Searching University Publications
In the Institutional Repository, ScholarWorks

Getting Started

Go to: https://scholarworks.gvsu.edu/archives/

In the institutional repository, you will find searchable, digitized copies of University Publications that are physically housed in Special Collections & University Archives.

Clicking on the title (in blue text) will take you to a further menu for browsing within each collection.

Searching

On the upper left-hand side of the screen, there is an option to enter search terms. In the box below, make sure “in this collection” is selected to search ALL of the University Archives’ collections available in ScholarWorks.
Collection Searches

If you click directly on one of the collection titles on the homepage menu, you’ll open a list of items found within that particular collection.

Each collection is organized a little bit differently, but all are chronological.

For example:

Once you select a particular record you’re interested in, it will open in a PDF viewer.

You can scroll through pages using the left-hand bar.

Or, use a find shortcut (CTRL F in Windows, Command F in Mac) to search within the document.
A Note about Publications
University Publications are largely digitized documents. This means that University Archives holds physical copies within Seidman House in addition to the digital copies. This may be useful if you come across issues with the digitized version.

Some newspaper articles, in particular, may suffer from readability issues. The physical copy may still be perfectly legible.

If you come across an issue and cannot read the text, contact collections@gvsu.edu or visit Seidman House to view the original copy.

A Lanthorn article with readability issues