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Demographics:
Mid-career, tenured
Ph.D in forestry, additional advanced degree in historical geography

Quote
“I need to find everything out there on my subject,” and “I think I know how to find what I want”

Technology Comfort
Adept at online searching,
High experience with primary source material.
Moderate use of digital and online resources.

Needs
Better metadata/search system
Digital tools for research and retrieval
Clear rights status
Open source tools
Improved access to digital content now and in future
Find content across subject areas; content that only supports humanities research will be insufficient

Constraints
Time: Low
Money: Medium
Expertise: High in subject area, little expertise with emerging systems.

Scenarios
❖ Searching for any items related to a specific place or topic
❖ Interests cross disciplines and repository types
❖ Used to consulting with archivists; strong notion of archival expertise
❖ Searching for extensive collections likely to contain significant material of interest
❖ Searching for specific types of primary material (e.g. maps and graphical materials)
❖ Needs to find historical data sets