The Friends of the Panama Canal Museum Collection at the University of Florida is composed of individuals who want to help preserve, highlight and provide online access to Panama and Panama Canal related resources.

Uniquely qualified to preserve and provide access to these collections, the George A. Smathers Libraries have one of the largest and most respected Latin American repositories in the world. The Libraries are a Center of Excellence for Panama Canal Commission documents, the Digital Library of the Caribbean and provide access to many Panama and Canal related materials via the UF Digital Collection at http://ufdc.ufl.edu/pcm.

With the transfer of the Panama Canal Museum Collection completed in 2012, over 20,000 objects, photos, books and maps have augmented the UF collection. For more information about supporting the collection, please contact the Office of Development at (352) 273-2505.

How will the Friends use your investment?

- **Preservation** – Protect, preserve and digitize the collection
- **Access** – Promote and expand access to the collection's digital library space
- **Collection** – Collaborate with other universities, libraries and museums to acquire additional research materials to expand and exhibit the Panama Canal Museum Collection

We invite you to join the Friends to help the George A. Smathers Libraries support the digitization, preservation and processing of the Panama Canal Museum Collection, and to provide for global access through local, traveling and online exhibits.

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**Annual Member Benefits**

**Student Friend** $15 (Individual)

- **Gaillard (Canal Builder)**
  - Individual $26+
  - Two household members $50+

- **Gorgas (Professional)** $125+
- **Stevens (Leadership)** $250+
- **Goethals (Executive)** $500+
- **Roosevelt (Presidential)** $1,000+

- **Two household members**

**Friends at all levels receive the following:**

- Chapter One, the newsletter of the Friends of the George A. Smathers Libraries

**Friends at the Gorgas level also receive:**

- Borrowing privileges, e-mail invitations to lectures, exhibitions, educational and cultural activities and events

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**Friends at the Roosevelt level also receive:**

- Invitations to exclusive social functions

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“I am a part of everything that I have read.”

Theodore Roosevelt

“It has been said that, at its best, preservation engages the past in a conversation with the present over a mutual concern for the future.”

William J. Murtagh

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I want to be a 2015 Friend of the Panama Canal Museum Collection at the University of Florida!

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**Method of Payment:**

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Make check out to: UFF/#017863 Friends of the PCM Collection.

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