

AGGREGATING TEXAS DIGITAL COLLECTIONS FOR THE DIGITAL PUBLIC LIBRARY OF AMERICA

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A Wealth of Knowledge

explore 16,275,285 items from libraries, archives, and museums



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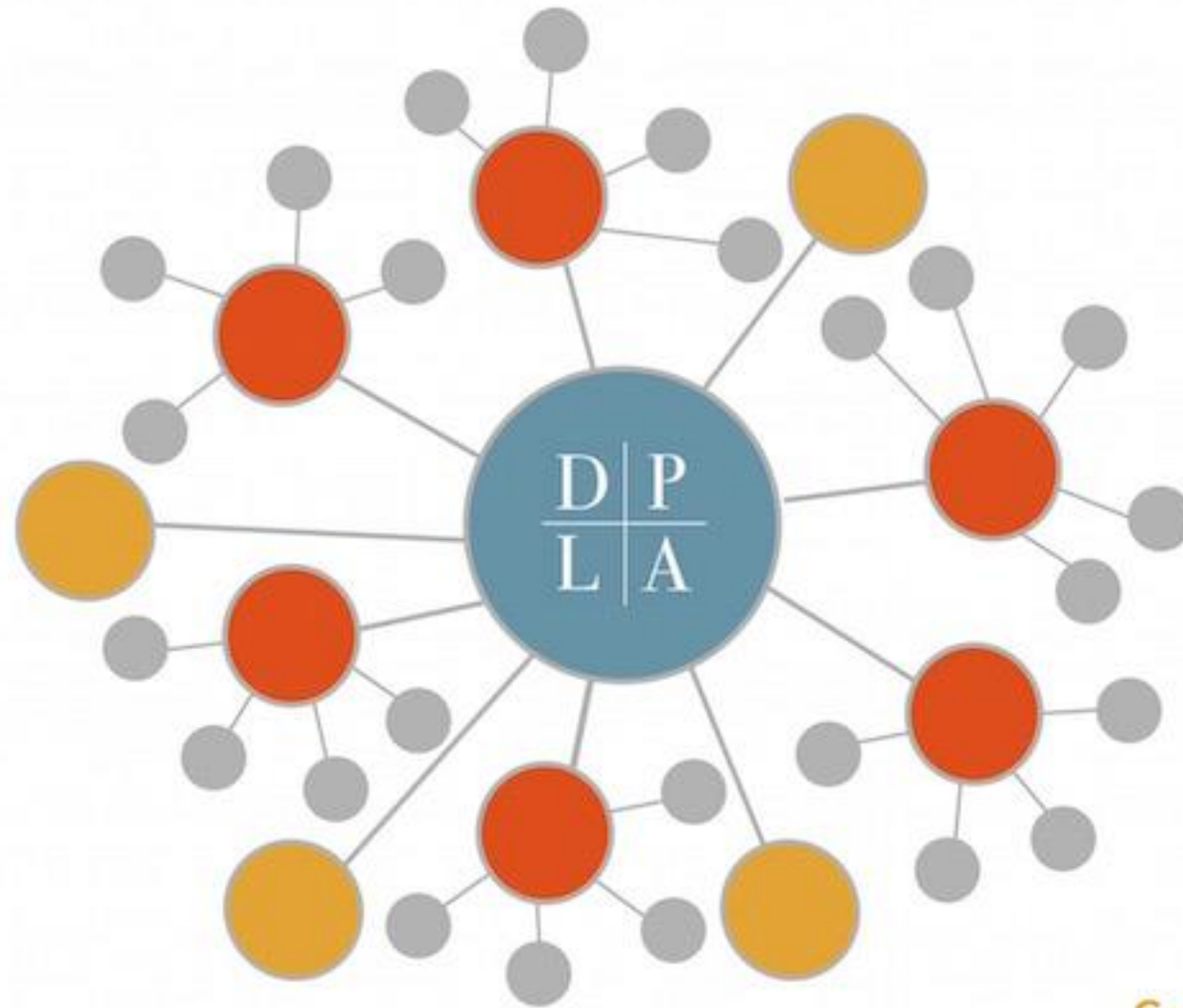
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- Search & Browse portal
- Open API
- Primary Source Sets for K-12 and Higher Ed
- Hydra in a Box (Hyku)
- Ebooks initiatives

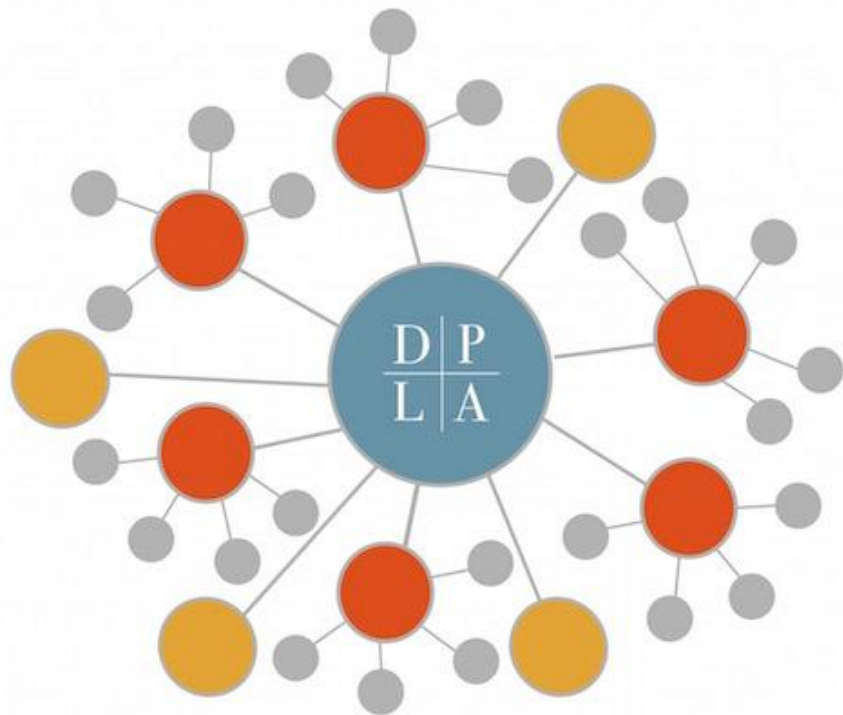


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- Increase Visibility of Resources
- Promotes Information Literacy
- Enables free dissemination of information
- Connects disparate collections



Content Hubs
Service Hubs



MWDL
Mountain West Digital Library

<http://mwdl.org/>

MDL MINNESOTA
DIGITAL LIBRARY

<https://mndigital.org/>



<https://padigital.org/>

The Portal to Texas History

Search 826,816 items from 346 partners across Texas.

Any Type Search

Sample Searches: "Breckenridge American" "Houston Post" "Abilene Daily Reporter" "Attorney General Opinion" "B-24 Liberator"

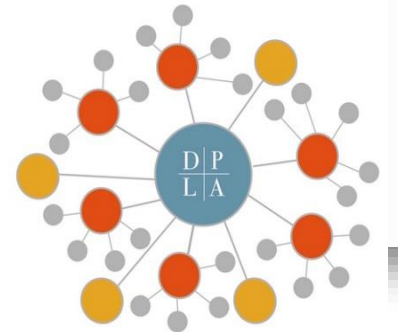
A gateway to rare, historical, and primary source materials from or about Texas:

About the Portal

Search

Explore by

Take a Tour



<https://texashistory.unt.edu/>



Damon, Katy & Damon, Fred. [Barbara Jordan Being Interviewed], photograph, October 21, 1971; (texashistory.unt.edu/ark:/67531/metapth389285/; accessed April 18, 2017), University of North Texas Libraries, The Portal to Texas History, texashistory.unt.edu; crediting Texas Southern University.



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Search the Library

[Barbara Jordan Being Interviewed]



Get full image from The
Portal to Texas History

Creator	Damon, Katy; Damon, Fred
Created Date	1971-10-21
Partner	The Portal to Texas History
Contributing Institution	The Portal to Texas History
Description	Photograph of Barbara Jordan being interviewed by a reporter at the Rice Hotel in Houston, Texas. 1 photograph : b 10 x 8 in.
Location	United States - Texas - Harris County - Houston

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So what's the problem?

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Gabriel García Márquez Collection



Houston
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Search

Add or remove other collections
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- ☒ Archival Collections
- ☒ Astrodome Memories
- ☒ Barnstone Project
- ☒ Books, Reports and Periodicals
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Narrow your search by:

- Creator
- Date
- Subject
- Type



You've searched: All Collections

All fields: MSS0337

Sort by: Relevance

Display: 20



☐ Louis Armstrong

Louis Armstrong

Collection: Image Collections



Subject Terms:

Brown, Jewel ;
Armstrong, Louis, 1901-
1971 ;
African American jazz
musicians ;
Jazz singers ;
Jazz musicians

Date Original:

Description:

Louis Armstrong standing at
a microphone during a
performance.



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TEXAS DIGITAL ARCHIVE

Home > Welcome to the Texas Digital Archive

Search Archive

The Texas Digital Archive (TDA) manages, preserves, and facilitates access to the electronic records collections of the Texas State Library and Archives Commission, including those transferred by State agencies or digitized by the State Archives. All records visible in this portal are unrestricted and available for public use.

Click here for tips on [Locating records in the TDA](#)

Collections



Governor's
Records –
Rick Perry,
2000-2014



Manuscripts
Collections



Prints and
Photographs
Collections



Texas
Legislature



Access Services



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Other



View/Open

- Star of Peru, Himalaya, Bougainville-
At sea. Star of Peru, Himalaya,
Bougainville. Bark Star of Peru at sea.
(1.980Mb)
- Star of Peru: Narrative (24.53Kb)

Date
2008

Author
Dyal, Donald H.

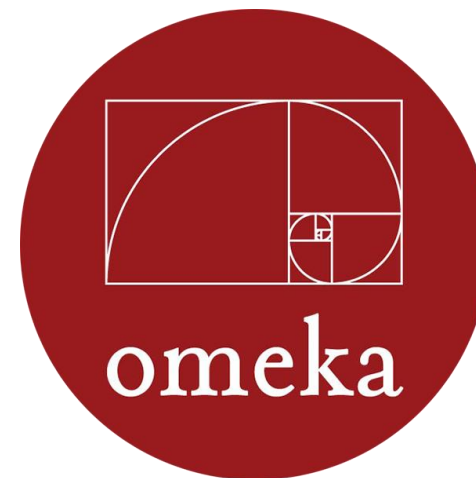
Ship Name: Star of Peru; Sailed: 1863-1926 but still afloat in 1948; Type: Iron 3-masted
later bark; Built by: Sunderland, England by Pile & Hay for J. D. Tyser & Co.;
Dimensions: 201.6' x 33' x 20.5'; Tonnage: 1027 tons.

URI

<http://hdl.handle.net/2346/47417>

Collections

Dyal Ships







LSTA Cooperation Grant funding through:



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Project objectives

1. Develop comprehensive inventory of major digital (archival) collections in Texas.
2. Develop a sustainable model for operations and governance for a statewide DPLA aggregation hub.
3. Implement a demonstration hub that aggregates collections from the Project Partners' digital collections, as well as a select group of other participants.

<https://tdl.org/2016/08/texas-digital-library-awarded-library-cooperation-grant/>

Research

- Digital Collections Survey & Inventory
- Hub Interviews
- Technology Evaluation

Q7 Does your institution currently maintain digital collections?

- ☐ Yes (1)
- ☐ No (2)
- ☐ I don't know/Not sure (3)

Q8 If you don't currently maintain digital collections, do you plan to create digital collections?

- ☐ Yes (1)
- ☐ No (2)
- ☐ I don't know/Not sure (3)

Q9 Select from the list below the types of digital collections your institution maintains (select all that apply).

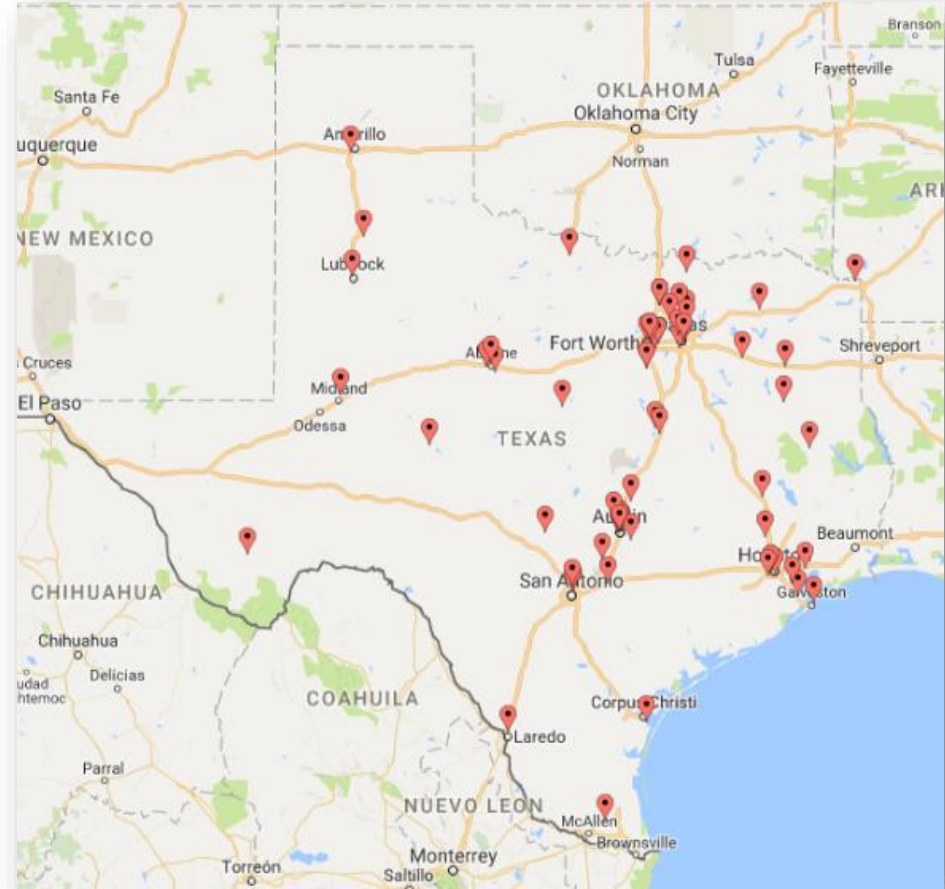
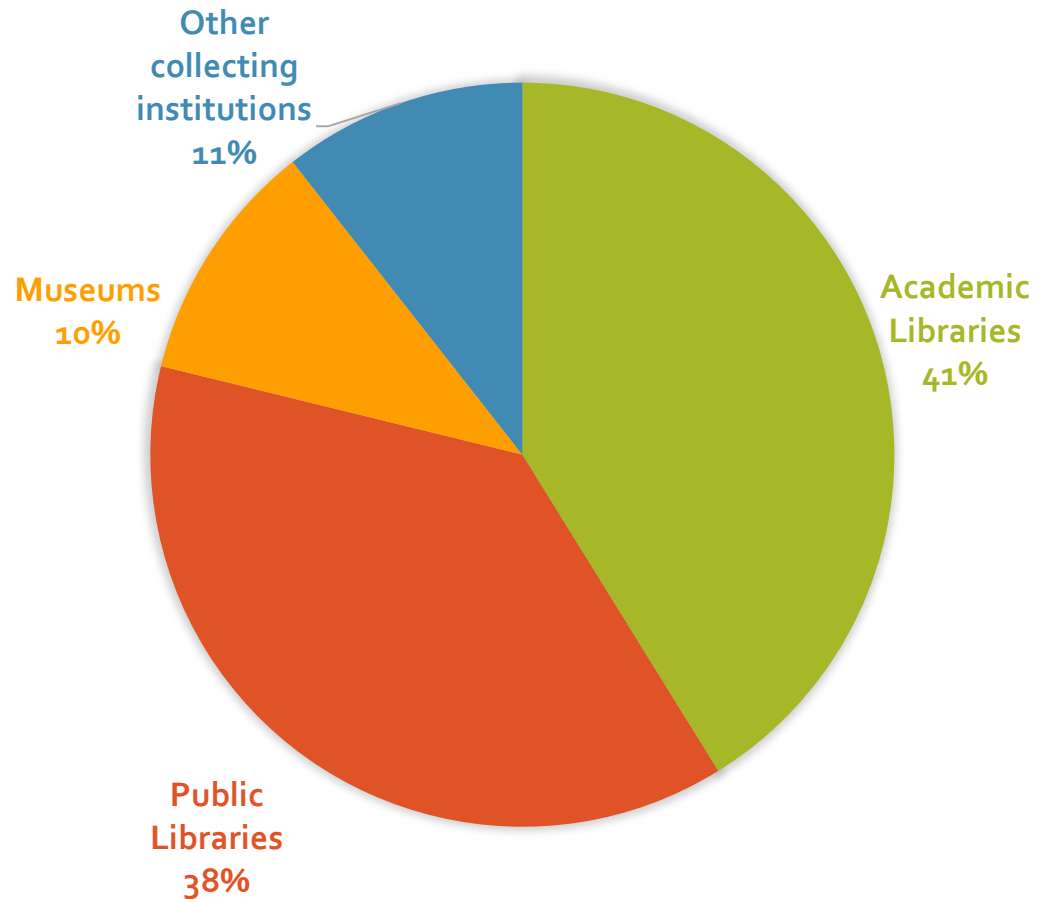
- ☐ Institutional Repository (IR) content/Scholarly research collections (such as electronic theses and dissertations, article pre-prints, research papers, or research data) (1)
- ☐ Newspaper collections (2)
- ☐ Audio/Video Collections (3)
- ☐ Government documents (4)
- ☐ Finding Aids/EADs (5)
- ☐ Other cultural heritage materials (6)
- ☐ Other (please specify) (7) _____

Q10 Tell us a little about the materials in your digital collections.

Q11 Please estimate the number of distinct collections of archival materials (not including Institutional Repository content or finding aids) are available in your institution digitally.

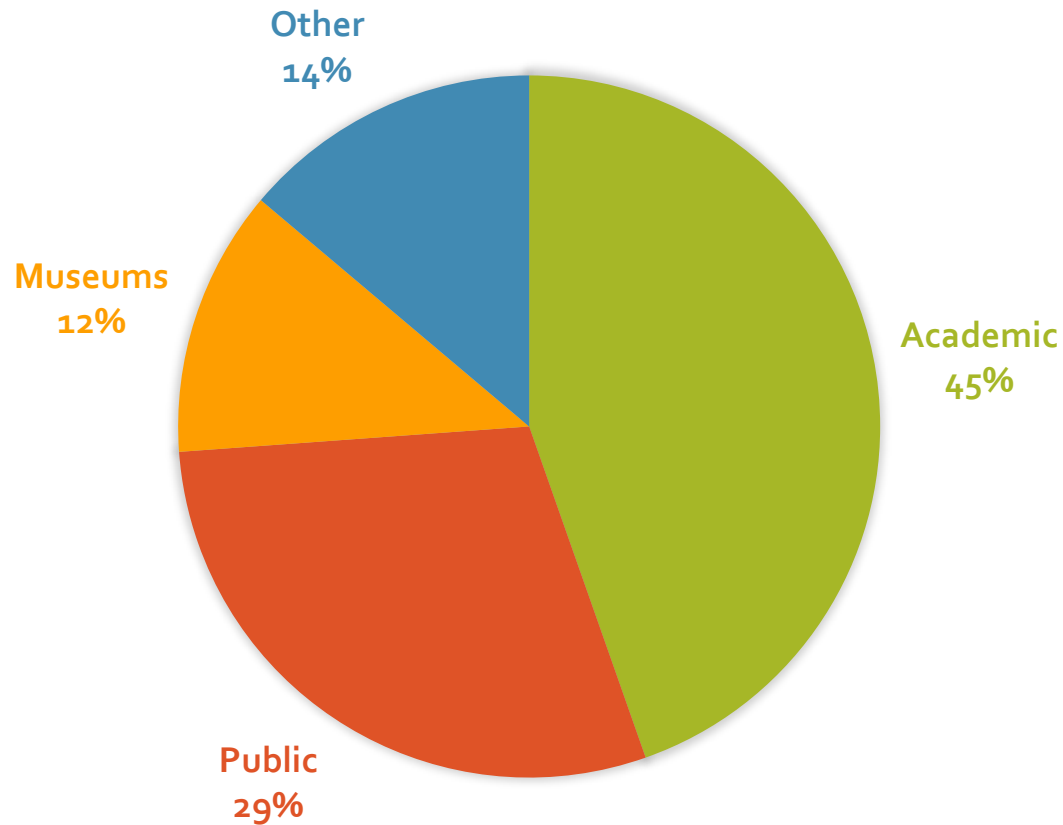
Survey results:

Digital Collections Survey Responses



Survey results:

Institutions with digital collections



Materials include...

- Photos
- Audio-visual materials
- Local & institutional history
- Finding Aids
- Newspapers
- Government documents
- Theses & dissertations
- Rare books and manuscripts
- Yearbooks

Survey results:

Platforms & Metadata

- DSpace and CONTENTdm dominate
 - Others: Omeka, Islandora, Glifos, homegrown repositories, Polaris Fusion, database apps, etc.
- Majority use DC or Qualified DC (69%)
- Inconsistency in use of rights statements (academic libs more likely to include rights statements)

Survey results:

Portal to Texas History

- A majority (58%) had materials in the Portal to Texas History.
- But only 8 (14%) had everything in the Portal.
- 78% have digital materials that aren't discoverable in DPLA

Technology Development

- Chose open source Supplejack for aggregator
 - Digital NZ
- Working with 7 institutions to test the aggregator and find the pitfalls
- To come: develop search/browse front end for aggregated Texas collections



TEXAS ARCHIVE
OF THE MOVING IMAGE



Long-term sustainability

- 1 FTE for training, outreach, and metadata coordination
- On-going software development support
- DPLA Hub Membership fee (coming soon)
- Governing body representing all hub constituents (publics, academics, museums & archives, etc.)

Looking ahead

- Seeking additional grant funding for FY2017-18 to continue development and roll-out of aggregation service
- Work in phases, with collections meeting strict criteria included in phase 1
 - OAI endpoint
 - Inclusion of DPLA-required metadata elements, including rights statements (<https://dp.la/info/wp-content/uploads/2015/03/MAPv4.pdf>)
 - Ability to provide metadata mapping to DPLA standard
 - Agreement to consider aggregated metadata as public domain



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Texas DPLA Hub Governing Body/Bodies (HPL and others...)

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SERVICE**



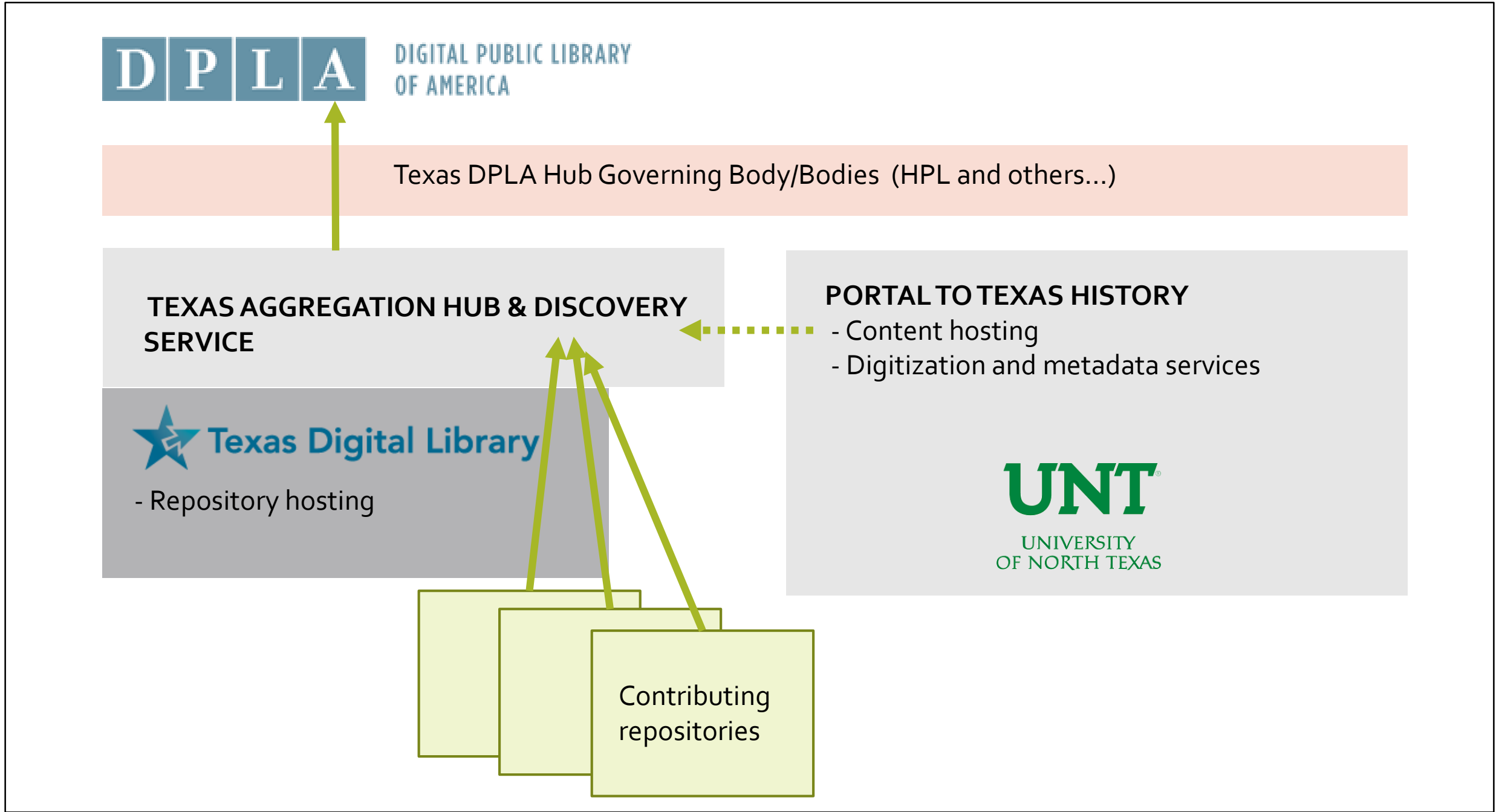
- Repository hosting

PORTAL TO TEXAS HISTORY

- Content hosting
- Digitization and metadata services



Contributing
repositories



How can you participate?

- Sign up to receive updates on our work.
- Tell us about your digital collections. (info@tdl.org)
- Get involved with DPLA.
 - Community reps: <https://dp.la/info/get-involved/rep/>
 - Build something with the API: <https://dp.la/info/developers/>
 - Use DPLA resources: <https://dp.la/primary-source-sets>
- Contact me (kristi.park@austin.utexas.edu) with questions. Or email info@tdl.org.