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# Going 3D

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## Provide interactive access to your multi-dimensional objects using 360 degree imaging

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### Problem

- Fragile objects may be mishandled
- Classroom use unfeasible
- Exhibit space is inadequate
- Small staff and limited hours of access
- Potential for theft

### Solution

- Create an interactive, digital facsimile
- 3D objects can be rotated 360 degrees
- Unlimited number of users worldwide
- Around the clock access
- No risk of damage or theft

34 objects available now on Digital@UDayton  
<http://digital.udayton.edu/>



### Equipment

- Computer controlled turntable
- Animation software
- Digital camera
- Tripod
- Lighting kit
- Backdrops



### Results

- Google Analytics tracks number of site visitors
- Track research requests resulting from site visit
- User satisfaction survey

"It's as if you can walk around an object, and many details come alive. With every line and shape, there's a new discovery."  
Father Johann Roten, Marian Library



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