Welcome to the Timeline Workshop!

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Participants will learn:

- How Google Spreadsheets store and supply data to the timeline tools
- How to display the data in an open source timeline tool
- To create an exhibit by combining the spreadsheet and timeline software tools
- Gain experience with a type of digital humanities (DH) tool and get a sense of the larger context of DH
Digital Humanities (DH) Genres

Digital Music and Ethnography

Crowdsourcing

Transcription

Digital Storytelling

GIS / Mapping

Text Encoding & Data Mining

Digital Archives

Makerspaces / 3D Printing

Information/Data

Critical Technology Code Studies

Visualization

Scholarly/Academic Publishing
DH Genres Involved in Timelines

- Digital Humanities
  - Data Visualization
  - Digital Archives
  - Mapping / GIS
  - Data Mining
  - Scholarly Publishing
  - Digital Storytelling
  - Crowd-sourcing
  - 3D Printing
  - Critical Technology Studies
Timelines

We selected TimelineJS and SIMILE Widgets
More Timelines

http://dirtdirectory.org/

Search directory for “Timelines”
Timeline Use Examples

Library collections and history

Bethel History - Simile and TimelineJS (in CONTENTdm and Omeka)
Macalester Library History

Class assignments

Literary Timeline Group Project

Faculty scholarship projects

Human Computers at NASA (in Omeka)
Sign In to Google Drive or Google Mail

If you don’t yet have an account
Outline for Today

● TimelineJS Intro
● Prepare spreadsheet
● Add your content to spreadsheet
● Connect to timeline
● Break
● Display Timeline on another site (Blogger Blog)
● Step By Step Instructions