

**Subject:** it's Spring! Here's what's happening at the University Libraries

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## Power of Preservation

The University Libraries Digital Services Department recently partnered with the Washoe County Recorder's Office to execute a pilot project in which the Libraries digitized 20 volumes of historically significant records from the Recorder's Office library of nearly 4,000 volumes. The Recorder's Office had a desire to create digital copies of records from their library for preservation purposes. The Recorder's Office was also interested in providing potential users with access to the records online.

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## Leaf Photo Creates a Flurry

Elsbeth Olson, project archivist with Special Collections and University Archives, recently wrote a University NSights blog post featuring a charming story regarding an experience she had with a black-and-white campus photo from the 1979 Sagebrush archives. Olson was on a mission to identify the women featured in the photo. To learn how she did it check out the Nevada Today article.

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## New additions to the University Libraries team

The University Libraries is pleased to announce Linda Kopecky as Associate Dean for University Libraries and Teaching and Learning Technologies, John Schleicher as University and Community Archivist and Tara Radniecki as Head of the DeLaMare Science and Engineering Library.

[Linda Kopecky joins the University Libraries as Associate Dean](#)

[John Schleicher is the University Libraries' Community and University Archivist](#)

[Tara Radniecki is new Head of the DeLaMare Science and Engineering Library](#)

### Upcoming Events:

- “Nuggets: Short Stories of Nevada Mining” exhibit opening Mid-April 2020
- [April 3 University Libraries celebrates Public Domain Week](#)
- April 9 – 10 Jon Bilbao Basque Library and Center for Basque Studies presents “Bertso-eskolak: The Schools for Basque Improvisational Poetry”
  - The [Center for Basque Studies](#) and the [Jon Bilbao Basque Library](#) at the University of Nevada, Reno will host an international conference on Basque improvisational verse singing, bertsolaritza, and its pedagogical organizations, bertso-schools, on April 9-10, 2020. A hands-on workshop with Wyoming poet (former poet laureate) and folk music specialist [David Romtvedt](#) will be held during the conference.
- April 6-10 University Libraries celebrates [Money Smart Week](#)

### Other News:

- [Black history: uncovering voices of the Civil Rights Movement.](#)
- [To Restore Civil Society, Start with the Library](#)
- [Coronavirus Research Now Open Access](#)
- [New Library Digital Collection: City Directories](#)
- [Changes to Special Collections and University Archives hours](#)



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