

## **IS 590: Preservation**

### Course Description

This course provides an introduction to many aspects of preservation in libraries and archives. The aim is to familiarize students with a broad range of preservation issues, with the goal that each student will learn the fundamentals of the field and develop a lasting preservation consciousness. Thus equipped, the student will be prepared to incorporate preservation principles into many arenas of librarianship or go on to pursue a specialty in preservation. While much of the instruction is in the form of lecture and discussion, there will be a great deal of demonstration and some hands-on practice with repairs and preservation decision-making.