



AAHGS Metro Atlanta Chapter

Selected Metro Atlanta Research Facilities and Websites

National Archives at Atlanta

5780 Jonesboro Road

Morrow, GA 30260

Usage: Free admission, open to public

Phone: (770) 968-2100

Hours: Monday - Friday, and the third Saturday of the month, 8:30 AM - 5:00 PM

<http://www.archives.gov/atlanta/>

Georgia Archives

5800 Jonesboro Road

Morrow, GA 30260

Usage: Free admission, open to public

Phone: (678) 364-3710

Hours: Tuesday - Saturday, 8:30 AM - 5:00 PM

<http://www.georgiaarchives.org/>

Georgia's Virtual Vault

(In "the cloud")

<http://cdm.georgiaarchives.org:2011/cdm/>

Digital Library of Georgia

(In "the cloud")

<http://dlg.galileo.usg.edu/Institutions/gaarchives.html?Welcome>

Atlanta-Fulton Public Library System – Special Records Collection

Special Collections – 5th Floor

Atlanta-Fulton Public Library System

One Margaret Mitchell Square

Atlanta, GA 30303

Usage: Free admission, but no borrowing privileges in Special Collections. No appointment needed.

Hours: 10 AM-8 PM, Monday-Thursday; 10 AM-6 PM, Friday-Saturday; 2 PM-6 PM, Sunday

(Genealogy Collection, Georgia History Collection, including Atlanta plus the Southeast. Genealogy Pathfinder Guides for Beginners, African-American, Native American, and Missing Persons resources)

Special Collections Phone: (404) 730-1896

www.afpls.org

Auburn Avenue Research Library on African American Culture and History

(Closed for expansion and renovation, July 19, 2014 until the fourth quarter of 2015)

101 Auburn Avenue, NE

Atlanta, GA 30303-2503

Phone: (404) 730-4001

<http://www.afpls.org/aarl>

(Services during the interim are available at the address below)

Atlanta-Fulton County Central Library

One Margaret Mitchell Square

Atlanta, GA 30303 (corner of Carnegie Way and Forsyth Street)

Usage: Free admission, open to public

Phone: (404) 730-1700

Hours: Open seven days a week. See website for specifics.

<http://www.afplweb.com/central-hq>

Atlanta History Center's James G. Kenan Research Center

130 West Paces Ferry Road, NW

Atlanta, GA 30305

Usage: Access to the Kenan Center is free. The actual History Center has an admission fee.

Phone: (404) 814-4000

Kenan Research Center Hours: *Wednesday - Saturday, 10:00 AM - 5:00 PM*

History Center Hours: *Monday - Saturday, 10:00 AM - 5:30 PM; Sunday, 12:00 PM - 5:30 PM; Grounds close at 5:15 PM*

<http://www.atlantahistorycenter.com/>

Atlanta University Center Library Archives

Robert W. Woodruff Library of the Atlanta University Center, Inc.

111 James P. Brawley Drive, SW

Atlanta, GA 30314

Usage: Must sign a Research Agreement form each fiscal year (July 1 - July 30); Call or email archives@auctr.edu for an appointment at least 24 business hours in advance.

Archives Phone: (404) 978-2052

Hours: *Open seven days a week. See website for times.*

<http://www.auctr.edu/archives/>

Emory University's Manuscript, Archives, and Rare Book Library (MARBL)

(Undergoing renovation June 2014 through Fall 2015, but remains accessible to researchers)

MARBL @ Woodruff Library (Level 7)

540 Asbury Circle

Atlanta, GA 30322

Usage: Reading Room, material requests by appointment only, 24 hours in advance. Submit online form.

Phone: (404) 727-6887

Hours: *Open Monday - Friday, 8:30 AM - 4:30 PM; Saturday, appointment only; Sunday, closed. See website for any changes.*

<http://marbl.library.emory.edu/>

University of Georgia Special Collections Libraries

Richard B. Russell Building Special Collections Libraries

300 S. Hull Street

Athens, GA 30602

Usage: Create online "Special Collections Research Account" to request material, order copies of materials in the collections, or research in person. Appointments not required to visit.

Phone: (706) 542-7123 (See website for direct lines to the three libraries: Hargrett, Russell, Brown.)

Hours: **HARGRETT:** Monday - Friday, 8:00 AM - 5:00 PM; Saturday, 1:00 PM - 5:00 PM. **RUSSELL:**

Monday - Friday, 8:00 AM - 5:00 PM. **BROWN:** By appointment only.

<http://www.libs.uga.edu/scl/>

Digital Library of Georgia

(In "the cloud")

<http://dlg.galileo.usg.edu/Institutions/gaarchives.html?Welcome>

Georgia State University Library Special Collections and Archives

University Library South Building, 8th floor

Georgia State University

103 Decatur Street, SE

Atlanta, GA 30303

Usage: General public welcome, but no borrowing privileges. Free admission. See website for details.

Research Support: (404) 413-2800 archives@gsu.edu

Reading Room Hours: Monday - Friday, 9:00 AM - 6:00 PM; Saturday: By appointment only (appointments for Saturday reference service must be made by 4:00 PM Thursday); Other times by appointment

<http://library.gsu.edu/search-collections/special-collections-archives/>

The Dekalb History Center Archives and Museum

Old Courthouse on the Square (next to the MARTA Decatur Station)

101 East Court Square

Decatur, GA 30030

Usage: Appointments encouraged. Permission required for publication; fee charged

Phone: (404) 373-1088, ext.23, carmolingo@dekalbhistory.org (Archivist Nicole Carmolingo)

Archives Hours: *Tuesday - Thursday, 10:00 AM - Noon, and 1 PM - 4 PM*

<http://www.dekalbhistory.org/index.htm>

<http://publish.ancestry.com/Group/100907/Profile>

The King Center Archive

(Search online or in person. To obtain proper use of materials, contact Intellectual Properties Management (IPM), the exclusive licensor of the Estate of Martin Luther King, Jr., Inc. See website.)

449 Auburn Avenue, NE

Atlanta, GA 30312

Usage: Facility usage by appointment only

Archive Phones: (404) 526-8983 or (404) 526-8986 Cynthia P. Lewis, Director

Archive Email: archives@thekingcenter.org or clewis@thekingcenter.org

Licensing Phone: (404) 526-8968

Facility Hours: *Monday - Friday, 9:30 AM to 4:30 PM*

<http://www.thekingcenter.org/archive>

Macon-Bibb County Public Library Genealogical and Historical Room/Middle Georgia Archives

(Has extensive materials on Georgia and other states)

Washington Memorial Library

Genealogical & Historical Room

1180 Washington Avenue

Macon, GA 31201-1790

Usage: Free admission. Genealogy queries not available by phone; snail-mail request with SASE, or email mgrlgh@biblib.org

Genealogy & History Room Phone: (478)744-0821

Archives Phone: (478) 744-0851

Genealogy & History Room Hours: *Monday: 9:00 AM - 9:00 PM; Tuesday - Saturday: 9:00 AM - 6:00 PM;*

Archives Hours: *Monday - Friday, 9:00 AM - 6:00PM; Saturday – by appointment only*

<http://www.co.bibb.ga.us/library/GH.htm>

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