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## News - University of North Georgia

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University of North Georgia (UNG) Special Collections and Archives is now the home to the Bella Lynn Collection. Isabella Lynn moved to Dahlonega in the late 1970s after retiring from the United States Air Force. During her years in Dahlonega, she worked alongside Madeleine Anthony, researching the buildings in downtown Dahlonega. Bella's research was instrumental in Dahlonega's listing with the National Register of Historic Places. Her collection showcases her research for the National Register. The collection includes handwritten index cards detailing the history of the lots surrounding Dahlonega's public square, files on the buildings around the square used for writing walking tours of downtown, and materials related to the preservation of buildings, such as the Holly Theater. The collection is approximately six linear feet of materials and is slated to open for research this summer.

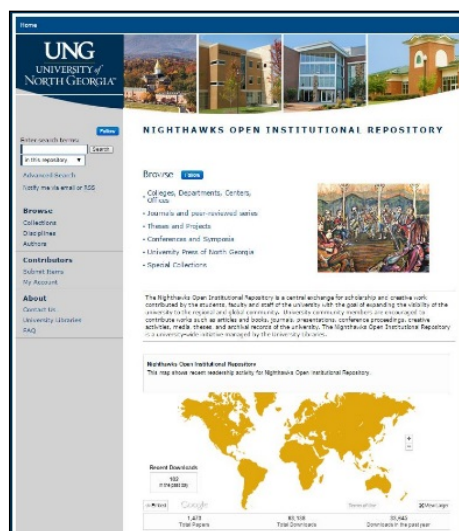
UNG Special Collections and Archives include university archives, rare and special books, and manuscript collections related to Northeast Georgia, Appalachia, the military, Asian and Latin American studies, local manufacturing, and the poultry industry. The collections are located in the libraries on the Dahlonega and Gainesville campuses. Collections are available for research Monday through Thursday by appointment only. Collections include the J.C. Barnes collection, the Oconee Historical Society Collection, the



Alumni collection, and student publications from Gainesville State College and North Georgia College and State University.

In addition to a growing Special Collections and Archives, the University of North Georgia's Nighthawks Open Institutional Repository (NOIR) is now a part of the Georgia Knowledge

Repository (GKR). The Nighthawks Open Institutional Repository is a central exchange for scholarship and creative work contributed by the students, faculty, and staff of the university. Included in NOIR are journals, special collections materials, electronic theses and dissertations, as well as articles published by faculty, staff, and students at UNG. The Georgia Knowledge Repository is a GALILEO initiative that features the



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