



PRESERVING YOUR PERSONAL COLLECTIONS RECOMMENDED RESOURCES

Recommended Books

- *Caring for Your Cherished Objects: The Winterthur Guide*, edited by Joy Gardiner and Joan Irving, Rowman & Littlefield Publishers, 2021.
- *Creating Family Archives: A Step-by-Step Guide to Saving Your Memories for Future Generations*, by Margaret Note, Society of American Archivists, 2019.

Recommended Websites

- ***NEDCC Preservation Leaflets, Northwest Document Conservation Center (NEDCC)***

Features preservation leaflets on a variety of preservation subjects: planning and preservation; environmental conditions, emergency management, storage and handling of collections, photographs, reformatting, and conservation.

<https://www.nedcc.org/free-resources/preservation-leaflets/overview>

- ***Preservation, The United States National Archives and Records Administration (NARA)***

Features information about preserving different types of media, such as audio, video, books, scrapbooks, paper, and photographic materials; conservation treatments; environmental monitoring; storage and handling; records emergencies; and digital preservation.

<https://www.archives.gov/preservation>

- ***Emergency Salvage of Flood Damaged Family Papers, The United States National Archives and Records Administration (NARA).***

Provides information about the emergency stabilization and salvage of water-damaged documents, books, and photographs.

<https://www.archives.gov/preservation/conservation/flood-damage.html>



Louisiana State Archives – Conservation Services
Louisiana Secretary of State
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- **Graphics Atlas**

Provides an overview on how to identify and distinguish different photographic processes, such as ambrotypes, cyanotypes, daguerreotypes, salted paper, tintypes, woodburytypes, and more.

<http://www.graphicsatlas.org/>

Training

- **Northeast Document Conservation Center (NEDCC)**

Offers webinars to meet the interests of collections care.

<https://www.nedcc.org/preservation-training/training-currentlist>

Archival Material Suppliers

- **Gaylord**

<https://www.gaylord.com/personal-preservation-family>

- **University Products**

<https://www.universityproducts.com/archival-essentials>

Professional Conservators

- **American Institute for Conservation and Foundation for Advancement in Conservation (AIC/FAIC)**

Offers searchable databases to find professional conservators and to verify conservators' credentials.

<https://community.culturalheritage.org/expertsearch>