

A Menu for Menus: Organizing a Menu Collection

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Abstract:

An unprocessed collection of menus exists in SUNY Schenectady's archives, a treasure trove of information for the history buffs, the culinary enthusiasts, and more. In a desire to make these accessible, both in hard copy and online, an organization and digitization process have begun concurrently - organizing the menus and also digitizing them and creating finding aids. Using ContentDM this project is in its infancy and any tips, guidelines, or ideas will be greatly appreciated.

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