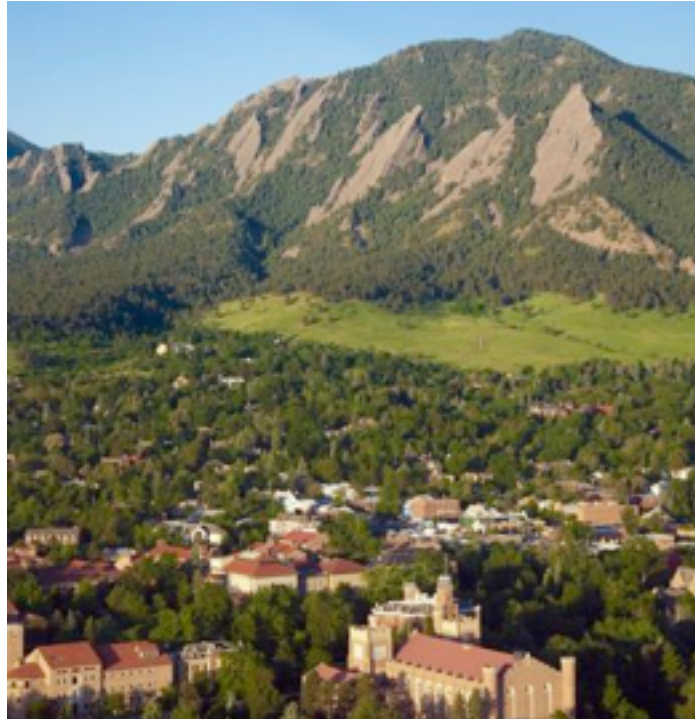


Visiting Research Fellowships Available



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Examples of Collections at the AMRC

Sheet Music: Over 200,000 pieces of sheet music dating from the mid-eighteenth century to the present, with particular strength in the Tin Pan Alley era. The collection includes songs which describe every aspect of American life and history.

Early American Sacred Music: Over 1,500 tune books and hymnals from the earliest days of music printing in America. Includes first and early editions of important musical publications of the era, works by William Billings, Lowell Mason and John Wesley.

Susan Porter: Paper records and sound recordings of the Great Black Swamp Dulcimer Festival that Porter directed for fifteen years.

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Dave Grusin, CU Alum and Film Composer: Original scores, parts, and sketches for compositions for films, TV shows, concerts and commercials.

Carrie Jacobs-Bond (1862-1946), Parlor Songwriter: Clippings, photos and scrapbooks of the first woman to sell a million copies of her song "I Love You Truly" (1901).

Jean Berger: Manuscripts and published music, photographs, journals, correspondence and writings of this nationally prominent American composer.

Cecil Effinger: Manuscripts and early printings of many works, photographs, personal papers and three Effinger Musicwriters.

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Karl Kroeger, Professor and Librarian: Original musical compositions, publications, programs, writings and Colonial-era tune books.

Perry Como: TV program scripts, musical scores and arrangements, awards, recordings, music books, pamphlets, sheet music, photographs and similar materials from his long time director **Nick Perito**.

Glenn Miller: Manuscripts, recordings, personal papers, class notes, business records, artifact, and other materials relating to the Swing era's most successful and beloved band leader.

Colorado Folk Music: More than 500 tapes collected by late CU English professor, Ben Gray Lumpkin and others, fully digitized and available on line.

Normand Lockwood: Lockwood's manuscripts and early publications for his original (in some cases, unpublished) compositions, correspondence, teaching materials, family mementos and recordings.

Austin Lovelace: Original compositions, manuscripts, business records, and personal papers of one of America's greatest modern hymn writers.

Walter Collins's College Songbooks: More than 200 19th- and 20th-century college songbooks that contain fight songs, alma maters, original tunes and arrangements of folk songs and popular music for local use.

College of Music: Manuscripts, personal papers and **Recorded Oral Histories** for several notable former faculty members and prominent Boulder musicians including George Crumb, Effinger and Berger (mentioned separately), Storm Bull, Berton Coffin, Charles Eakin, Howard Waltz and Warner Imig.

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