

Special Collections and Affordable Learning

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The Teaching Library

We will sustain a vibrant and innovative teaching library that contributes measurably to student success and that responds effectively to changing priorities, needs, modes of instruction, and pedagogical approaches. The Library will be woven into the fabric of online learning and will advance affordable and open educational resources. We will provide student-centered libraries in which learners are not only knowledge consumers, but knowledge creators.





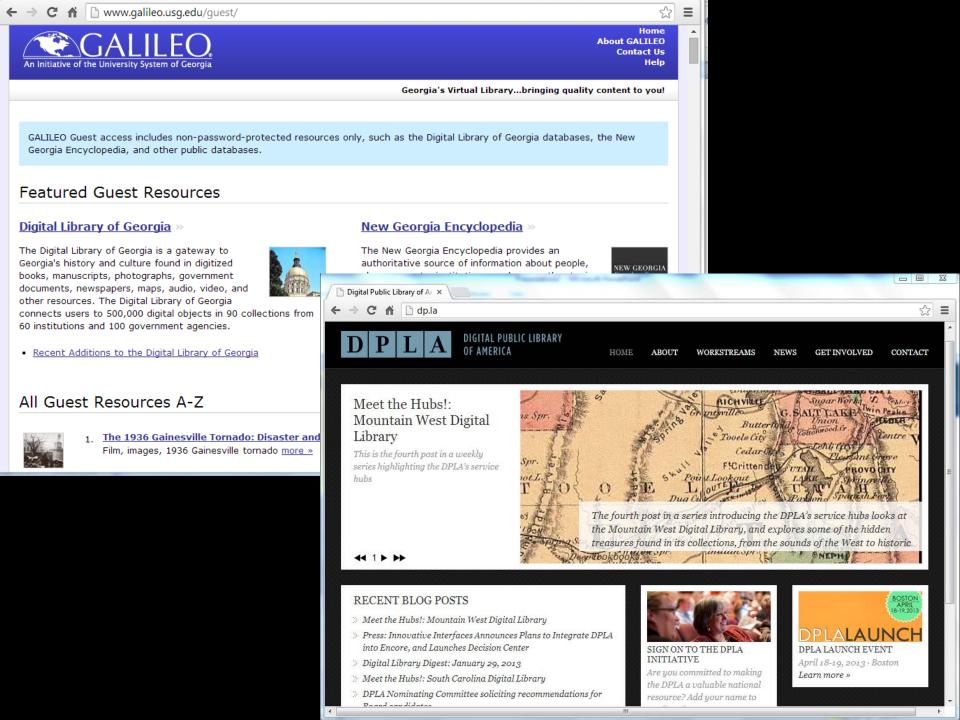




















Atlanta (Vine City) Demonstrations

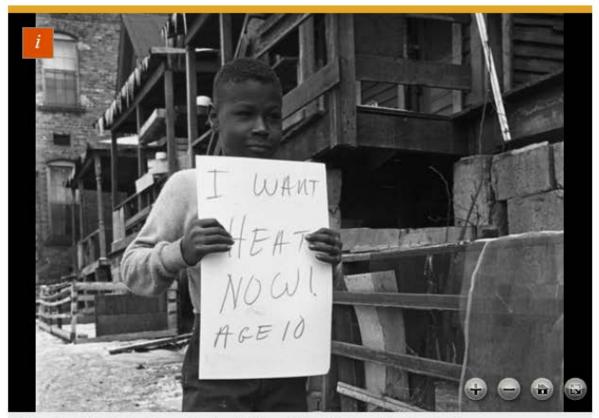
In January 1966, the Reverend Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., his wife Coretta Scott King, the Reverend Ralph David Abernathy, and his wife Juanita Abernathy led a protest march in the Vine City neighborhood in Atlanta, Georgia to call attention to substandard housing in that area.

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Vine City Civil Rights Demonstration [Note: child with sign asking for heat]









Teaching with archives:

- Provides a experience of personal discovery that other supplemental materials may not;
- Generates opportunities for innovative pedagogy;
- Leverages faculty interest in the material and new methods for using it;
- Leverages existing library commitment to share holdings;
- Contributes to affordable learning;
- Faculty/archivist/librarian collaboration is key;
- Appropriate library instructional space also is key;
- Often, less is more; and
- Digitized special collections expand access, help us to better serve a broader public, create new discovery opportunities, and suggest new opportunities to engage students in the creation of digital resources.