

Genealogy and Family History

<http://www.collectionscanada.gc.ca/genealogy/index-e.html>

Genealogy and Family History is a great resource put together by Library and Archives Canada. The site is extensive and includes links to how-to guides for beginning researchers, forms for organizing information, a search engine to find information on ancestors held by LAC, personnel files for all soldiers serving in the CEF in WWI, lists of helpful websites by province and much, much more.

AVITUS - The Directory of Canadian Genealogical Resources

<http://www.bac-lac.gc.ca/eng/discover/genealogy/avitus/Pages/avitus.aspx>

For genealogists and people interested in family history, Library and Archives Canada has made available online The Directory of Canadian Genealogical Resources - AVITUS that allows you to access databases, catalogues and Web sites regarding genealogical resources and collections all over Canada.

The Database

The directory points to resources (institutions, online databases, etc.) but does not actually search the databases themselves. You can conduct a search by title, subject or keywords including names and/or dates.

The directory includes descriptions for:

- Institutions: family associations, libraries, university research centres, archives, museums, genealogical societies, historical societies.
- Information resources: databases, catalogues, PDF files, alphabetical lists, and pages of links that are available online.

Military Heritage

<http://www.bac-lac.gc.ca/eng/discover/military-heritage/Pages/military-heritage.aspx>

As of October 2016, 347,005 of 640,000 files are available online in Soldiers of the First World War: 1914–1918 database.

Library and Archives Canada holds an extensive collection of records of the Canadian men and women who have served their country in the military and in the early years of the North West Mounted Police. There are records relating to Loyalists, the War of 1812, the Rebellions, the South African War, the First World War and the Second World War, many of which are featured in databases, research guides and virtual exhibitions. The records include muster rolls, military service files, unit war diaries, medal registers, photographic collections, documentary art and posters, as well as published sources.

New files are added every two weeks. LAC will ensure that Canadians have access to the files throughout the digitization process, scheduled to be completed by the end of 2018.

Ontario Genealogical Society

<http://www.ogs.on.ca/>

The Ontario Genealogical Society website is a portal to the many Ontario Genealogical Society services and how to guides. It also has a handy on-site feature - the grave transcription database where you can search more than 95% of the grave sites in Ontario from home.

OGS Durham Region Branch

<http://www.durham.ogs.on.ca/>

The Durham Branch is part of the [Ontario Genealogical Society](https://www.ogs.on.ca/) (<https://www.ogs.on.ca/>).

The OGS Durham Region Branch takes in the following eight municipalities:

City of Oshawa

City of Pickering

Municipality of Clarington

Town of Brock

Town of Scugog

Town of Uxbridge

Town of Whitby

Cyndi's List

www.cyndislist.com

Cyndi's List links to over 12,000 different genealogy websites, organized by category but also searchable with a Google bar. This is your genealogical research portal onto the Internet.

- A free jumping-off point for you to use in your online research.
- A "card catalog" to the genealogical materials in the immense library that is the Internet.
- A categorized & cross-referenced index to genealogical resources on the Internet.
- A list of links that point you to genealogical research sites online.

American History and Genealogy Project

<http://www.ahgp.org/>

The American History and Genealogy Project (AHGP) is an unincorporated network of independent Web Sites devoted to History and Genealogy and covering North American Countries and Territories. Anyone with a genealogy, history or related project or topic sites is welcome to join.

Canadian Genealogy Resources

<http://www.canadiangenealogy.net/index.htm>

Canadian Genealogy Resources is the host for AHGP (American History and Genealogy Project) Canada. There is a wealth of well-organized information to be found here. The content of the site is updated regularly. CGR spotlights aboriginal heritage more than many others sites, and is searchable in a number of different ways so you can find your comfort zone quickly.

Native American Nations
<http://www.nanations.com>

The site provides the reader with Native American Nations information for personal research and includes tribal histories, census and rolls. Some resources link to subscription databases such as Ancestry. Substantial resources for Canadian native genealogy research are available.

Tribes of Ontario
<http://www.nanations.com/canada/ontario.htm>

Source for Native Research, Rolls, History, Treaties, Census, Books.
