



Innovation Project Application

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Name of Project: Research Repository Accessibility Content Enhancement

Project Amount requested: **\$1,500**

Scope of the Project

This project seeks to increase the accessibility and usability of audiovisual scholarly outputs in FSU's institutional repository: [Diginole](#). It will focus on providing textual transcription of audio files that contain spoken language content, captions for video content, and descriptive transcription for video content.

What need in the library/community will this project address?

This project addresses needs for content accessibility enhancement for the users of library services, FSU campus, national and global users of the research repository.

Resources required and budget (NOTE: for items whose unit price exceeds \$500, 3 quotes are required or an indication that the vendor is sole source.):

Center for Inclusive Design & Innovation, Georgia Institute of Technology

Rate for video captioning = \$2 processing/video, \$4.50/minute

Total videos = 33

Total video minutes = 258

Total video cost = \$1,227

Rate for audio transcription = \$2 processing/file, \$2.50/minute

Total audio files = 11

Total audio minutes = 72

Total audio cost = \$202

TOTAL COST = \$1,429

Activities/Timeline (include estimated completion date):

- Completed - Collection content audit
- Nov 30 - Notification of grant
- Dec 2019 - Aggregate and send/transmit all files for captioning/transcription
- Jan 2020 - Receive transcription files
- Feb - April 2020 - QC and prep for ingest
- April - Aug 2020 - Ingest (completion)
- Aug 2020 - Submit report

How will the library sustain this project?

The transcription files created through the above vendors/services will be uploaded to Diginole as

side-car files attached the original audiovisual collection items. The new files will be indexed with metadata that will ensure their discoverability and connection to the original media.

We are hoping this will spark critical dialogues with various academic units and departments on FSU's campus that will inspire more integrated and consistent accessibility standards for their scholarly output. We plan to encourage proactive implementation of accessibility best practices, rather than retrofitting existing scholarship formats.

Library Director's signature: *Jan S. Etzschmaier* Date: *10/19/19*
Date:

Signature of agent, office, or board to whom the Director reports

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