



## Archives & Special Collections

### Fast Facts as of December 31, 2023



#### Collections

- Special collections/rare books: 27,000 volumes
- Archives: 523 collections, or approximately 8,400 linear ft.
  - Agriculture: 115
  - Water: 136
  - Manuscript: 50
  - University Archives: 223



#### Staff

- Faculty: 3
- Professional staff: 3
- Students: 5



#### Patrons

- 647, on and off-site
- 241 uses of archives and manuscript materials, and 1088 uses of special collections



#### Instruction

- 16 classes to 196 attendees in 13 courses, including Book Arts; research methods in History, English, and Music; practice of Public History; Native North American Art: Photography and Image Making; Political Science; and Creative Writing.



#### Events & Outreach

- 16 tours with 175 attendees
- Student curated exhibit, Multifaced Mirrors: Selections from the Book Arts and the Friedman Feminist Press
- Community preservation consultations
- Research grants for the Friedman Feminist Press and Water Collections
- Ram Stories Covid-19 Student Oral History Project captured 65 stories about the pandemic's impact on student life