Proof of concept application for the Austin Music Documentation Initiative

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Presentation Outline

- Background
- Process
- Challenges
- Takeaways
- Future of the Project
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Project Objectives

1. Create an online portal to:
   - Support AMDI grant applications
   - Encourage institutional buy-in

2. Draft an annotated metadata schema

3. Provide project documentation and recommendations
Plan

- Create a schema
- Choose a platform
- Design theme
- Document EVERYTHING
Metadata

![Venn Diagram with overlapping circles labeled Users, Items, and Existing Standards]
Metadata

Extended Dublin Core
Omeka Platform

- Developed by the Roy Rosenzweig Center for History and New Media
- Free and open source
- Standards based
- Useful plugins
Omeka’s Data Model

PAMH’s Data Model
Add an Item

Dublin Core
Item Type Metadata Files Tags

Dublin Core

The Dublin Core metadata element set is common to all OAI-PMH records, including items, files, and collections. For more information see http://dublincore.org/documents/elements/.

Title
A name given to the resource
REQUIRED

Enter the title as it appears on the resource, or use the title provided by the contributing institution. If there is no title, construct a descriptive title. Use the Alternative Title element to list multiple titles.

example: The Austin chronicle music anthology

example: The Austin chronicle music anthology / edited by Austin Powell and Doug Freeman ; with foreword by Daniel Johnston and introduction by Louis Black.

Alternative Title
An alternative name for the resource. The distinction between titles and alternative titles is application-specific.

Add Item

Collection
Select Below

Public: Featured:
Challenges
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- Workflow
- Balancing different (potential) stakeholders
- Adapting to the platform
Takeaways
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- What we learned
- What we recommend
Future Plans
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- NEH HCRR grant
- Transfer PAMH to UT Libraries
Thank you for listening!

Check out PAMH: https://nova.ischool.utexas.edu/amdi

Check out AMDI: http://www.austinmdi.org

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