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Somers - Filmmaker

Filmmaker

Black man, mid-40s, married, children. Making a film. Going to a lot of archives. Film relates to Black Panthers, which reflects his personal history/relationship w/ his father. Used Library's resources and space for project; and Library name for legitimacy. Will donate materials from his project to Library. A strong advocate of the Library. Participates in other Library projects. Part of local hip hop history. Brings his family in to Library. Has been able to meet people helping him on his project through the Library, as he ran into people in the physical space. Has been doing his own fundraising/outreach for his film. Knows a lot of people.

KEY WORDS

- Personal passion about his work
- Very high level of comfort w/ digital media technology
- Actively looking for resources, seeking information/knowledge
- Very comfortable w/ library procedures
- Busy (work, family, outside projects, fundraising). Frequent Library user in spurts

Scenario

- Filmmaker is creating a film about Black Panthers and their impact on the community during their historical movement. He wants to search video materials about how the community was impacted. He wants to be able to access all the materials online.
- Red are comments about what the user may be thinking or doing
- Blue are comments about the site format



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Research Tools



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- [Infotrac Newsstand \(Gale\)](#)  – Full-text newspaper database has several NY newspapers, including the NY Times from 1985-Present, as well as over fifty national and international newspapers. [Click here](#)  for a title list. (Full-text)
- [NYS Newspapers](#)  – Collection of ten major newspapers published in New York State, searchable by section, keyword or relevance. (Full-text)


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^ Health

^ Encyclopedias and Genealogy

^ For Students

^ Readers' Advisory

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The research tab takes me to a completely different web system that seems like it just has links to research tools available online. This doesn't display any video materials that the library has. Not what I'm looking for.



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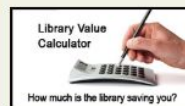


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down seems like it
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material sections. I am
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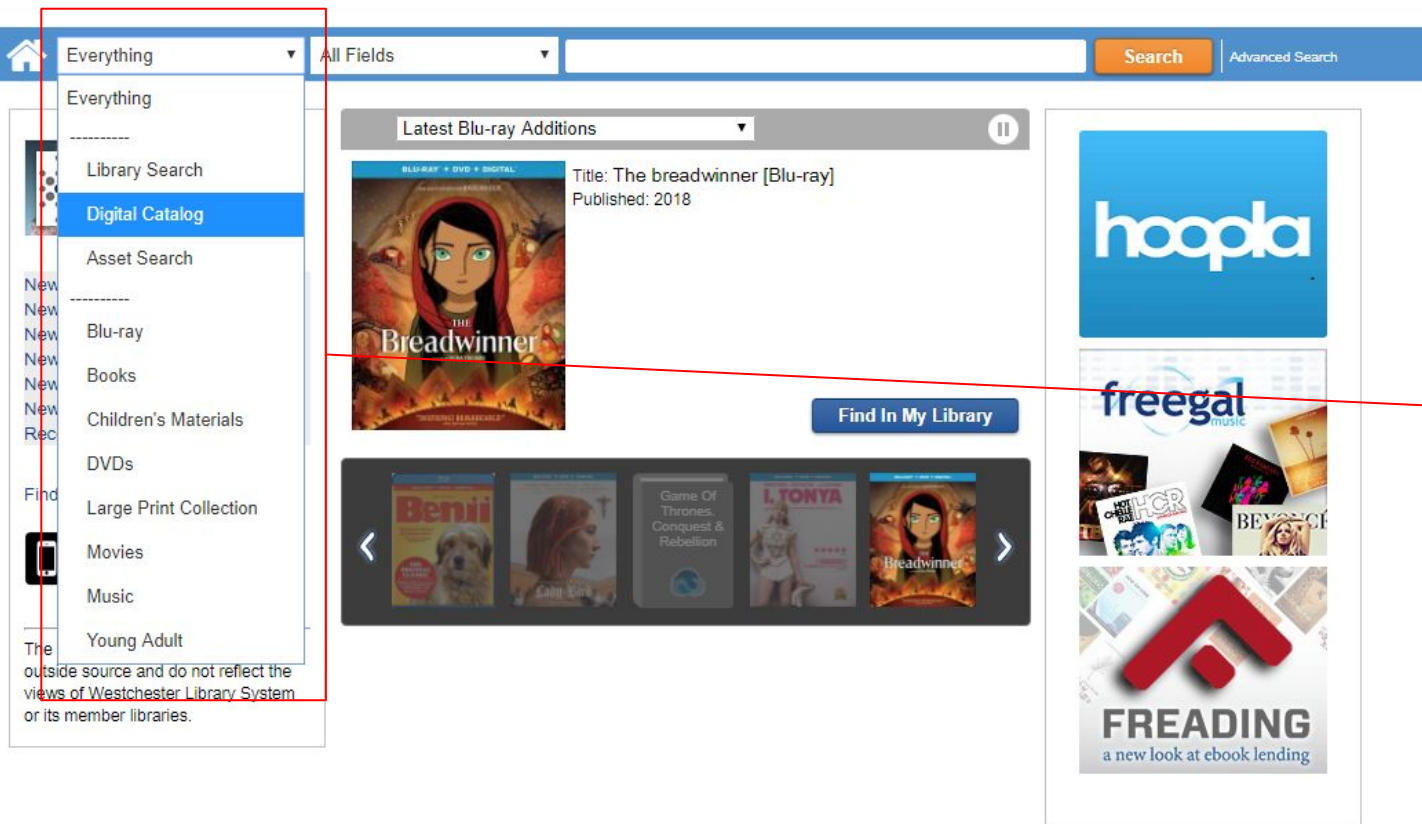


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I don't see any video materials section. Going to check their Online Catalog and see if they have anything I can use.

The button takes me to another website again. This doesn't look too promising because it looks more of like just a catalog instead of research materials



The screenshot shows the Westchester Library System website. A red box highlights the 'Digital Catalog' option in the left sidebar menu. The main content area displays search results for 'The Breadwinner' Blu-ray, including a cover image, title, and publication year (2018). A 'Find In My Library' button is visible. The right sidebar features promotional banners for 'hoopla', 'freegal music', and 'FREADING a new look at ebook lending'.

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Going to search the Digital Catalog section since I need to access the materials online.

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Electronic Format

- ☐ TOTAL BOOK EBOOK (2)
- ☐ ADOBE EPUB (1)
- ☐ HTML (1)
- ☐ KINDLE (1)

Author

- ☐ Bloom, Joshua (1)
- ☐ Jamal Joseph (1)
- ☐ John Blake (1)
- ☐ Martin Jr., Waldo E. (1)

Publication Date

Years

Any - Any

Subject

- ☐ unclassified. (2)
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- ☐ History (1)
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Language

- ☐ English (1)

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by Jamal Joseph

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Excerpt: Panther Baby Jamal Joseph
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2.

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Children of the Movement
by John Blake

Format:

Electronic Format: TOTAL BOOK EBOOK
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Black Against Empire
by Bloom, Joshua

Format:

Electronic Format: HTML, KINDLE, ADOBE EPUB
Excerpt: The History and Politics of the Black Panther Party
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This doesn't have any video materials but rather ebooks. This library does not have any research materials that are useful to me.