

# Digital Commons @ Otterbein

Sharing and Preserving Scholarship and Creative Work

There currently are 631 items in the Digital Commons @ Otterbein, and there have been over 26,000 page views and over 7,000 downloads since it opened. There were 373 downloads in the week of 9/14-9/21/2015, all over the world.

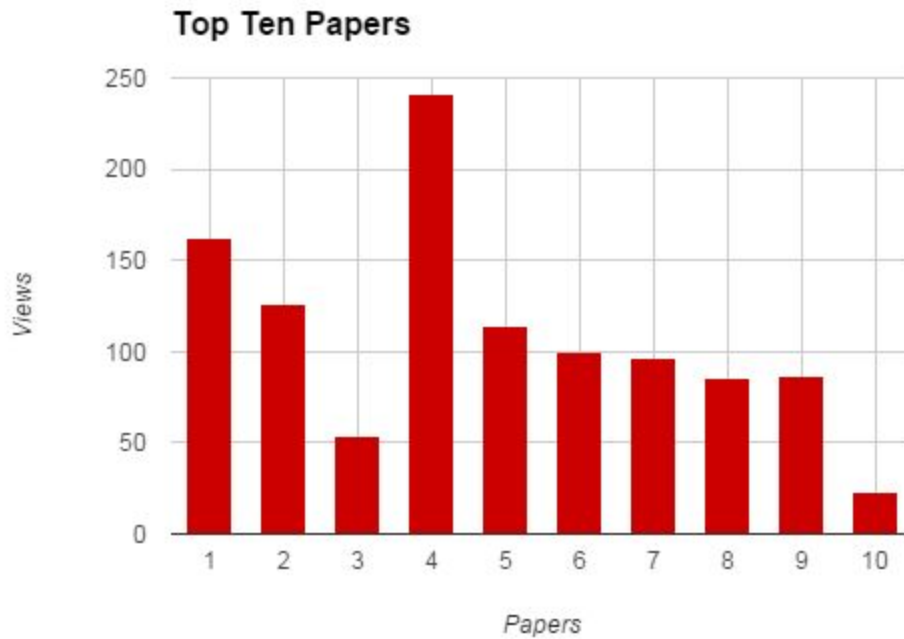


The top ten papers are being viewed at least every other day since they were published.

Title	Uploaded	Views
1. Young Adult Dystopian Literature as Social Change Evolution	4/24/2015	162
2. Current Methods and Future Directions Regarding Working Memory Training Research	4/15/2015	126
3. Value Based Leadership	7/14/2015	54
4. Maximum Likelihood Estimation Methodology Comparison for the Three-Parameter Weibull Distribution with Applications to Offshore Oil Spills in the Gulf of Mexico	11/24/2014	241
5. Improving Patient Satisfaction after Primary Total Knee Arthroplasty Using Nurse Practitioner-Driven Preoperative Education	4/27/2015	114
6. Causes of Turnover and Employee Satisfaction: A Case Study of Otterbein University TeleFUND	4/16/2015	100
7. The Influence of Preferred Music on Vigilance and Mental Workload	4/16/2015	97
8. Hildegard Of Bingen: Visionary Woman Who Encouraged The Role Of Feminism	4/14/2015	86

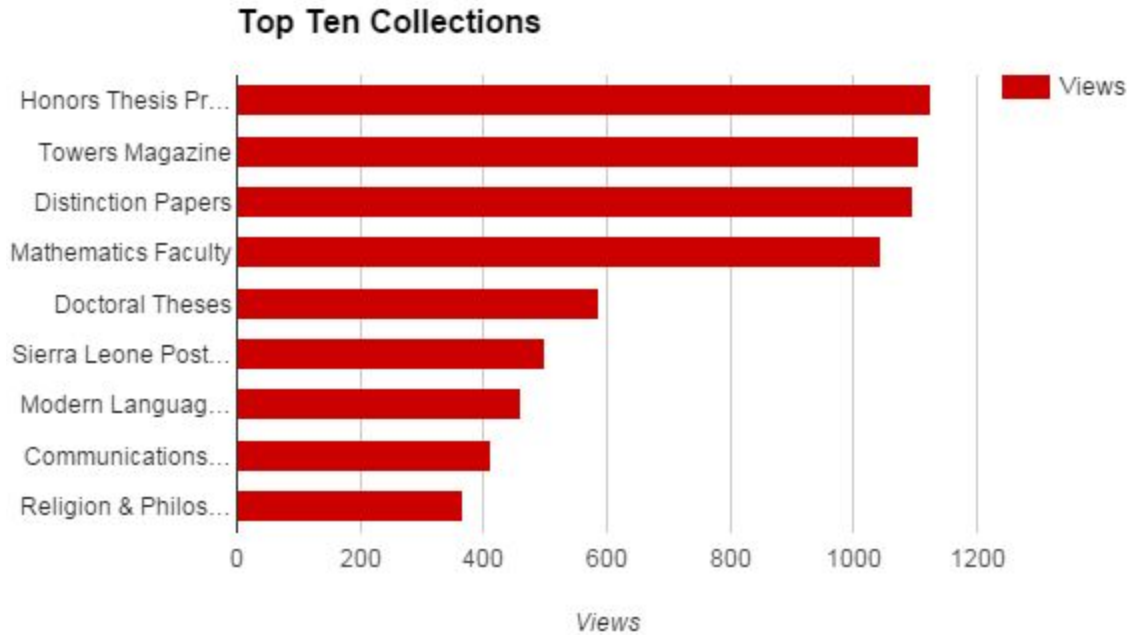
All Statistics Accurate as of 9/20/2015

9. Ayn Rand's Rejection of Environmentalism: Toward Challenging Right-Wing Inaction on Environmental Issues in the United States	4/16/2015	87
10. Function-Based Behavior Intervention to Decrease Off-Task Behavior of a Student with ADHD in the Large Music Classroom	8/4/2015	23



The top ten Collections' items have an average 40 views per item since the Digital Commons began, and 5 views per item in just the last month.

Title	Views	Items
Honors Thesis Projects	1125	27
Towers Magazine	1106	30
Distinction Papers	1096	24
Mathematics Faculty	1044	22
Doctoral Theses	588	14
Sierra Leone Postcards	498	156
Modern Languages & Cultures Faculty	459	20
Communications Faculty	413	10
Religion & Philosophy Faculty	367	12

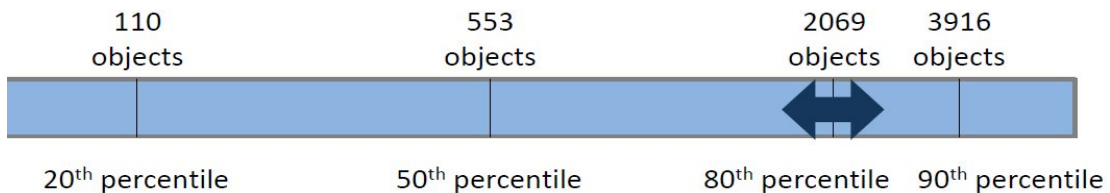


The Digital Commons @ Otterbein was in the 80th percentile for growth, breadth, and demand when compared to other institutions using bepress's Digital Commons in 2014.

**80<sup>th</sup> percentile = 2,069  
objects added**

Growth Factor:

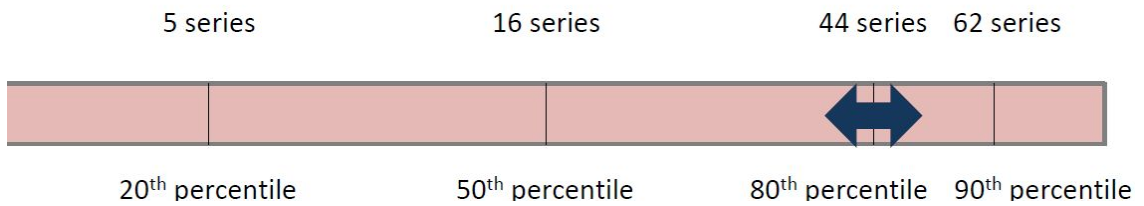
Number of full-text objects added in 2014



# 80<sup>th</sup> percentile = 44 groups on campus

Breadth Factor:

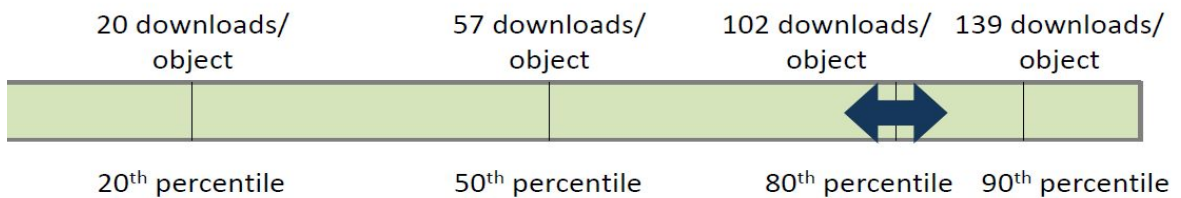
Number of series with new content added in 2014



# 80<sup>th</sup> percentile = 102 downloads/object

Demand Factor:

Number of downloads in 2014/total number of objects in 2014





**Your department** can have worldwide reach, just by submitting your past, present, and future work. Show colleagues, future students, review committees, and even grant funders what you are doing.

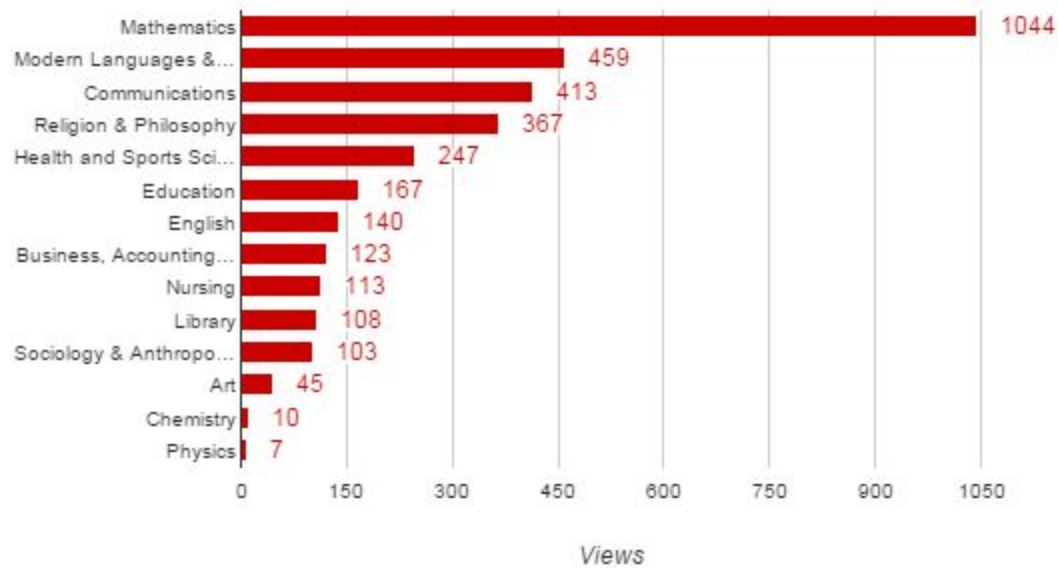
Current academic department Faculty Scholarship statistics:

Title	Views	Items	Views Per Item
Mathematics	1044	22	47.5
Modern Languages & Cultures	459	20	23.0
Communications	413	10	41.3
Religion & Philosophy	367	12	30.6
Health and Sports Sciences	247	10	24.7
Education	167	3	55.7
English	140	7	20.0
Business, Accounting and Economics	123	2	61.5
Nursing	113	4	28.3
Library	108	7	15.4
Sociology & Anthropology	103	2	51.5
Art	45	1	45.0
Chemistry	10	1	10.0
Physics	7	1	7.0

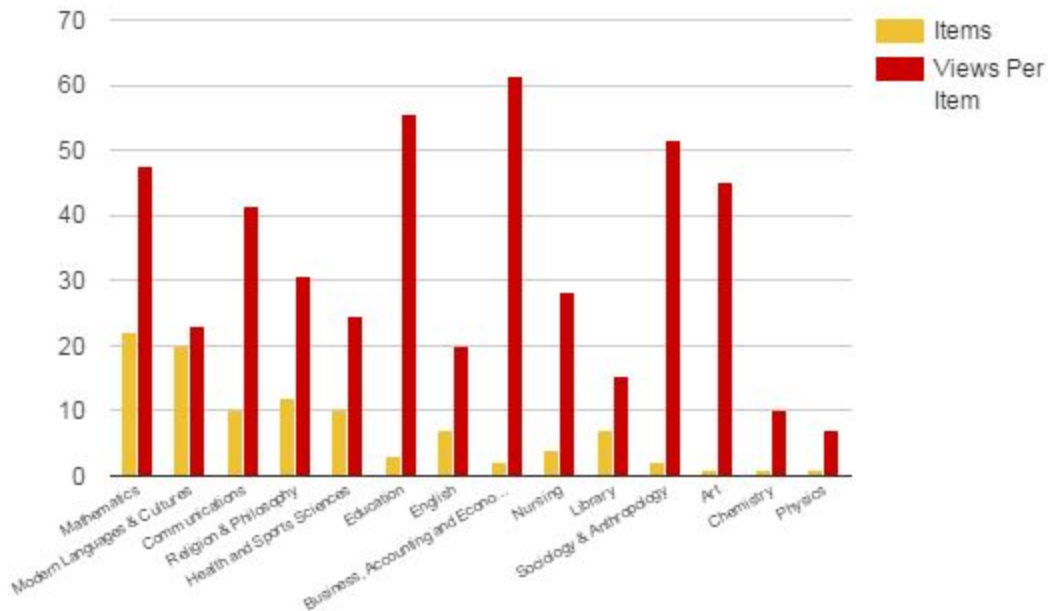
**Departments with No Faculty Scholarship Deposited**

Biology
History
Music
Psychology
Theatre and Dance

## Departmental Views



## Faculty Scholarship - Items and Views per Item

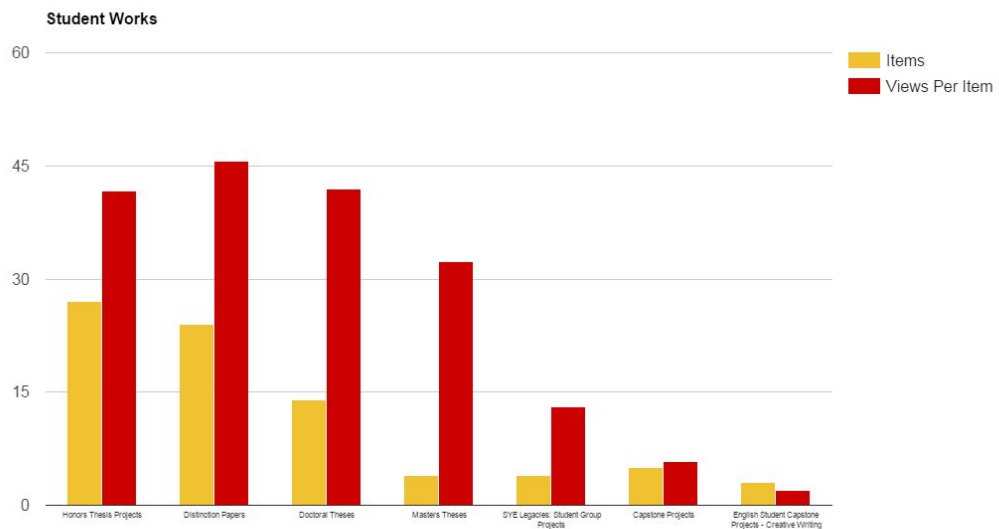


Just think how much bigger those numbers would be with more articles, papers, projects, data sets, course materials, journals, reports, and newsletters from every department. And there is a lot more to find and share than Faculty Scholarship.

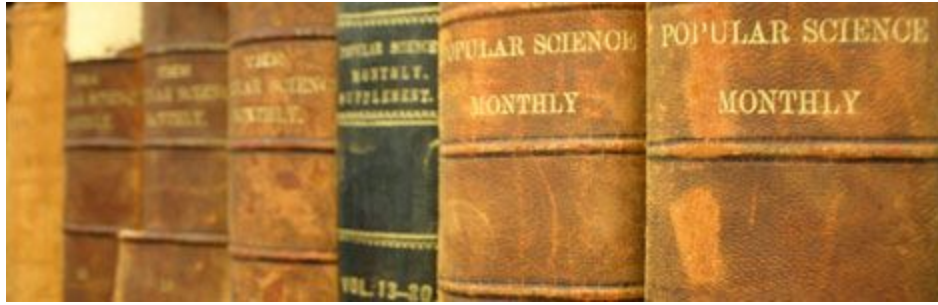


**Student works** can also be deposited. From project and papers, to cooperative projects with faculty and staff. Show potential students the variety of opportunities available to them at Otterbein University.

<i>Student Work</i>	Views	Items	Views Per Item
Honors Thesis Projects	1125	27	41.7
Distinction Papers	1096	24	45.7
Doctoral Theses	588	14	42.0
Masters Theses	129	4	32.3
SYE Legacies: Student Group Projects	52	4	13.0
Capstone Projects	29	5	5.8
English Student Capstone Projects - Creative Writing	6	3	2.0

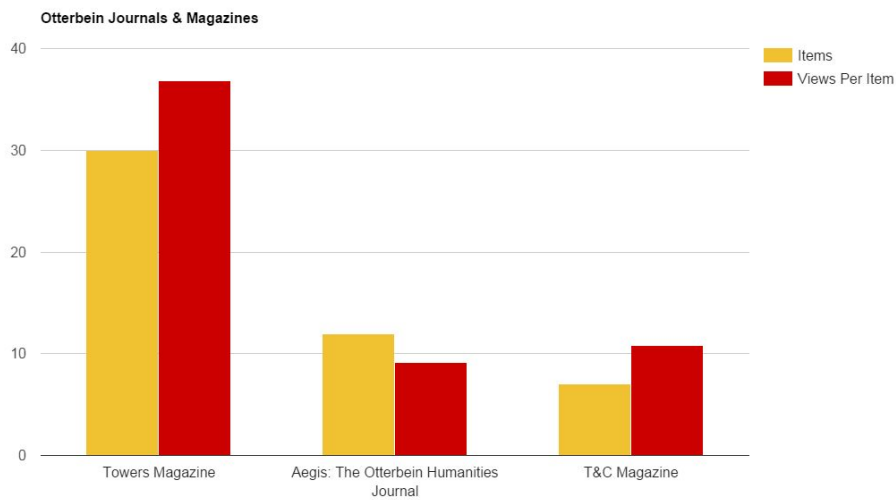






**Journals and Magazines** can also a place to publish online through the Digital Commons. There are currently three in the DC @ Otterbein, but it is not limited to just the Humanities. Any department, group, or organization can work with the Digital Commons to publish a journal for the world to see.

<i><b>Otterbein Journals &amp; Magazines</b></i>	Views	Items	Views Per Item
Towers Magazine	1106	30	36.9
Aegis: The Otterbein Humanities Journal	110	12	9.2
T&C Magazine	76	7	10.9

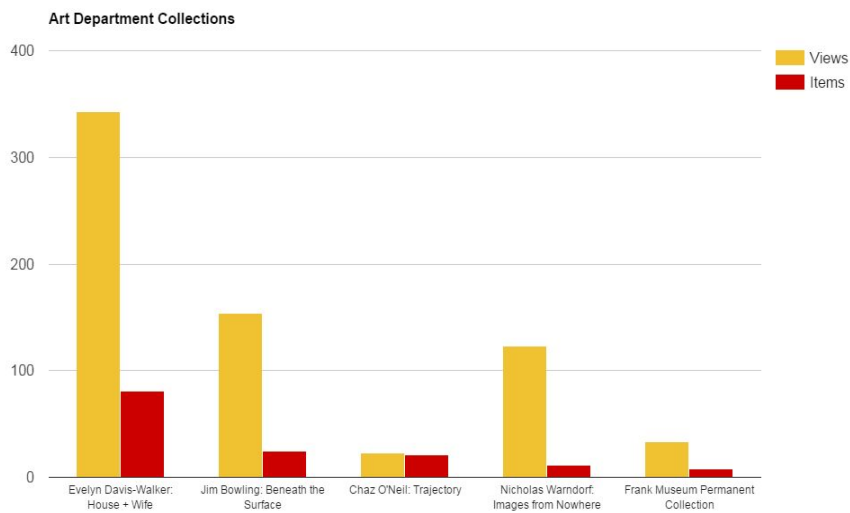






The Art Department has created some very engaging digital collections with the Digital Commons @ Otterbein. They are even working on hosting a Symposium through the DC, so that the whole thing can be preserved for future generations.

<b>Art Collections</b>	Views	Items
Evelyn Davis-Walker: House + Wife	343	81
Jim Bowling: Beneath the Surface	154	25
Chaz O'Neil: Trajectory	23	21
Nicholas Warndorf: Images from Nowhere	123	11
Frank Museum Permanent Collection	33	8

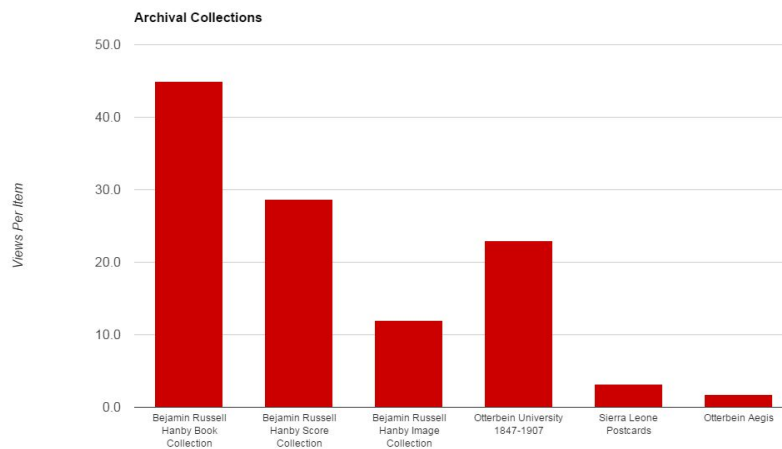




## The Library's Archives and Special Collections

Department and Aegis, are preserving archival collections through the Digital Commons, as well. This gives worldwide access to collections too fragile for public display, sharing our history to a much broader audience.

<i>Archives &amp; Special Collections</i>	Views	Items	Views Per Item
Bejamin Russell Hanby Book Collection	135	3	45.0
Bejamin Russell Hanby Score Collection	86	3	28.7
Bejamin Russell Hanby Image Collection	36	3	12.0
Otterbein University 1847-1907	23	1	23.0
Sierra Leone Postcards	498	156	3.2
Otterbein Aegis	112	65	1.7





The Digital Commons @ Otterbein can preserve and share a wide variety of materials. Lecture series, books, even administrative and student affairs papers can be promoted and deposited in the DC.

<i>Other</i>	Views	Items	Views Per Item
Administrators/Executives/Staff	271	4	67.8
Faculty Books	133	4	33.3
Leadership Hour at Otterbein University	110	9	12.2
FSDC Faculty Lecture Series	64	3	21.3
Student Affairs	16	1	16.0

