



# Resource Sharing with Born Digital Music Materials



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# This Lightning Talk will Discuss...

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- Purchasing Born Digital Resources at UH Libraries
- Describing Born Digital Resources
- Stakeholders
- Best Practices and Policy Updates

# Come Sunday / by Omar Thomas

- **How was it requested for purchase?**
  - Embedded library director enters requests into a shared spreadsheet
  - Required metadata includes title/creator/preferred format, URL is optional
- **How was it purchased?**
  - Direct purchase from content creator site
  - PayPal/P-card only payment accepted
  - Requested permission to circulate print
- **How was it cataloged?**
  - Provider neutral records (040 \$e pn)
  - Added local 3xx fields for print version
- **How was it made accessible?**
  - "Print reproduction on acid free 11 x 17 in. paper, bound as a pamphlet and saddle stitched"
  - On the horizon: Accessible as a digital representation in Alma

1 online resource (1 score (18, 47 pages))  
1 score (18, 47 pages) ; 29 cm  
text file  
PDF

## Details

Title	Come Sunday : (2018)
Creator	Thomas, Omar, 1984- composer. > Omar Thomas Music, publisher, issuing body. > Illinois State University. Wind Symphony, commissioning body. >
Subject	Band music >
Genre	Art music Scores
Contents	Testimony -- Shout!
Publisher	Place of publication not identified : Omar Thomas Music
Creation Date	2018
Format	1 online resource (1 score (18, 47 pages)) 1 score (18, 47 pages) ; 29 cm text file PDF
Source	Library Catalog
Identifier	OCLC : (OCoLC)1344391391 OCLC : (OCoLC)on1344391391



# Building a better world 猫 シ Corp. & telepath



**Title** Building a better world  
Building a better world / 猫 シ Corp. & telepath.

**Creator** Cat System Corp. (Musician) composer, performer, producer. >  
Telepath (Musician), 1995- composer, performer, producer, mixing engineer. >


**Subject** Ambient music >  
Electronica (Music) >

## Digital Version(s) Availability

Showing 1 of 1 results

Digital Version(s)   
Streaming audio  
9 file/s (mp3)  
 Only registered users can view this item.

Get It

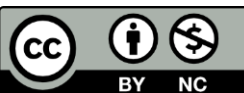
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## LOCATION ITEMS

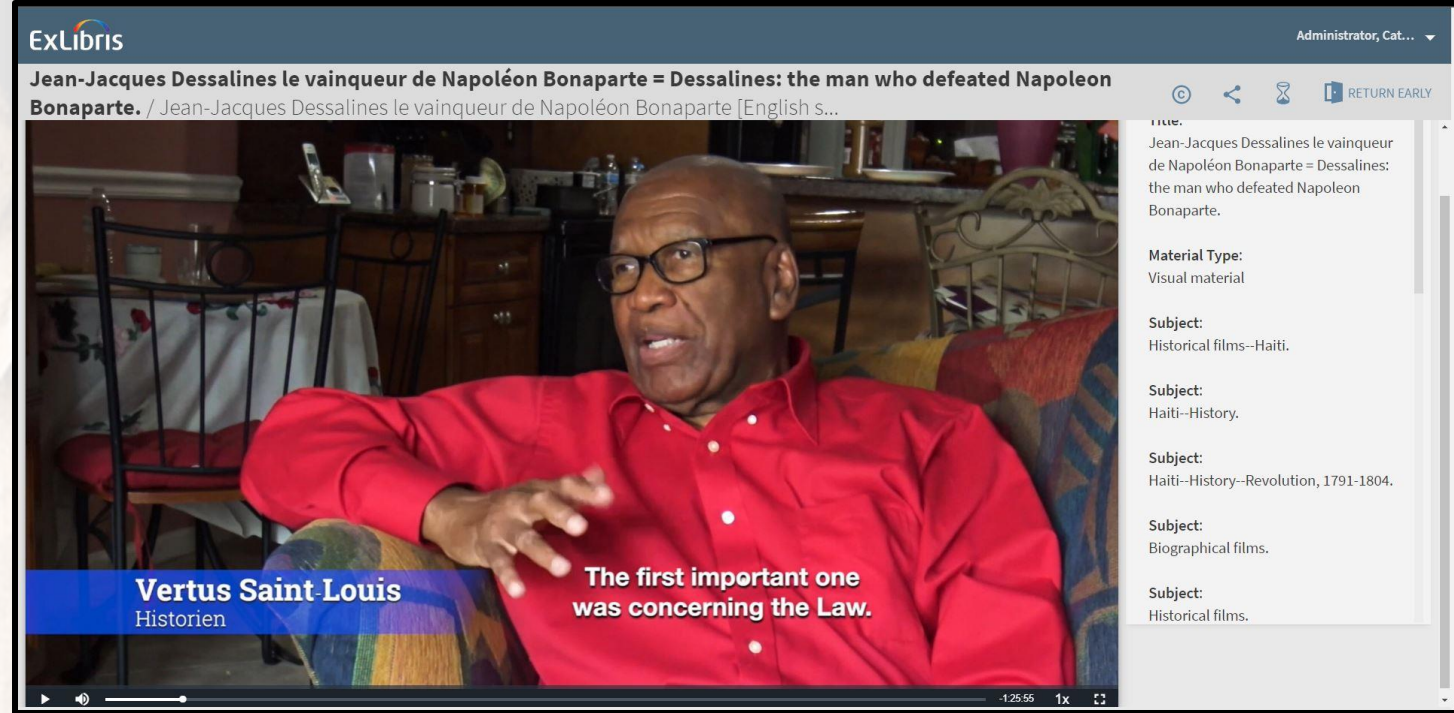
Music Library  
Available, Stacks ; Music CD 0001  
(1 copy, 1 available, 0 requests)

- **How was it requested for purchase?**
  - Ad-hoc pandemic workflow in 2020
  - Requested via email for researcher
- **How was it purchased?**
  - From Bandcamp as a CD issued with digital download
  - PayPal payment with P-card
- **How was it cataloged?**
  - Sound recording (CD audio)
  - Tested .MP3 files as digital representation in Alma Sandbox
- **How was it made accessible?**
  - Special Collections - Closed stacks item
  - Includes note for CD only bonus track



# Jean-Jacques Dessalines le vainqueur de Napoléon Bonapart

- **How was it requested for purchase?**
  - Videorecording requested by Head of Music Library via shared spreadsheet
- **How was it purchased?**
  - Content creator's website
  - Purchase with P-card through website
- **How was it cataloged?**
  - Issued as 1 USB flash drive (3 video files (1:34:00))
  - Videorecording
- **How was it made accessible?**
  - Shelved closed stacks as course reserve
  - Tested DR in Alma Sandbox w/ Haitian Creole audio w/ English subtitles.





# In Conclusion...

## Successes

- Explored an ad-hoc workflow with each new purchase
- Describing sound and video recording unique formats
- Creating provider neutral records, including for music scores

## Challenges

- Navigating ever-evolving payment methods within University system and state bureaucracies
- Securing "buy-in" for acquiring Alma-D for UH System Libraries
- Collaborating with Acquisitions, Collections, and Preservation on reformatting workflows and policies

# References and Additional Information

## Provider Neutral Cataloging Resources

- [OCLC 3.1 Provider-Neutral Cataloging \(Special Cataloging Guidelines\)](#)
- [Provider Neutral Cataloging for Music Scores \(2021-03-03\)](#)
- [Session Summary: Provider-Neutral Cataloging for Digital Scores \(2021-05-15\)](#)

## Additional Cataloging and Description Resources

- [ARSC Guide to Audio Preservation](#)
- [Best Practices for Cataloging DVD-Video and Blu-ray Discs Using RDA and MARC21](#)
- [Supplement 1 \(v1.82\): Guidelines for Describing and Encoding Attributes of Audio Recording Carriers](#)

## Digital Representations in Alma-D

- [Adding Representations](#)
- [Harvard Libraries - Digital representations in Alma \(Alma-D\)](#)
- [LibGuides - Alma Digital \(Ex Libris\)](#)
- [UH Libraries Draft Controlled Digital Lending White Paper \(UH Alma Stakeholders\)](#)

# Images and Cataloged Resources

## Images

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# Thanks for Attending!

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