Redesigning the Council for the Preservation of Anthropological Records (CoPAR) Website

Current Challenges

Outdated Interface

-Not mobile phone compatible

-Publication from 1995

-Fieldnote Guide not updated

Narrow Audience

-Current viewers: Anthropologists, Scholars, Historians

-More visibility for: Native & Indigenous community members; General curious public

Minimal Design & Content

-Un-engaging layout

-Strictly academic

Future Solutions

PRIORITY #1

Implement new website (Drupal9)

Keep current with publications

Community Forum

Social media button implementation

PRIORITY #2

UMD website links

Linking SNAC in CoPAR website

Collaboration and outreach with organizations – e.g. Baltimore American Indian Center

PRIORITY #3

More focus on Indigenous groups (pictures, digital content, etc.)

Focus on UI more than UX

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