Korea, and Nuclear Proliferation" and "contains once-secret documents from governments all across the globe, ... providing fresh insights into the history of international relations and diplomacy."

*Geography:* World
*Period:* 1866–2010

**Voyages: The Trans-Atlantic Slave Trade Database** (Eidney University)
http://www.slavevoyages.org

Details of almost 36,000 transatlantic slave voyages, including information about vessels, enslaved peoples, slave traders, and estimates of the overall size and direction of the traffic.

*Geography:* Americas, Africa, Western Europe, Caribbean
*Period:* 1514–1866

**Canada and the United States**

**Founders Online** (National Archives and University of Virginia Press)
https://founders.archives.gov

Transcribed and annotated writings from "George Washington, Benjamin Franklin, Alexander Hamilton, John Adams [and family], Thomas Jefferson, and James Madison." The comprehensive collection contains thousands of items, including diaries, correspondence to and from, and other significant drafts and essays.

*Geography:* United States
*Period:* 1706–1836

**Prelinger Archives** (Library of Congress, Motion Picture, Broadcasting, and Recorded Sound Division)
https://archive.org/details/prelinger

Founded "to collect, preserve, and facilitate access to films of historic significance," it holds "approximately 11,000 digitized and videotape titles (all originally derived from film) and a large collection of home movies, amateur and industrial films."

*Geography:* United States
*Period:* 1903–2016

**The Walt Whitman Archive** (edited by Ed Folsom and Kenneth M. Price)
http://whitmanarchive.org

Digital images and searchable transcriptions of Whitman's published works, including the six editions of Leaves of Grass, as well as fragments, essays, letters, marginalia, and more.

*Geography:* United States
*Period:* nineteenth century

W. E. B. Du Bois Papers** (University of Massachusetts)
http://credo.library.umass.edu/view/collection/muma312

"Over 100,000 items of correspondence (more than three quarters of the papers), speeches, articles, newspaper columns, nonfiction books, research materials, book reviews, pamphlets and leaflets, petitions, novels, essays," and much more.
CARIBBEAN AND LATIN AMERICA

ECCLESIASTICAL AND SECULAR SOURCES FOR SLAVE SOCIETIES (Vanderbilt University)
http://www.vanderbilt.edu/esss/

"Dedicated to identifying, cataloguing, and digitally preserving endangered archival materials documenting the history of Africans and Afro-descended peoples in the Iberian colonies. ESSS currently has projects in Colombia, Cuba and Brazil."
The project has since added records from Spanish Florida.

**Geography:** Caribbean, South America
**Period:** 1500s–1800s

EUROPE: ANCIENT AND MEDIEVAL

FOURTH-CENTURY CHRISTIANITY (Wisconsin Lutheran College, Asia Lutheran Seminary)
http://www.fourthcentury.com

Promotes "the study of the Church and its environment in the Fourth Century."

**Geography:** Europe, Middle East
**Period:** ca. 250–450

IRISH SCRIPT ON SCREEN (Dublin Institute for Advanced Studies)
https://www.isos.dias.ie/

Digitized Irish manuscripts; the majority of the collected materials are either medieval in origin or copies of medieval texts.

**Geography:** Ireland
**Period:** 700s–1800s

PARTHIAN SOURCES ONLINE (hosted by Jake Nabel and Cornell University)
http://parthiansources.com

"Assembles and translates the precious few pieces of documentary evidence that survive from Parthian territory. It includes texts in Greek, Latin, and (most importantly) Parthian."

**Geography:** Mediterranean, Middle East, Iran
**Period:** 148 B.C.E.–262 C.E.

EUROPE: EARLY MODERN AND MODERN

DISSIDENTS AND MODERN PROGRAMS ONLINE: VIRTUAL LIBRARY SYSTEM (Queen Mary Centre for Religion and Literature in English)
http://ms.english.qmul.ac.uk/

"A union catalogue which represents the holdings and loans of selected dissenting academies in England in the eighteenth and nineteenth centuries. It has been compiled from a range of sources, including historic catalogues, shelf lists, loan registers, and surviving books from the academy libraries."

**Geography:** England
**Period:** 1700s–1800s

EARLY STUART LIBRARY (Early Modern Literary Studies)
http://www.earlystuartlibrary.net/tbdocs/index.html

"A web-based edition of early seventeenth-century political poetry from manuscript sources," edited by Alastair Bellany (Rutgers University) and Andrew McRae (University of Exeter). "It brings into the public domain over 350 poems, many of which have never before been published."

**Geography:** England
**Period:** 1603–1640

STALINKA (University of Pittsburgh)
http://images.library.pitt.edu/s/stalinka

"Visual materials and artifacts relating to Stalin: photographs, posters, paintings, banners, sculptures, chinaware, pins, etc."

**Geography:** Russia
**Period:** 1902–2007