

ChatLog 29 Jan 2016

7 Unique Technologies for Genealogy Discoveries at MyHeritage with Mike Mansfield

Q: Please encourage people to add sources when they add people to a database & a "source" listing someone else's tree info is not a source.

A: Thanks.

Audience Question:

Q: My Heritage is a source based system. They do a great job of looking for sources!

A: Great!

Audience Question:

Q: OCR?

A: OCR = Optical Character Recognition. Recent webinar on OCR:

http://familytreewebinars.com/download.php?webinar_id=420

Geoff Rasmussen (to All - Entire Audience): 2:29 PM: Recent article on our blog about OCR:

<http://tinyurl.com/h2m67vw>

Audience Question:

Q: does my heriatge and legacy link in any way?

A: I show a little bit about that in the after-party. In the next version of Legacy there will be a lot more integration.

Audience Question:

Q: do i just stay connected for the after party - sorry im a newby

A: Yes, just stay connected. The after-parties last 5-10 minutes or so.

Audience Question:

Q: are they included in the webinar recordings, or are they separated?

A: There is a link to the after-webinar party in the webinar recording's Table of Contents.

Audience Question:

Q: I am impressed with the philosophy. As a genealogy librarian, I continually caution people about relying on information they find online unless there is verification listed.

A: Thanks.

Audience Question:

Q: The only way you will have an unsourced tree on My Heritage is to upload your gedcom, turn off your computer and never look at the web site again.

A: :)

Geoff Rasmussen (to All - Entire Audience): 2:45 PM: "Foreign Versions of English Names"

Audience Question:

Q: I stopped using myheritage as when I tried during the free period it seemed that other people had access to add people to my tree which I don't like. Is this still happening?

A: I think he mentioned there is the option to have your tree be public and another option for your tree to be private.

Audience Question:

Q: Here's an interesting quote I use in my classes: "If it's on the internet, it's true!" ---Abraham Lincoln

A: :)

Geoff Rasmussen (to All - Entire Audience): 2:50 PM: mike.mansfield@myheritage.com

Audience Question:

Q: Link to subscription costs on MyHeritage.com: <https://www.myheritage.com/FP/search-plans.php?>

A: Thanks!

Audience Question:

Q: Did you say syllabus or handout free for everyone for this webinar? Apologies if I misheard.

A: Yes.

Geoff Rasmussen (to All - Entire Audience): 3:00 PM: <http://blog.myheritage.com/>

Geoff Rasmussen (to All - Entire Audience): 3:10 PM: Annual or monthly webinar membership:
<http://legacy.familytreewebinars.com>