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Making the Genealogy Center in Fort Wayne, Indiana Your Research Assistant

By Curt Witcher

SATURDAY, AUGUST 10, 2024 - 1:30 P.M.

Dayton Metro Library, Community Room 2-B
215 E. Third Street, Dayton, OH 45402

The Allen County Public Library's Genealogy Center provides the largest publicly-available research collection in the country and makes available to researchers, at no cost, records from around the world. Their staff specializes in genealogy and is ready to help.

In preparation for our field trip to the Allen County Public Library in Fort Wayne, Indiana, we have invited Curt Witcher, MLS, FUGA, IGSF; Manager of the Genealogy Center, and Director of Special Collections to speak at our August 10th meeting. The presentation will cover how to explore the holdings and datafiles of the Genealogy Center, both to plan a research trip and to use the Genealogy Center remotely.



Curt Witcher is the Director of Special Collections, managing the widely acclaimed Genealogy Center as well as the Lincoln Financial Foundation Collection of Abraham Lincoln related research materials. He has worked at the Allen County Public Library for more than forty years. Curt is a former president of both the Federation of Genealogical Societies (FGS) and the National Genealogical Society (NGS), and the founding president of the Indiana Genealogical Society. He is a former member of the Genealogy Committee of the American Library Association (ALA) and a past chair of the association's History Section.

Contact Publicity@MCC-OGS.org for a link to the live Zoom meeting.

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