Fall Semester at The Woodrow Wilson House

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Image courtesy of Woodrow Wilson House Website

First, About Me

- Undergraduate Degree in Art History from The Ohio State University
- Currently in Georgetown University's Art History & Museum Studies Graduate Program
- Hope to work in the collections management field and further my education for a second Master's Degree in Library Science



Image of me in front o Georgetown for the first time, courtesy of my photos

Start in Collections

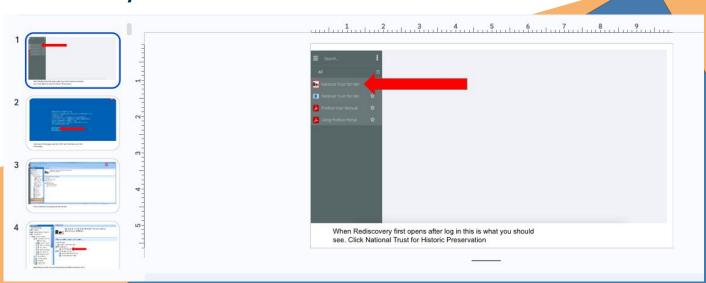
- Organizing Storage Space
- Discovering how the Woodrow Wilson House works and kinds of objects in the collection



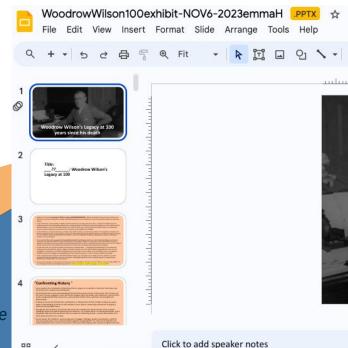
Image of the space I was tasked to organize, courtesy of my photos

- Learning about ReDiscovery
- Creating a Tutorial
- Utilizing the tutorial to become more familiar with the system

Screenshot of my ReDiscovery Tutorial



- Planning for 100 Years Legacy Exhibition
- Editing initial notes on Exhibition
- Creating a Powerpoint with the note information
- Creating an Exhibition Item List



Screenshot of the Exhibition Powerpoint

Plant Project

 Creating a poster for the Native Plant Garden at Woodrow Wilson House to show publicly

Screenshot of the first draft of the poster

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- Help with Reaccreditation
- Updating and Editing the Collections Management Policy
- Creating Resources for the Collections Management Policy



Image courtesy of the American Alliance of Museums Website

Conclusion and Summary

- This program allowed me to work hands on with a historic collection
- Experienced many different types of museum work
- Invaluable experience working on an AAM project

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