

Lights, Camera, Data!

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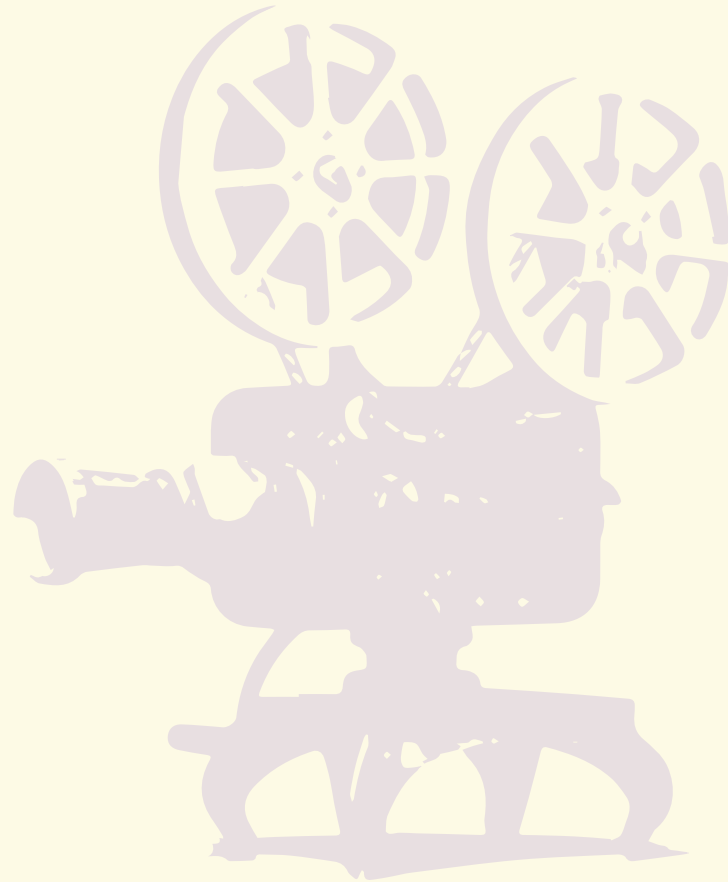


The Challenge



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Aurora Picture Show is a non-profit media arts center in Houston, TX. Their archives were spread across various digital and physical formats and locations without a single access point. This created usability challenges for staff. Regular staff had not been able to fully inventory, describe, and maintain Aurora's archives.



The Solution: 1 Database

161 events | **778** films | **421** terms

- Consolidated film and event inventory
- Controlled vocabulary for topic terms
- Digitized physical materials

Future Possibilities

- Public access and topic searching
- Collaboration through links to digital documentation
- Expansion of data beyond 5-year project scope (2015-2020)



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