

Directory of North American Mennonite Historical Agencies, 2015

This directory lists Mennonite, Amish, and related historical museums, societies, interpretive centers, archives, libraries, and committees. Also in this directory are conference historians, genealogical organizations, and historical committees. This directory is updated biennially by the Mennonite Church USA Archives in Goshen, Indiana. For more information about this directory, or to update your listing, please contact the Mennonite Church USA Archives at archives@mennoniteusa.org.

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Heritage Hall Museum and Archives, Kelsey Ortman, director, Marnette Hofer, archivist, P.O. Box 693, Freeman, SD 57029, Telephone: (605) 925-7545 ext. 246 or (888) 595-9755, Email: museum@freemaninfo.com or archives@freemanmuseum.org | Website: www.freemanmuseum.org

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Iowa Mennonite Historical Society, Amanda Beachy, director, 715 D Ave., Kalona, IA 52247, Telephone: (319) 656-3271, Email: iamennohist@kctc.net (The Iowa Mennonite Museum and Archives is run by the Iowa Mennonite Historical Society. It is open April-October.)

Juniata College Archives, Jan Hartman, college archivist, 1700 Moore St., Huntingdon, PA 16652-2119, Telephone: (814) 641-5315 Fax: (814) 641-3435; Email: hartmaj@juniata.edu | Website: <http://www.juniata.edu/services/library/>

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Masthof Press and Bookstore, J. Lemar and Lois Ann Mast, 219 Mill Road, Morgantown, PA 19543, Telephone: (610) 286-0258 or Fax: (610) 286-6860, Email: mast@masthof.com | Website: www.masthof.com

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Mennonite Archives of Ontario, Lauren Harder-Gissing, archivist, Conrad Grebel University College, 140 Westmount Rd. N., Waterloo, ON N2L 3G6, Telephone: (519) 885-0220 ext. 24238, Fax: (519) 885-0014, Email: marchive@uwaterloo.ca | Website: www.grebel.ca/mao

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Mennonite Church USA Archives, 1700 S. Main St., Goshen, IN 46526, Telephone: (574) 523-3080, (866) 866-2872 ext. 203080 (toll-free), Fax: (574) 535-7756, Email: Archives@MennoniteUSA.org | Website: <http://www.mennoniteusa.org/what-we-do/historical-archives/>

Mennonite Church USA Archives – North Newton, see **Mennonite Library and Archives**

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Mennonite Historical Library, John D. Roth, director, Joe A. Springer, curator, Goshen College, 1700 S. Main St., Goshen, IN 46526, Telephone: (574) 535-7418, Fax: (574) 535-7438, Email: mhl@goshen.edu | Website: www.goshen.edu/mhl

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Mennonite Library & Archives (Fresno Pacific University), Hannah Keeney, archivist, 1717 S. Chestnut Ave., Fresno, CA 93702, Telephone: (559) 453-3437, Email: hannah.keeney@fresno.edu | Website: www.fresno.libguides.com/mla

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Mennonite Settlement Museum, Stan R. Harder, director of museums, Hillsboro Museums, 501 S. Ash St., Hillsboro, KS 67063-1531, Telephone: (620) 947-3775, Email: Hillsboro_museums@yahoo.com

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Missionary Church Archives (Bethel College), Tim Erdel, director, Bethel College, 1001 Bethel Circle, Mishawaka, IN 46545 Telephone: (574) 257-2570, Email: erdelt@bethelcollege.edu | Website: <http://www.bethelcollege.edu/mcarchives.html>

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