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Langmuir photo collection now online and open to Emory users



The [Manuscript, Archives, and Rare Book Library](#) (MARBL) at Emory University has launched the online site of the digitized Robert Langmuir African American Photograph Collection, available to the Emory community.

This rare collection of nearly 12,000 pictures depicts African American life from the late 19th and early 20th century - soldiers, teachers, musicians, students, families, nurses, religious leaders, artists, chemists, and more - people from all walks of life. The collection was acquired by MARBL in 2012 from photograph collector Robert Langmuir of Philadelphia.

Images from the Langmuir collection are accessible to Emory faculty, staff, and students with an active Emory user ID through the [Luna Digital Media Gallery](#).

[Read more about the online collection](#)

[MARBL finding aid: Robert Langmuir African American photograph collection](#)

Photo: Portrait of unidentified children, undated. Robert Langmuir African American Photograph Collection at MARBL, Emory University.

Photographer Stephanie Dowda is Atlanta Intersections guest on Oct. 8

Atlanta-based photographer Stephanie Dowda is the opening guest in the 2014-15 [Atlanta Intersections series](#) on Wednesday, Oct. 8, at 6:30 p.m. in the Jones Room at the Woodruff Library.

Dowda's photography explores how the natural world can evoke emotions and memory, adding to a sensation of place. The audience will be treated to examples of Dowda's photographic interpretation of Atlanta and other Southern areas and a discussion of her creative process. The series is led by Randy Gue, curator of modern political and historical collections at Emory's Manuscript, Archives, and Rare Book Library (MARBL).



[Stephanie Dowda website](#)

[Jesse Peel: Previous guest in Atlanta Intersections series at Emory University](#)

Image: "Sense of Awakening" by Stephanie Dowda.

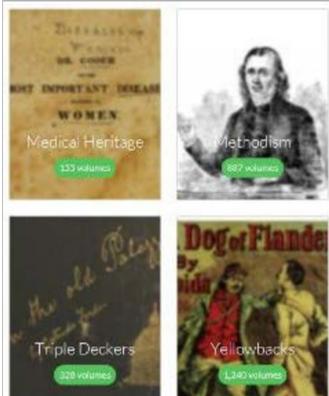
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