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The Chinese Rubbings Collection includes 1,945 rubbings made from ancient stone stele, tomb tablets, and Buddhist and Daoist scriptures on steleae and rocks in the late 19th and early 20th centuries.

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Harvard’s 3,500 daguerreotypes are gathered in this online collection. Images include some of the earliest photographs of the moon, views of the first use of ether, rare portraits of African-born slaves, and Harvard’s earliest photographic class albums.

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First and early editions and manuscripts of works by J. S. Bach (and family), Mozart, Schubert, and others; multiple versions of 19th-century operas; seminal modernist works; and music of the Second Viennese School.

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Expeditions and Discoveries
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The collection includes maps, photographs, and published materials, as well as field notes, letters, and a unique range of manuscript materials on selected expeditions between 1626 and 1953.

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The Jacques Burkhart Collection delivers 976 scientific drawings (including 518 watercolor and/or pencil drawings) of fishes and miscellaneous vertebrates and invertebrates. Also includes field notes, correspondence, diaries, photographs, and specimen records from Louis Agassiz’s 15-month Brazil expedition in 1865–66.

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Over 1,000 maps and atlases, many georeferenced for use in GIS. Includes maps of New England towns; London; China; pictorial maps by Ernest Dudley Chase; fire-insurance and real-property atlases; and maps from the Revolutionary War.

Harvard Map Collection

Holocaust Rescue and Relief

http://nrs.harvard.edu/urn-3:hul.eother:uuscrecs

With digitization still under way, the records of the Unitarian Universalist Service Committee, 1939–67, document UUSC’s aid to hundreds of persons displaced by World War II. The complete collection will bring over 200,000 pages and photographs to the web.

Andover-Harvard Theological Library

Islamic Heritage Project

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Hundreds of Islamic manuscripts, maps, and published texts—totalling over 145,000 pages—from Harvard’s library and museum collections. Search or browse materials that date from the 13th to the 20th centuries CE and represent many regions, languages, and subjects.

Open Collections Program

The Human Factor

http://www.library.hbs.edu/hc/hf

More than 2,100 photographs—collected at Harvard Business School during the 1930s—illustrating plants, equipment, techniques, processes, and people at work in a wide variety of industries from automobile manufacturing to paper mills.

Baker Library Historical Collections

Studies in Scarlet

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Page images of more than 450 trial narratives printed in the United States or the United Kingdom from 1815 until 1914. The narratives addressing marriage and sexuality include trials for murder, rape, divorce, domestic violence, adultery, bigamy, breach of promise to marry, and the custody of children.

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Search scholarly literature across many disciplines, including theses, abstracts, articles, and the full text of books.

http://nrs.harvard.edu/urn-3:hul.eresource:gscholar

Google Books

Books digitized and indexed by Google.

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http://hgl.harvard.edu

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http://lib.harvard.edu/tools/libx.html

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http://nrs.harvard.edu/urn-3:hul.eother:resguides

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