SPECIAL COLLECTIONS & UNIVERSITY ARCHIVES

10am to 4pm M-F
Love Library Room 150
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Discover rare, beautiful, unique, and valuable books, periodicals, manuscripts, and documents. Research using photographs, prints, postcards, memorabilia, scrapbooks, and oral histories.

University Archives holds materials which document the history of San Diego State since its founding as a Normal School in 1897.
Print Collections

Special Collections holds over 80,000 printed volumes.
Some of our collecting strengths include:

Alternative Religious Movements

Edward Gorey Personal Library
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Henry James Collection

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Natural History
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Speculative Fiction

Surfing Collection
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San Diego History
Manuscript and Archival Collections
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Performing Arts

Women’s Studies
Religious Studies
Graphic and Ephemera Collections
Artwork, prints, broadsides, drawings, postcards, comics, zines, sheet music, bookplates, and magic lantern slides.

Comic Arts Collection

Zines & Mini-Comics
Graphic and Ephemera Collections
Artwork, prints, broadsides, drawings, postcards, comics, zines, sheet music, bookplates, and magic lantern slides.

Peabody Magic Lantern Collection

Adams Ephemera Collections
Digital Collections
Several collections from our holdings have been digitized.

Adams Trade Card Collection

Fernandez Poster Collection
Digital Collections
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San Diego Photograph Collection

Meades Sheet Music Collection
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Old Globe Photograph Collection

WW2 Correspondence Collection
University Archives
University Archives document the history of San Diego State University

University Archives Photograph Collection

San Diego State Historical Collection
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University Archives Biographical Files

University Archives Topical Files
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Associated Students Records

University Senate Records