Name of the Tool

McGill Yearbook

Home Page



Logo
McGill

URL
http://yearbooks.mcgill.ca/

Subject
Higher education - United States - Yearbooks

Accessibility
Free

Language
English

Publisher
McGill Library

Brief History

To commemorate the 190th anniversary of McGill University, the Mc Gill library has digitized its yearbooks. Collection is ranged from the year 1898 through to 2000.

Scope and Coverage

Both the historian and researcher will find the volumes worthy of their cause. The yearbook provides a unique view of student life, learning and research. Free and easy browsing of each pages of the yearbooks, exploring of old McGill memories and stories told in many formats to give a personal feel. Starting from the year 1898 the yearbook has full page by page access up to year 2000. The pages are filled with pictures and profiles of professors, students with each one's specialities, academic awards, various happenings of the university etc. The volumes are divided into sections like, Departments, Graduates, Clubs and Organizations, President's Message, Atheletics, Advertisements etc.

People associated to the University can be found by entering their name at the People search facility. One can extend their support to the library through link provided with the yearbook main page.

Kind of Information

Under the section "Graduates" entries of students graduated from the university are arranged alphabetically with their surname. Each entry shows picture of the students graduated, with sections like Name, Hometown, Major, Life at MAC, Ambition, Memorable moment etc.

In the section "Department" group photo with the name of department is available.

Quotations, fun activities with captions, drawings, letters, poetry, song etc. are also included.

Special Features

- Link to McGill Library from Homepage.
- People search facility by name.
- Link to engage users in support services.
- > Images are available in jpeg format.

Arrangement Pattern

At the first page of the yearbook, a chronological list of entries of spans of years is found. Each entry opens up to a page having nine years of yearbooks.

A simple chronological arrangement, where direct full access to the yearbooks are provided. Following are the arrangement pattern of the yearbook:

1898 - 1900

1901 - 1910

1911 – 1920 and so on.

By clicking on any of the span of years, a new page will open up. There, each year within that span is shown with their yearbook. That yearbook can be accessed freely. Following is the depiction of the arrangement:

1911Yearbook, 1912 Yearbook, 1913 Yearbook, 1914 Yearbook and so on.

A people search facility on the first page of the yearbook site is there. People connected to the university can be found through this name searching option.

Remarks

A rich resource for family researchers and historians alike, this slice of McGill's history provides a unique view of student life, learning and research. Its simplicity is also a special bonus.

Comparable Tools

- North Carolina Yearbooks (https://www.digitalnc.org/collections/yearbooks/)
- Creighton University Yearbooks (<u>http://www.creighton.edu/archives/onlineresources/yearbooks/</u>)

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