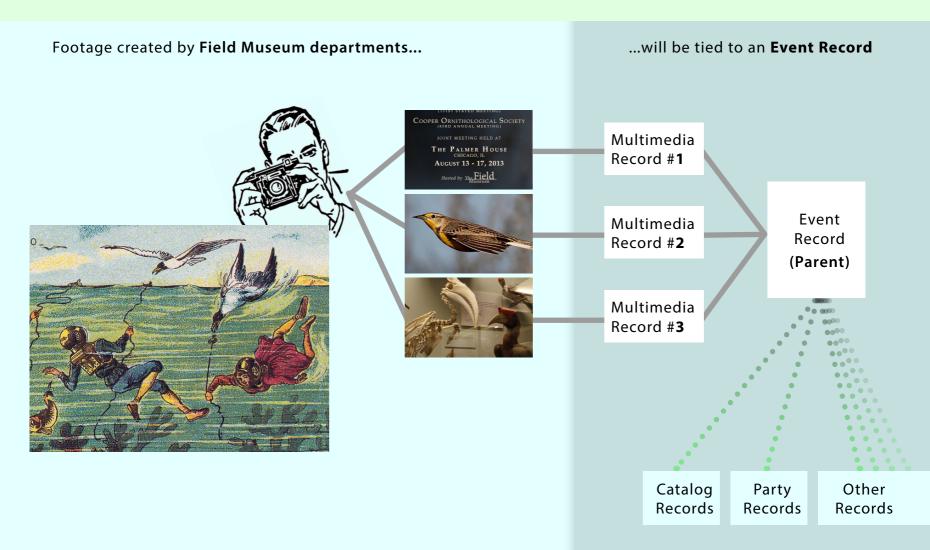
## How to Catalog Raw Video Footage & Photo Shoots in EMu

#### WHAT IS AN EVENT?

An event in EMu is any type of information with a start date (and optionally, an end date). This includes things such as exhibitions, education programs, campaigns, field trips, video series, media productions, and analyses.

For video series/media productions, the event includes all assets created for the project. Each episode within a series also has its own event, with the series event as its parent.



#### Overview:

- 1) Make an Event record for the session/production.
- 2) Make empty Multimedia records for each set of footage.
- 3) Attach the individual Multimedia records to the appropriate Event record.
- 4) For media production projects, attach to the parent event if there is one.

#### EVENT NAMING & NUMBERING

When making a new raw footage Event record, follow naming conventions here:

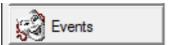
#### http://intranet.fieldmuseum.org/emu/node/6022

For example: MI-FL.92 (refers to footage logged for an Exhibitions Media/Interactives project)

#### Notes:

- No spaces or special char's (for example, &'s, commas, \$, #, etc)
- Other existing prefixes/number series will be incorporated as they are brought into EMu
- No more than 25 characters
- Be consistent

Click the "Events" module:



### **1** "Event 1" Tab

Enter the **Event number**For example: MI-FL.92
EMu will warn you if this
Event number is already in
use

Select **Event Type** from list Video Footage or Photo Shoot

**Event Locality** affects media-usage permission

Select "External" to permit outside use of all media associated with this event.

For any restricted media, create a sub-Event with "Internal" selected for Event Locality

**Title** short, descriptive **Description** include "raw footage" and some detail on what/who was filmed when/ where

#### **Credit Line**

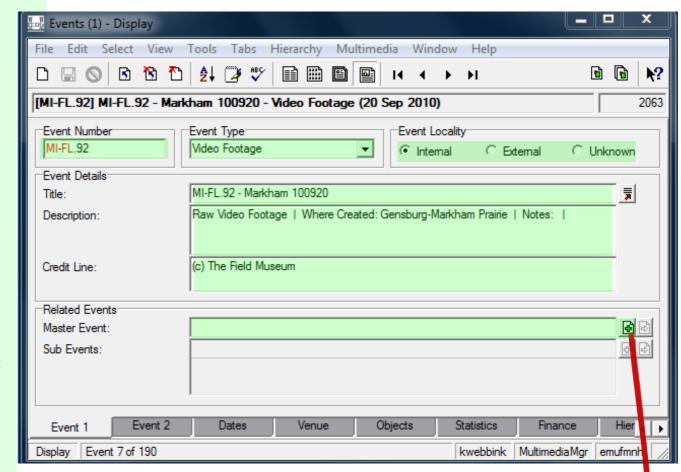
(c) The Field Museum

#### **Master Event**

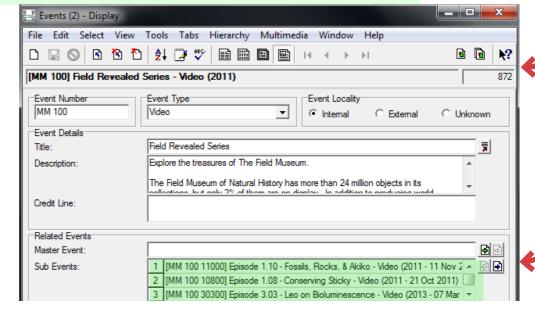
Indicate the parent Event (e.g., project/exhibition) to which this Event relates.

#### **Sub Events**

Autofills with any attached ("child") events.



For film/photo series, master event records and individual episodes/shoots will be listed here:



### 2 "Event 2" Tab

#### **Organisers**

- Enter each person, organization, or team involved in this event.

#### How to attach:

- Start typing the name of the production team, and click the green cross:

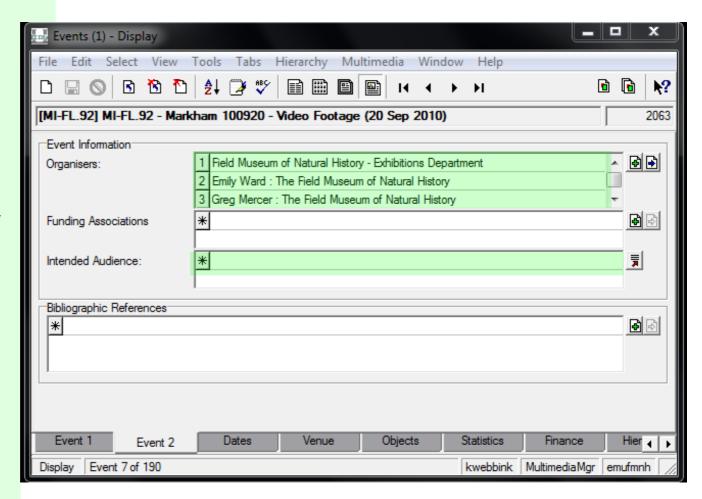
If **only one** party matches, the name entered, it will be attached to the Event record.

If *multiple* parties match, the Parties module will open, and you need to select the correct party.

If *none* match, create a new Party record, and attach it to this field.

#### **Intended Audience**

Select audience from list (If none match what you want, contact your EMu poweruser.)



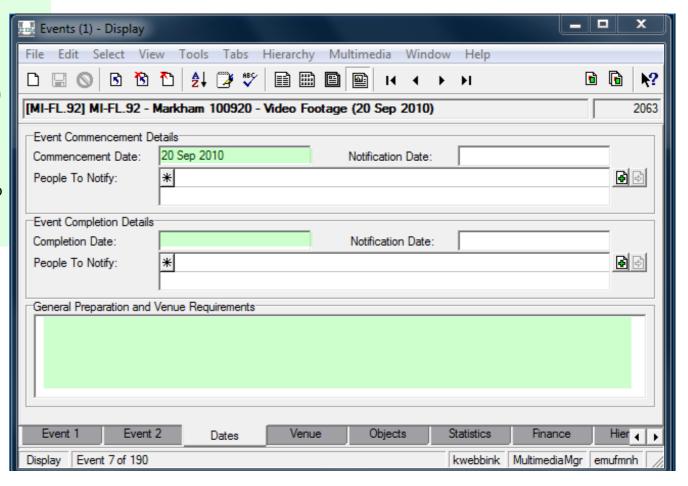
### 3 "Dates" Tab

Commencement Date
DD Mmm YYYY

Completion Date (optional)
DD Mmm YYYY

#### **General Preparation...**

Specific pre-production requirements for setting up this film/photo shoot.



### 4 "Venue" Tab

#### **Venue Name**

Attach to Sites For each place, enter start and end dates.

Temporarily use "Preparation Details" to record notes specific to that location.

If the raw, unedited photos or video footage is displayed somewhere, enter the name of screening or location (Party record)

#### How to attach:

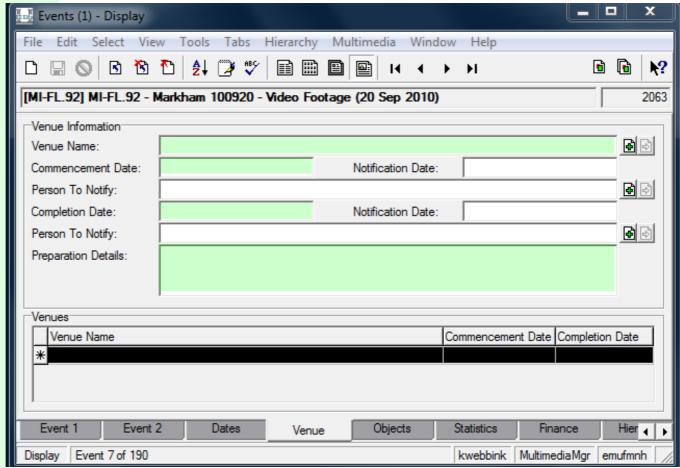
- Start typing the name of the festival/location, and click the green cross:
- If *only one* party matches, the name entered, it will be attached to the Event record.

If *multiple* parties match, the Parties module will open, and you need to select the correct party.

If *none* match, create a new Party record, and attach it to this field.

# Commencement Date Completion Date Preparation Details

What were requirements for screening/submission



# 5 "Objects" Tab

#### Object

Attach the catalog record for the hard drive where your raw footage is stored.

(Optional: Can also attach to records for any specimens/objects used in this event. Contact Collections Managers to coordinate which object records to attach.)

#### Location

Indicate where the hard drive is stored.

How to attach Objects/Locations:

- Start typing the name of the object/location, and click the green cross:

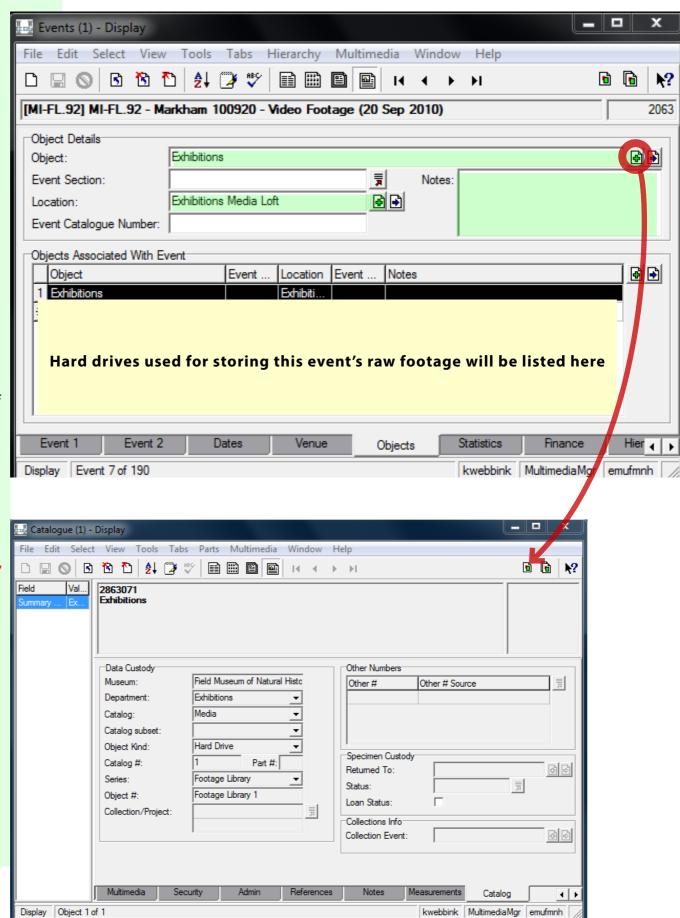
If *only one* object/ location matches, the name entered, it will be attached to the Event record.

If *multiple* parties match, the Parties module will open, and you need to select the correct party.

If *none* match, create a new Party record, and attach it to this field.

#### Notes

Any further notes that would help future researchers/filmmakers find the footage on the drive (e.g., file path)



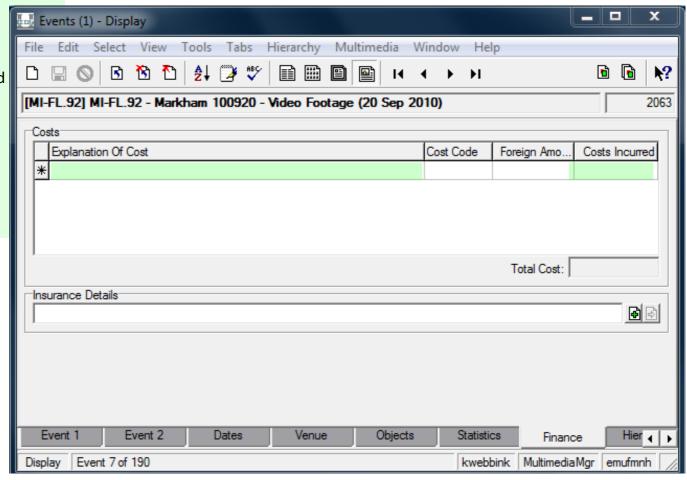
# **6** "Finance" Tab (optional)

### **Explanation of Cost**

- -what was accomplished -what gear/crew was used
- (if any)

#### **Costs Incurred**

Dollar value

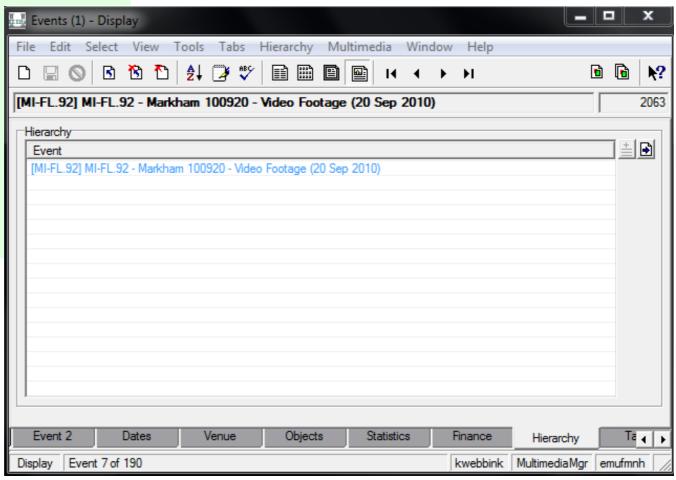


# 7 "Hierarchy" Tab (autogenerated)

...Shows the event structure ("parent" & "child" records).

The event record currently open is shown in blue.

To open another event record in the list, highlight it and click the blue arrow.



# 8 "Security" Tab

This tab controls who can and cannot see the Event.

#### Access

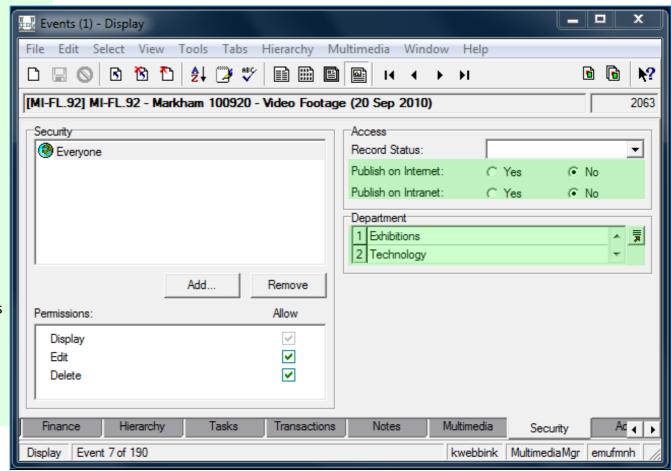
Make sure to set correct Yes/No values for "Publish on Internet" and "...on Intranet"

These settings define whether the public and intranet-users can view this Event record.

#### **Department**

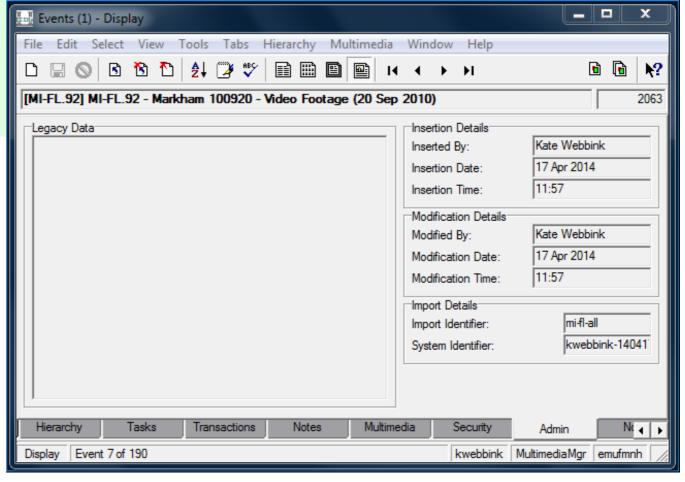
List all internal departments who have permission to see this event

Your Department Collection Department Division



# 9 "Admin" Tab (autogenerated)

All information here is auto-filled, but useful if reviewing a record for who last edited it, and when.



### 10 Multivalued "Notes" Tab

#### Notes

Enter notes about production and re-use here.

Why/How was this piece produced?

Did any steps in production or distribution work especially well/not well?

#### Attributed to

Identify the source of the note

How to attach:

- Start typing your name, and click the green cross:

If *only one* party matches, the name entered, it will be attached to the Event record.

If *multiple* parties match, the Parties module will open, and you need to select the correct party.

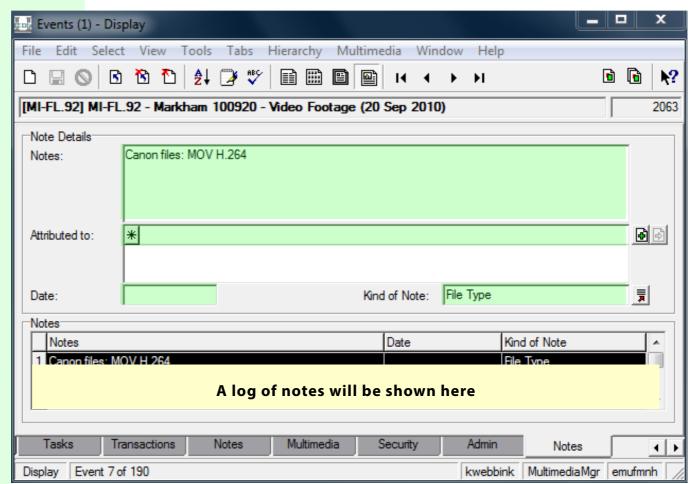
If *none* match, create a new Party record, and attach it to this field.

#### Date

DD Mmm YYYY

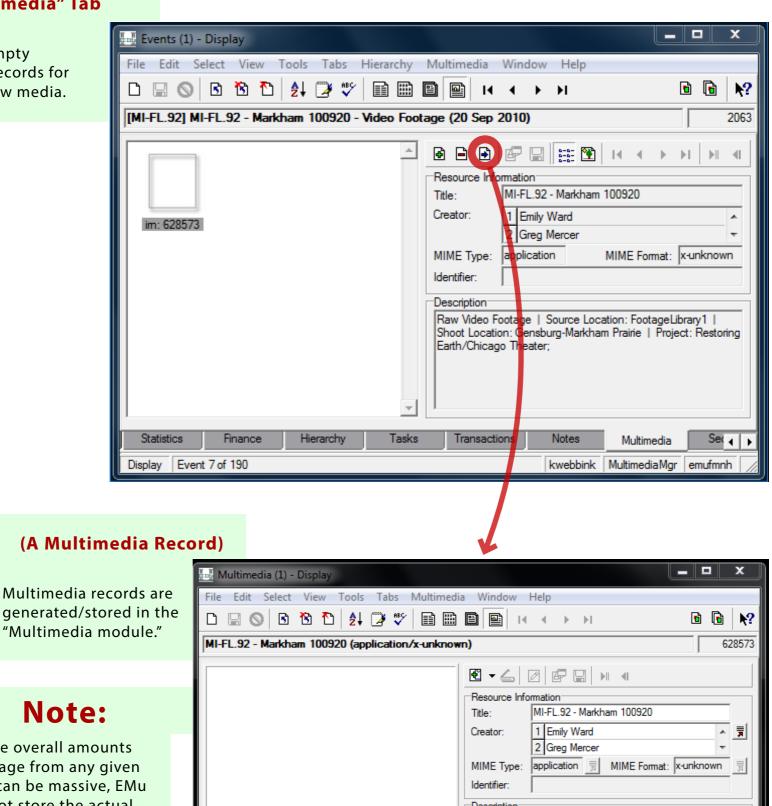
#### **Kind of Note**

Classify the type of note. Select from the list, or add a new type if needed.



### **11** "Multimedia" Tab

Attach the empty Multimedia records for each set of raw media.



# Note:

Because overall amounts of footage from any given shoot can be massive, EMu does not store the actual raw footage files themselves. Instead, we use an empty Multimedia record to hold notes about the footage. Physical storage location is recorded in the Event, but you can note it in the Multimedia record as well.

#### WHAT MEDIA GOES WITH FOOTAGE-LOG EVENTS?

#### **MEDIA FILES:**

No raw footage files will actually be attached to these media records--unless/until the amount of storage in EMu changes drastically.

Instead, an EMu Multimedia record will be generated for each set of raw footage--e.g., for each different shoot, however it is divided within a given filming project.

**NAMES**: For raw footage of objects/specimens, follow the naming conventions for the object's collection:

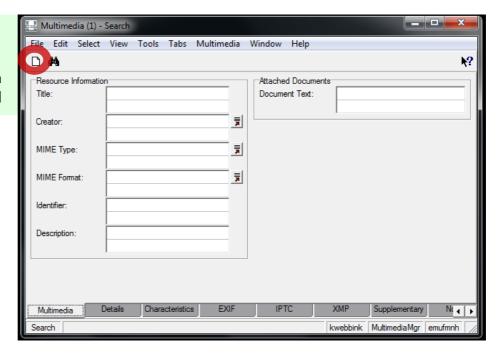
- ...Naming & Image file-type conventions for each collection are on the intranet, here:
  - http://intranet.fieldmuseum.org/emu/node/5536
- No spaces or special char's (for example, &'s, commas, hyphens, dashes, \$, #, etc)
- No more than 64 characters

#### Click the "Multimedia" module:



### 1 New Multimedia Record

Click here to start making a new multimedia record



### 2 "Multimedia" Tab

#### **Title**

Enter the title, following the naming convention for media project or series e.g., [Series Title] Raw Footage [Event Title]

#### Creator

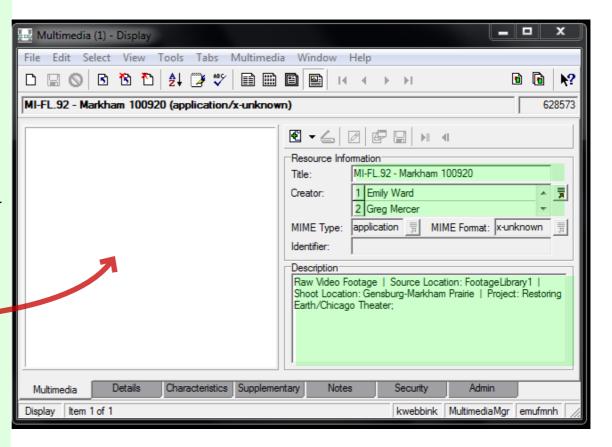
- 1: FMNH, [Department]
- 2: Name of the photographer or media producer
- 3: Media project (e.g.,
- "Exhibition event number" or "NSF/Mellon GPI")

#### [Media area] •

Leave this blank.

#### Description

Title of the media project, and description of the file.



### 3 Details Tab

#### **Keywords:**

Be descriptive, and reference existing keywords if possible

#### **Publisher:**

Field Museum of Natural History

#### **Source:**

Department or Collection, if media/images are of a catalog object or other project eg, Botany Department, Searle herbarium

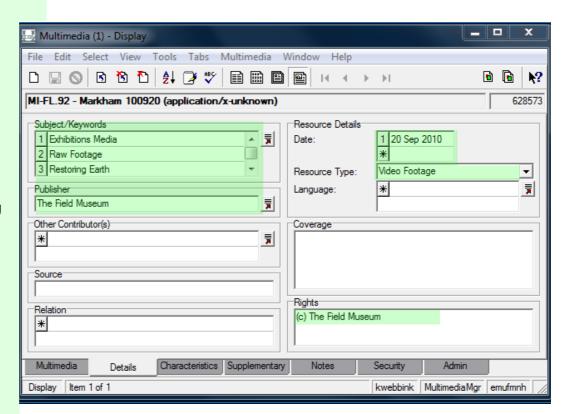
Date: (Today's date)

#### **Resource Type**

Select from dropdown list

#### **Copyright:**

© The Field Museum (Personal files are not stored in EMu)



# 4 Characteristics Tab

#### **Repository:**

Check with your EMu power user

#### **Audience:**

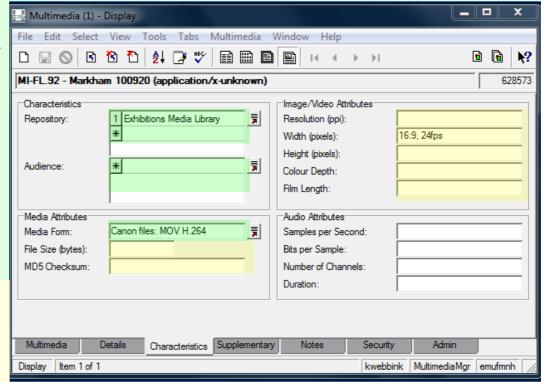
Leave blank for raw video/ photos.

#### **Media Form:**

Again, try to select from the existing list.

#### Media/Image/Video Attributes:

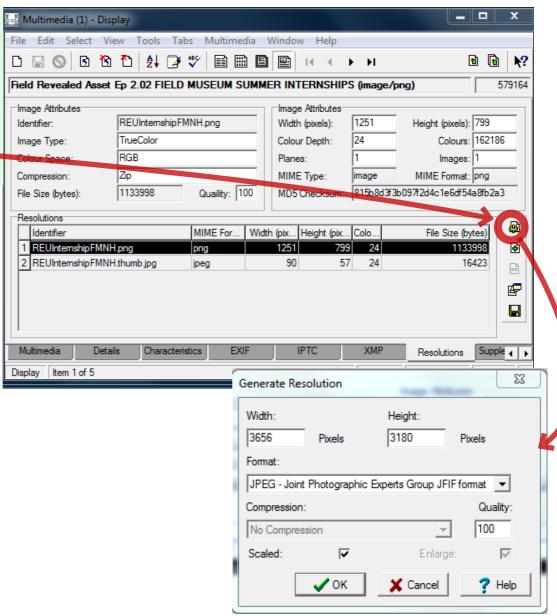
If all footage was shot in a particular format/aspect ratio, describe those settings in these fields.



# **5** Resolutions Tab (optional)

This tab does not appear unless you've attached an image file.

If you need alternate sizes/formats made, click here



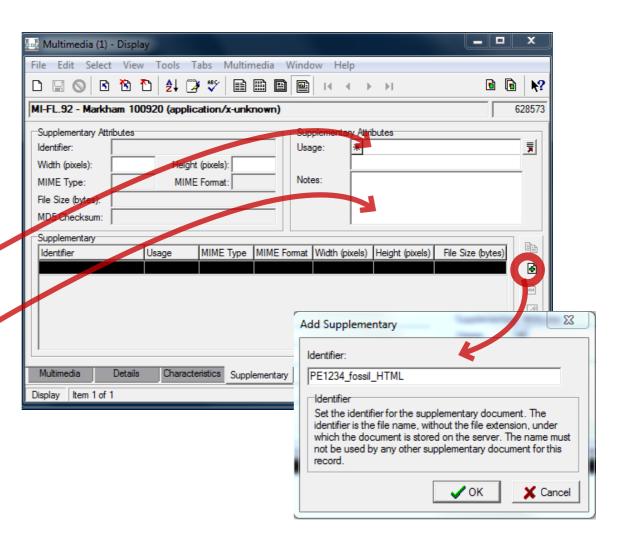
# **6** Supplementary Tab

If you have a pdf/text/ spreadsheet file with notes for the raw footage described in this record, attach that file here

e.g., Long-form detailed description of the footage

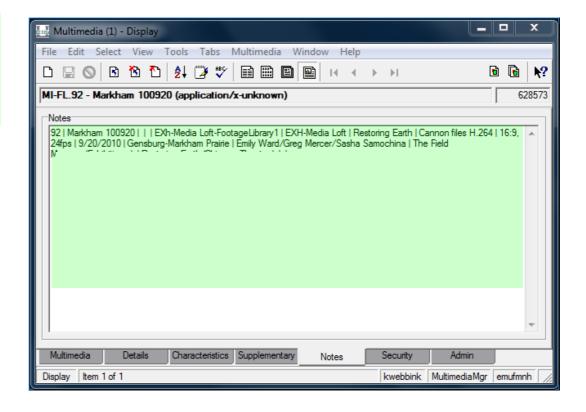
Select appropriate usage terms for media here (e.g., Interactive, exhibition, research).

Enter any further notes here



### **7** Notes Tab

Document any notes about the footage or its derivatives here.



# 8 Security Tab

This tab controls who can and cannot see the Event.

#### **Access**

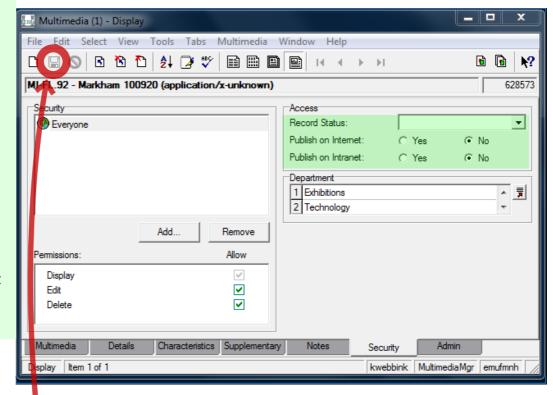
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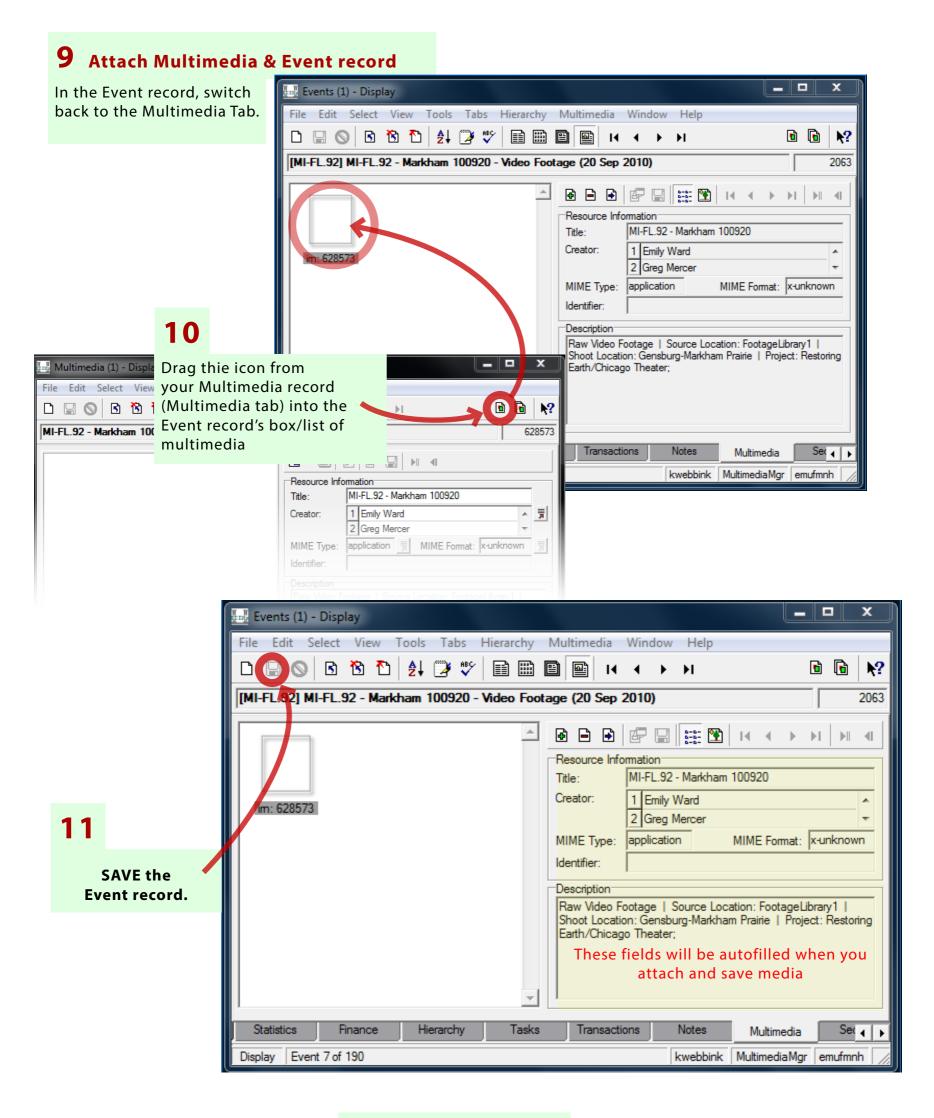


#### **SAVE** your Multimedia record!

(You will be prompted to save before closing the record or attaching to another module.)

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Now attach it to the Event record you created earlier (on page 8)



# Presto!

(anything missing?)