Migration & Update to CONTENTdm 6.1

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CONTENTdm 4.3 & before
- Web customization
- Challenges in 4.3 and earlier versions
- Evaluations of other platforms

Upgrade to CONTENTdm 6.1
- Migration from 4.3 to 6.1
- Customizing CONTENTdm 6.1
- What’s next?

Early experiences with CONTENTdm 6.1
- Myaamia Collection Online
- CONTENTdm as our ‘stacks’ and Omeka as our ‘exhibit room’
- Integrating CONTENTdm and Omeka

Questions?
Miami University Libraries & CONTENTdm = 2005-2006
Frank Snyder Photograph collection & Victorian TradeCards collection

Changes: global level and in individual collections

AutoSuggest & Share-It for CONTENTdm 6.x
http://archivestrinity.blogspot.com/2013/02/sharing-feature-for-images-in-trinity.html
Integration of viewers/players for special type of content
Handwritten documents
Video content
Multi-page & high-res images
OhioLINK & centralized system for digital content
  Institutional repositories
  Cultural heritage collections

Mid 2012
  Back to institutional level host/management
Migration from 4.3 to 6.1
  System admin

Migration from DSpace to 6.1
  Head of department & OhioLINK developers

Migration bugs
  Metadata & custom viewers (DjVu & Zoomify)
-currently working on:
  Kaltura for videos
  JPG2000 for all image collections
“Our vision is to serve as a collaborative partner with faculty, students, and staff by providing digital library, data repository, multimedia, digitization, scholarly communication, geospatial and data management services so that members of the Miami community can accomplish their research, scholarly, and teaching goals.”

http://cds.lib.muohio.edu/about/

Projects with faculty
- use of crowdsourcing tools for transcribing handwritten documents
- cost/benefit analysis in creating captioned videos
- multimedia-and-text synchronization for accessibility and usability
- use of primary source collections for digital humanities projects
Early experiences with CONTENTdm 6.1

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A Gift of History
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http://spec.lib.miamioh.edu/giftofhistory
...to the Exhibit Room
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