

Having a Nosh with SNAC **Dina Herbert**

Description: SNAC (Social Networks and Archival Context) is a way to address the archival diaspora issue by allowing archivists, librarians and scholars to jointly maintain information about the people documented in archival collections. This presentation will introduce the AJL community to the tool, its research and development, and where the project is currently headed by examining examples. Find out how to use the tool for your institution and how it is built.

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