

UPLOADING STREAMING & EMBED CODE CONTENT

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INTRODUCTION

VITA supports mp4 files to deliver video in a streaming display, as well as an embed code option for YouTube, Vimeo, Facebook and SketchFab. You can find instructions on how to embed code in Part 2 of this manual.

For larger videos, optimize your files and break the video into chapters of not more than 75MBs each for uploading.

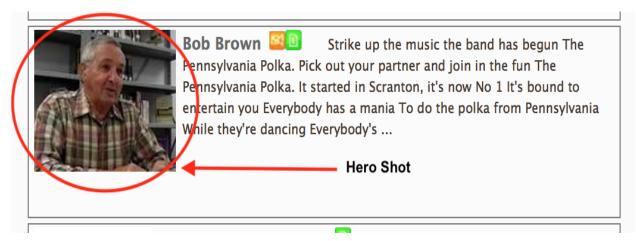
UPLOADING VIDEOS & VIDEO RECORDS

STEP 1: ADD THUMBNAIL - THE "HERO SHOT"

It is best practice to assign an image – or Hero Shot - to represent the mp4 video. If you do not attach an image to the file, it will not have a visual representation within the record and will appear in all search results like this:



As opposed to this:



Adding an image overrides that generic thumbnail.

To start the process, choose and upload file from the VITA dashboard



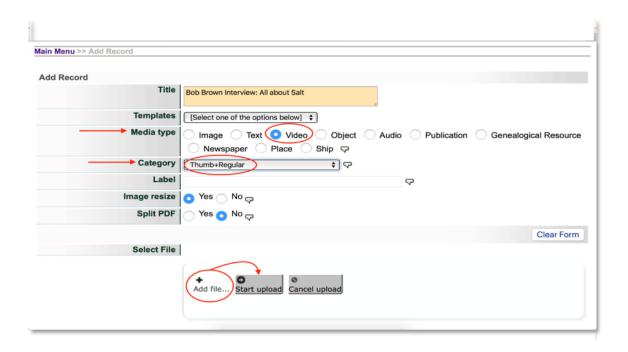
Assign an image:

To upload an image, choose the Media type **Video** (because that is the record template you want)

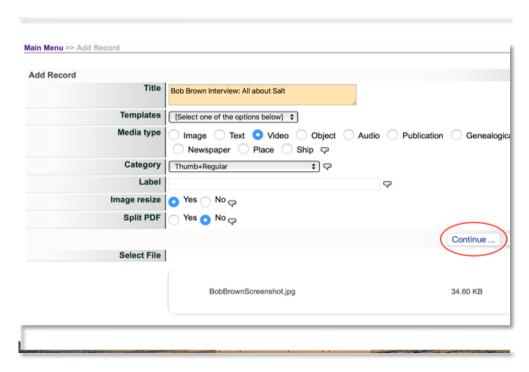
Choose **Thumb & Regular** from the drop-down list in Category

Then click on add file and choose the image file you wish to represent the video

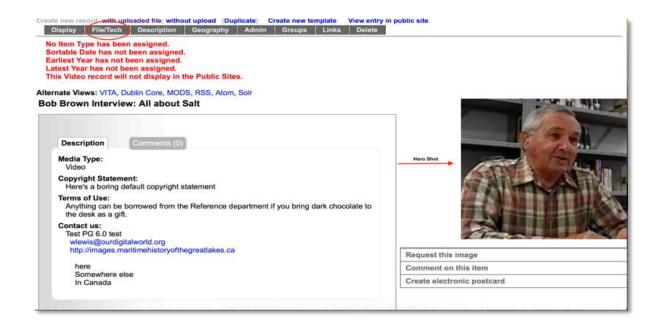
Once you have chosen the image – click on **Start Upload**



After the image has loaded – click on the **Continue** button to access the **file/tech** data screen where you will upload your video.



Note: The "Hero shot" now appears on the right side of the record. This will be the visual representation of the video on the public site and in search results



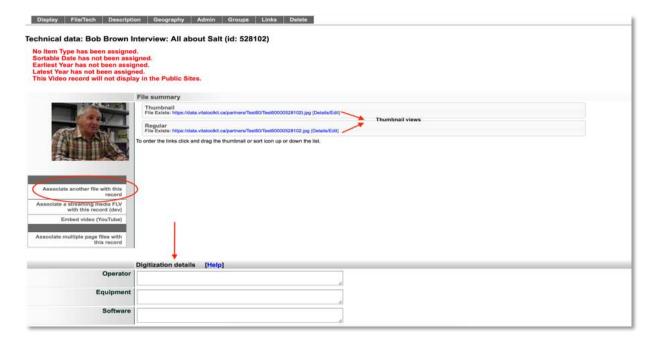
STEP 2: UPLOADING VIDEOS

Note: For larger videos, optimize your files and break the video into chapters of not more than 75MBs each for uploading.

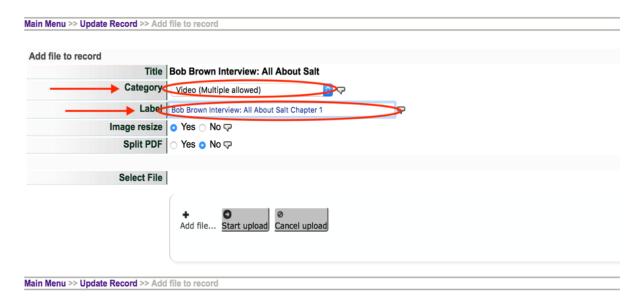
To upload your video, on the file/tech screen, click on Associate another file with this record

Notice that the Thumb & Regular image files are listed as part of the record

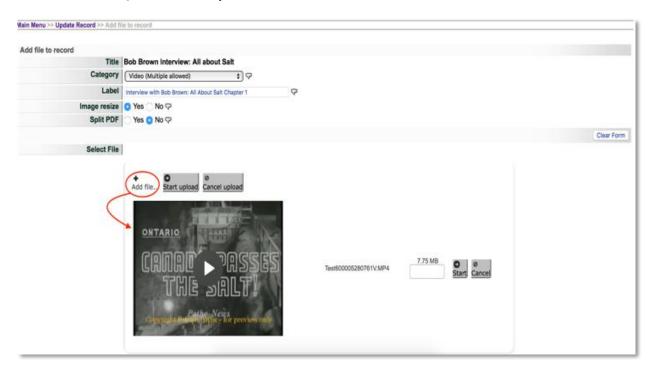
You can also capture Digitization Details in the fields below the display window



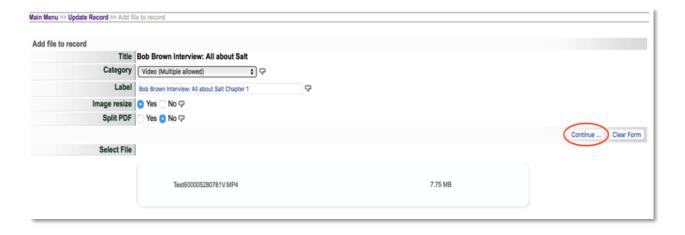
From the drop-down menu in **Category**, choose **Video (Multiple allowed)**. Use the **Label** field to identify the video clip. This is particularly important if you are uploading multiple chapters to one record.



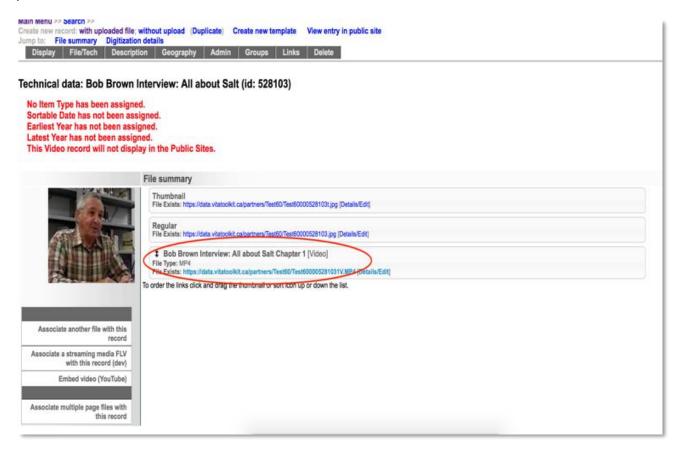
Click on Add File, then Start Upload to load the video



Once the video has loaded, click on **Continue**.



You'll now be taken back to the **file/tech** data screen where your mp4 video is now listed as part of the record.



STEP 3: ADDING & REPLACING CHAPTERS & CHAPTER IMAGE FILES

Add subsequent chapters using the same workflow as in Step 2.



To add a thumbnail image for any chapter, click the **Details/Edit** link. In the details screen and in the **Files** section, click **Add** beside the thumbnail option.



Upload a thumbnail image file using the dialogue box. Preview in the public site:



You can replace the thumbnail or video file by using the **Replace** button



Video chapters and their associated thumbnails will appear in the right sidebar of the record. Simply click on a link in the sidebar to play the video file or chapter. If you do not see your replacement image right away, do a hard refresh of your browser screen or clear your cache.

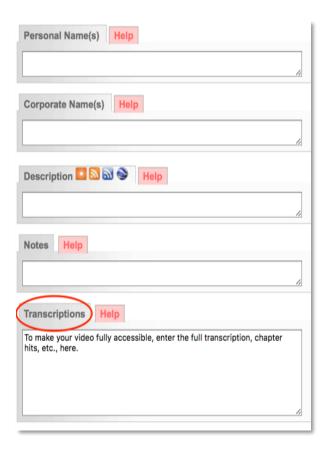
STEP 4: VIDEO TRANSCRIPTIONS

To make your record and site meet accessibility requirements, a full transcript of the video content must be provided either as part of the public-facing record or a non-displayed full text available for screen readers and full text search.

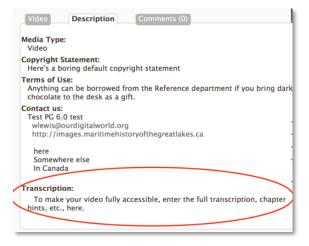
Full text searchable transcriptions can be added for public view or as non-public text. It is

advisable to add at least Clip notes (i.e. keywords, timing, chapter summaries, etc.) to the public record to guide the end user about the video content.

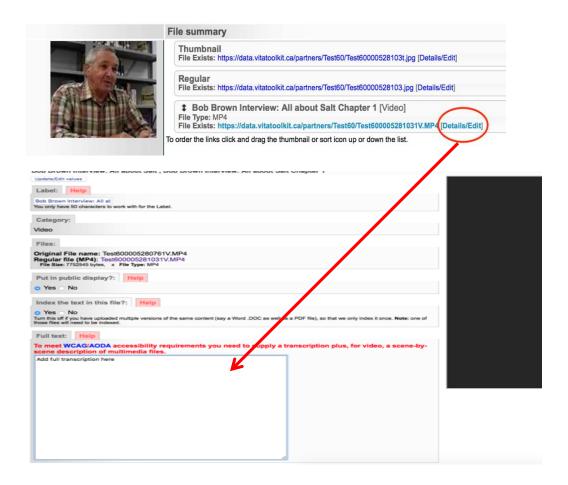
To add your transcription – or chapter notes – to the public side, use the transcription field on the Description data screen.



The transcription will appear in the bottom of the Description screen of the public video record



For **non-public display** but to meet Accessibility requirements, add a full transcription plus a scene-by-scene description of the video content in the **Full Text** input field of the File Details Screen



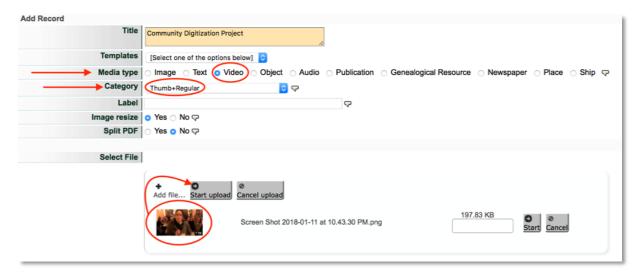
EMBEDDING VIDEO & OTHER OBJECTS

Embed< iframe> code from YouTube, Vimeo, Facebook or SketchFab right into your VITA record to share, manage, preserve and enhance discovery of your local history videos.

As with streaming mp4 videos, first assign an image to represent the embedded video within the record and for all search results.

STEP 1: ADD THUMBNAIL + HERO SHOT

Following the same process for streaming videos, upload a screenshot using the Media type **Video** and category **Thumb & Regular**



STEP 2: UPLOADING VIDEO & EMBED CODE

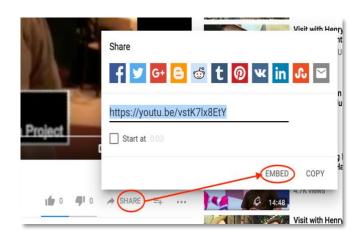
Once the record is established, click on File/tech

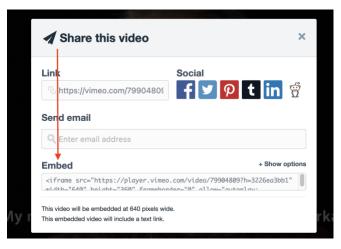


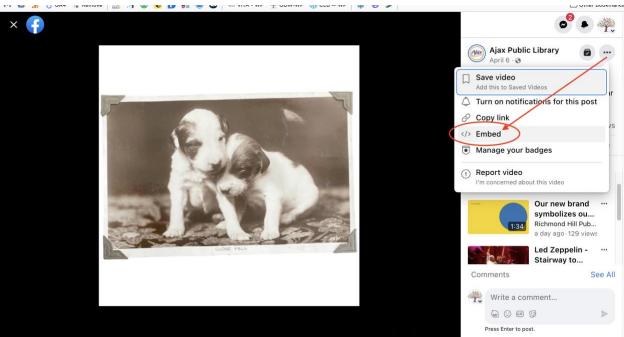
On the file/tech screen click on Embed code



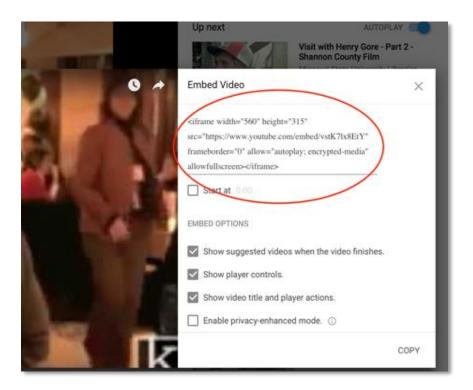
In **YouTube, Vimeo and Facebook**, either right click on the video or open the **share>embed** option below the video screen.



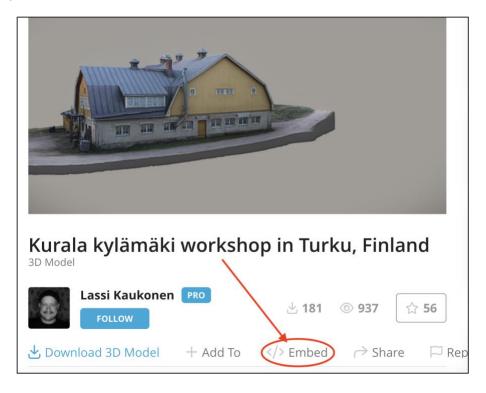


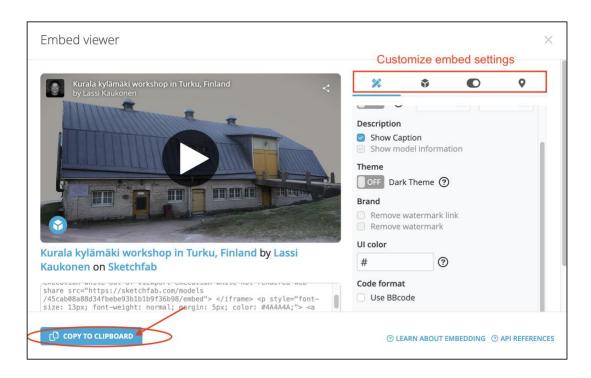


Copy the embed code

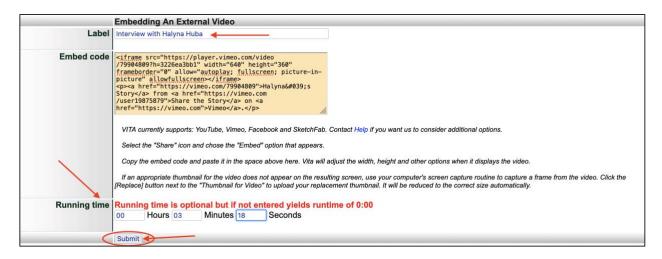


In **SketchFab**, click the "Embed" option and choose the settings for your embed object then "Copy to Clipboard".





Paste the code in the embed code field in VITA



Add a **label** for the clip, the **embed code** and the **video run time** or simply use zeros and edit the run time in the chapter-level details screen in the Files area (see below).

Click on submit.

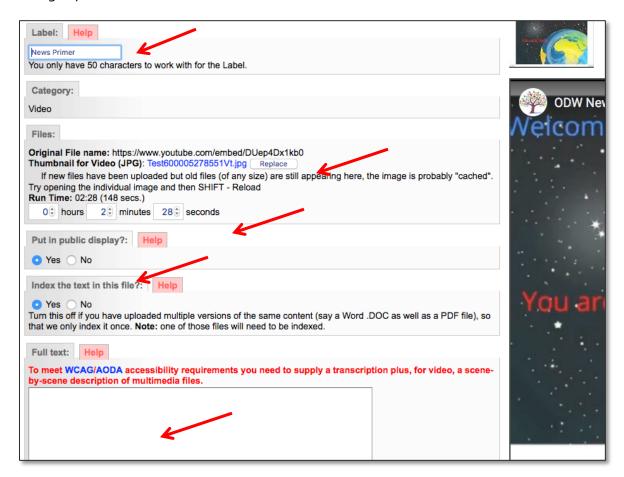
STEP 3: EDITING & REPLACING FILE DETAILS

As with Mp4 videos, on the **details/edit** screen, you have the option to:

- change the video label
- change the run time

- replace the automatically generated thumbnail
- make the video public or non-public (e.g. if you want to keep a video file with the record but not publicly displayed)
- add full text transcriptions at the file level and make the chapter level transcription full text searchable by clicking "Yes" to "Index the text in this file?"

Click on the **update/edit values** button to complete the embed process and commit any changes you have made to the record.

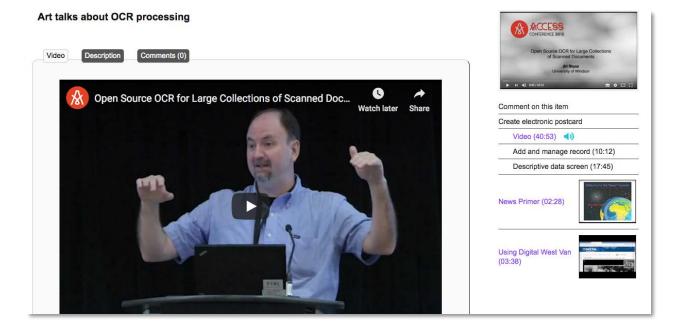


Click on **Update Record** to return to the file/tech screen

Continue adding video chapters as required.

Click on the **Display** tab to preview the video record

Your record, with any mp4 video and embedded video, will look like this:



Once you have loaded all of the videos, you can continue to add descriptive data to the record from the data management screen.

See the Adding and Managing Records manual for information on how to add data to a record on the <u>VITA Toolkit Help</u> site.