The Internet Archive (www.archive.org) is a non-profit that was founded to build an ‘Internet library,’ with the purpose of offering permanent access for researchers, historians, and scholars to historical collections that exist in digital format. Founded in 1996, the Internet Archive hosts the largest publicly available web archive with over 60 billion archived web pages. Additionally, Internet Archive is working as the technology partner for National Libraries and Archives around the world to create web collections. Partners include the Library of Congress, U.S National Archives and UK National Archives.

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Featured Collections

Katrina Hurricane
http://websearch.archive.org/katrina
The Internet Archive and many individual contributors worked together to put together a comprehensive list of websites to create a historical record of the devastation caused by Hurricane Katrina and the massive relief effort which followed. This collection is a sampling of the larger web archive available at Internet Archive.

Virginia's Political Landscape, Fall 2005
http://www.iva.lib.va.us/whatwehave/webarchive/
The Library of Virginia's 'Virginia's Political Landscape, Fall 2005' archiving project documents political activity in the Commonwealth during the last 4 months of the administration of Governor Mark R. Warner. This includes the Web sites of those running in the state-wide elections of the fall of 2005, as well as related political sites, in an effort to record the often ephemeral activities of political candidates.

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