



MLA CHAPTER COUNCIL SHARING ROUNDTABLE

ORAL HISTORY

The following resources may be helpful if you are interested in learning more about MLA's Oral History Project or starting your own oral history program.

MLA'S ORAL HISTORY PROJECT WEB PAGE

http://www.mlanet.org/about/history/oral_history.html

- A list of all MLA Oral History Interviews
http://www.mlanet.org/about/history/oral_history.html#4
- *MLA Oral History Manual* 6th revised edition
www.mlanet.org/pdf/oralhist_manual05.pdf
- "Frequently Asked Questions" about starting an oral history program
http://www.mlanet.org/pdf/history_chapter_faq.pdf

LISTSERVS

- H-Oralhist - an oral history discussion list
<http://www.h-net.org/~oralhist/>

ASSOCIATIONS and SOCIETIES

- Oral History Association (US)
<http://alpha.dickinson.edu/oha/>
- Oral History Section of the Society of American Archivists
<http://www.archivists.org/saagroups/oralhist/index.asp>
- Oral History Society (UK)
<http://www.oralhistory.org.uk>
- Canadian Oral History Association
<http://www.canoha.ca>
- International Oral History Association
<http://www.ioha.fgv.br>

OTHER LINKS

- Making Sense of Oral History
<http://historymatters.gmu.edu/mse/oral/>
- Baylor University Institute for Oral History
<http://www.baylor.edu/oral%5Fhistory>
- Veterans Oral History Project
<http://www.loc.gov/vets/bib-oral.html>
- Southern Oral History Program
<http://www.sohp.org/>

BOOKS

- *The Oral History Manual* by B. W. Sommer and M.K. Quinlan. American Association for State and Local History book series. Walnut Creek, CA: AltaMira Press, 2002.
- *Recording Oral History: A Guide for the Humanities and Social Sciences* by V.R. Yow. Walnut Creek, CA: AltaMira Press, 2005.
- *Doing Oral History: A Practical Guide* by D.A. Ritchie. New York: Oxford University Press, 2003.
- *Oral History Interview Guidelines* from the United States Holocaust Memorial Museum. Washington, DC: The Museum, 1998.
Available online at <http://www.ushmm.org/archives/oralhist.pdf>