



Coalition for Canadian
Digital Heritage

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An Update from CCDH: Building on our Principles to Advance Canada's Digital Heritage

Introduction



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A National Strategy: The Beginning

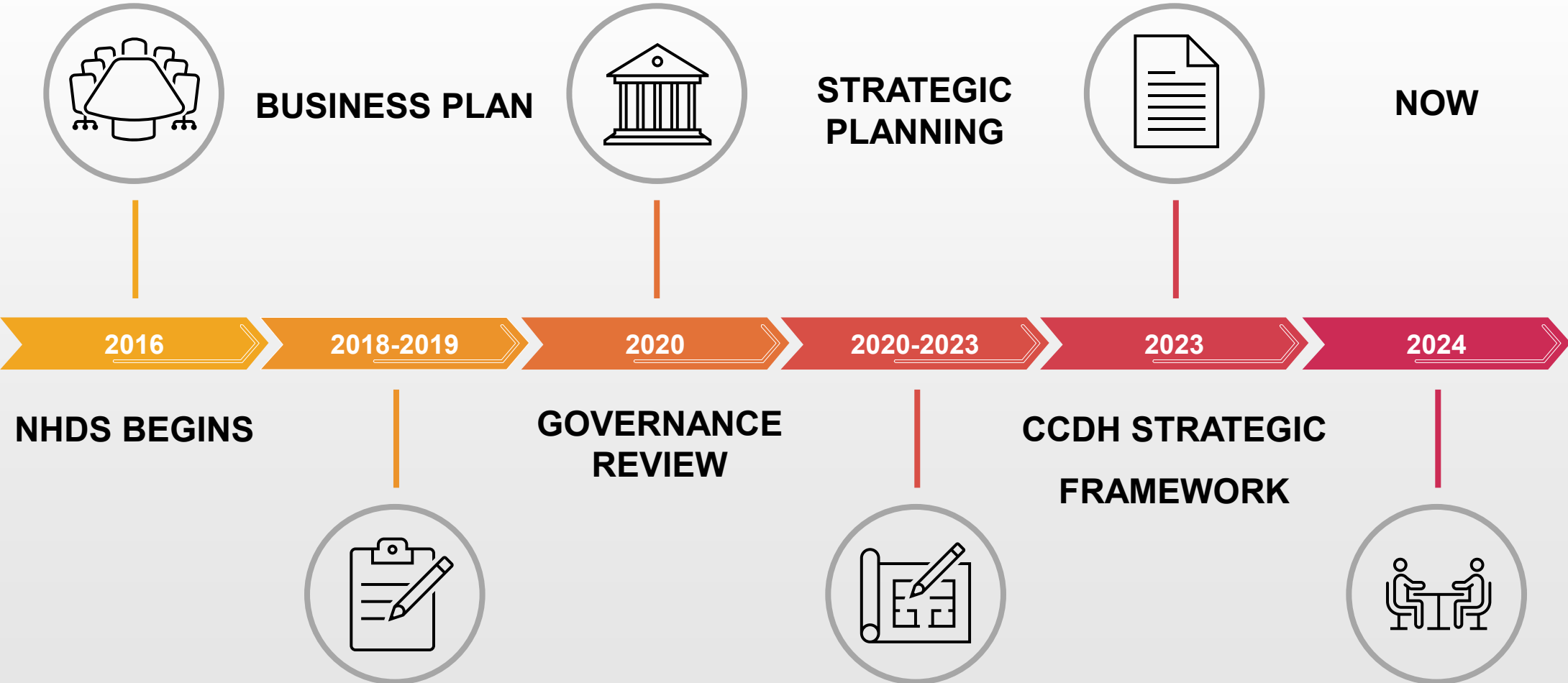
CCDH (formerly the NHDS) announced in June 2016 plans to coordinate digitization of documentary heritage from across Canada.

- Developed NHDS Strategy
- Formed a nation-wide Steering Committee
- Raised \$1.1M in private donations to support 21 projects
- Published a variety of resources

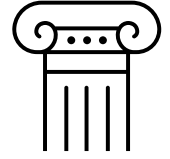


NHDS foundational assembly, Oct. 2016
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Phases of Our Development



Our Core Pillars



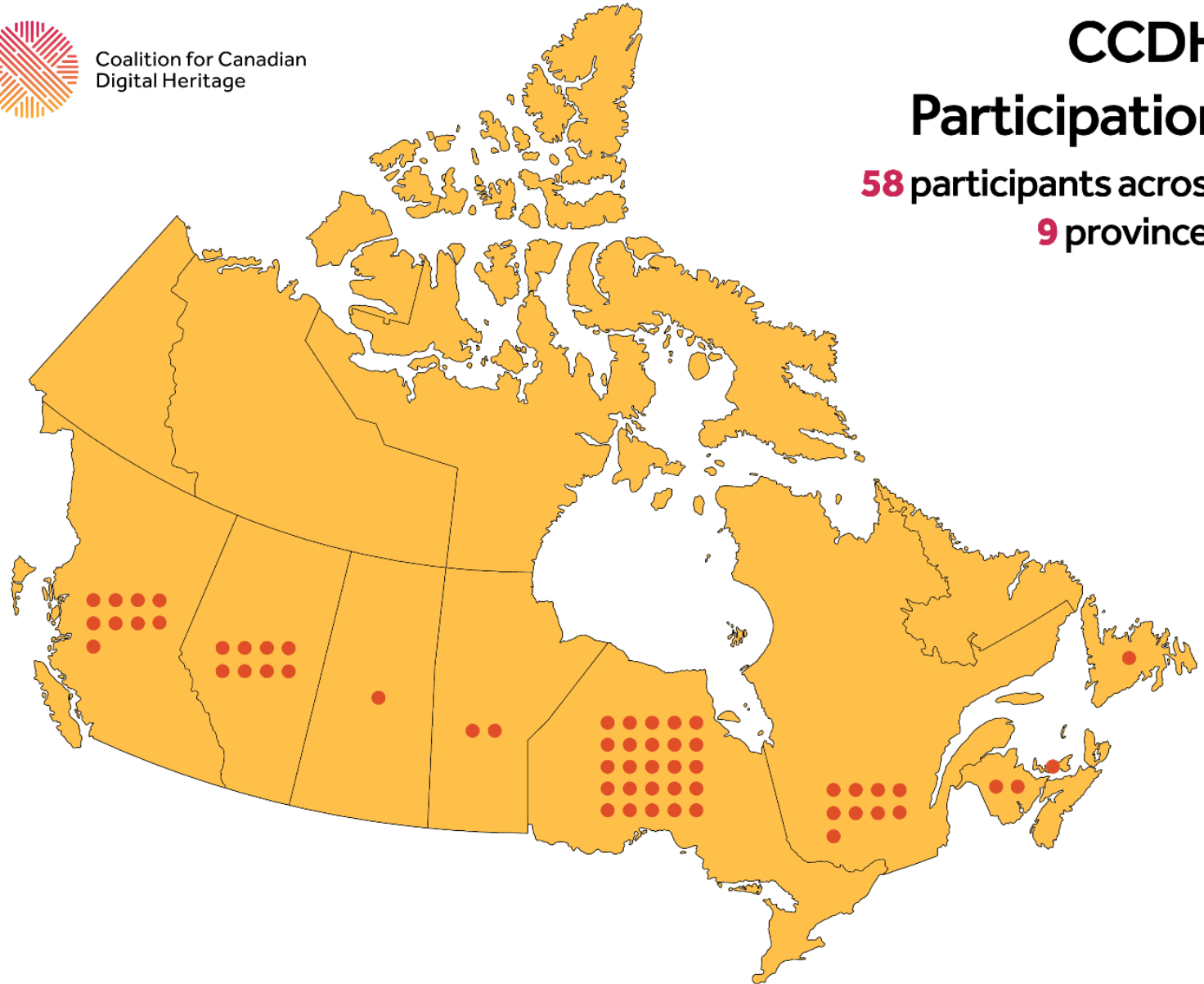
The work of the CCDH is guided by the following pillars:

- It is our responsibility and promise to future generations to preserve the digitized heritage of Canada.
- We intentionally and respectfully surface the diverse stories of Canada's past, as told from many voices and perspectives.
- Justice, human rights, and sustainability are advanced through equitable and respectful access to the digitized heritage of Canada.

Who are We?



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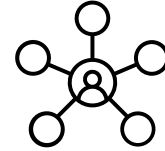


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Participation

58 participants across
9 provinces

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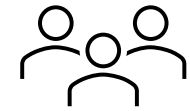
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CCDH: Who are We?



The Coalition for Canadian Digital Heritage (CCDH) is a :

cross-sectoral coalition of memory organizations

inclusive community of practice

provides a collaborative framework

advocate for a sustainable future

For Discussion

As outlined in our Strategic Framework, we believe in the power of national discussions to amplify collaboration and move forward together. **In the spirit of collaboration, what existing forum could be used as a partner to host this kind of event?** Are there prescient topics that could specifically be addressed by a CCDH-led event? How do we ensure that we have good representation from across the GLAM sector?



For Discussion

One of the strengths of CCDH is that it is a multi-sector coalition. While we have strong representation from the academic library world, how do we better engage with our public library colleagues; the Archives, Museums, and Galleries communities; and, marginalized and equity-deserving groups. What are some of the opportunities to engage with these key stakeholders? **Relatedly, how do we strengthen and sustain good cross sectoral representation nationally?**



Report Back

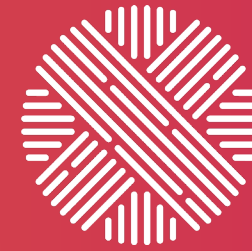
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Thank you!
