

# Digital Crowdsourcing Instructions

Help us improve access to our shared history by enhancing descriptions of digital collections at the Georgia Historical Society (GHS). Your contributions can improve research, discovery, and access to digital materials at GHS.



## Crowdsourcing

Through digital crowdsourcing, volunteers can contribute to descriptions of digitized images by identifying people, places, events, and other subjects in photographs. Enhanced descriptions make items more searchable, which improves accessibility. Volunteering in digital crowdsourcing projects at GHS is also a great opportunity to learn about Georgia history through primary sources.

Step One

#### Select a Collection

Tag, you're it! Anyone can help enhance the description of a digital collection at GHS by identifying the subjects of an image, including people, places, events, and dates. These suggested keywords, or tags, are searchable and will help others find and understand the images. So select a collection that interests you, and start tagging!

Title	Academy of Black Culture, Inc. records
Collection Number	GHS 1425
Record Type	collection
Record Level	Collection
Dates	1968-1971, undated
Repository	Georgia Historical Society
Creator	Academy of Black Culture, Inc.
Organizational History	The Academy of Black Culture, Inc., an 'incorporated non-profit neighborhood organization' grew in conjunction with the Savannah Model Cities Cultural Center. The Model Cities Program was one part of President Johnson's Great Society and War on Poverty campaign, initiated on November 3, 1966 under the Demonstration Cities and Metropolitan Act. Nationally, Model Cities ended in



## Suggest Changes

To suggest a change, enter your name and email below (telephone number is optional). Then, write your suggestion(s) in the space below.

Telephone
where applicable.

### **Useful Tips**

Add factual information that you believe will help improve the description of the image and support searching and discovery of the digital collection.

Here are some ways you may want to enhance descriptions:

- It's useful to suggest words that are not already included in the title since that information will already be searchable in the catalog.
- Keep suggestions brief but use whole words instead of abbreviations. This will make it easier for the archival and reference teams to review and reuse your suggestions.
- · Identify people, places, or events in photographs. For example, you may want to provide GHS with the name of a social movement shown in a photograph.
- If an important word like a name is spelled incorrectly, you can make a suggestion with the correct spelling.

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