

## Dynamic Slideshow Display in Horizon 856 tags

Dynamic Slideshow is designed to display a set of images with a single URL reference. The URL contains two parts:

1. **Header:** `http://edan.si.edu/slideshow/slideshowViewer.htm?` This header must exist for every slideshow URL. Don't forget the question mark as part the header.
2. **DAMS path:** `damspath=/Public_Sets/NMAH/NMAH-AC/AC0001` The "`damspath=`" string must follows the header. The actual image path will be either the folder or category you use inside of DAMS, every archives unit will have different folders or categories. Examples:

```
http://edan.si.edu/slideshow/slideshowViewer.htm?damspath=/Public_Sets/NMAH/NMAH-AC/AC0001
http://edan.si.edu/slideshow/slideshowViewer.htm?damspath=/Public_Sets/NMAH/NMAH-
AC/AC0124/S2/B3/F1/
http://edan.si.edu/slideshow/slideshowViewer.htm?damspath=/CollectionsOnline/gilddoro/Box_0001/fo
lder_001/
http://edan.si.edu/slideshow/slideshowViewer.htm?damspath=/CollectionsOnline/gilddoro/Box_0002/fo
lder_011/
```

**(When you create the path in DAMS, only use alphabets, numbers, underscores and hyphens. Do not use spaces or special characters such as #, \$, %, ^, &, \* , " etc.)**

The 856 tag should look like the example below. Please make sure \$2, \$3, \$z and \$i contain exact values as shown below. Different systems will use these values to determine the display behaviors.

```
856 1 $2http
      $3ImageSet
      $9http://ids.si.edu/ids/deliveryService?id=NMAH-AC0001-0000003&max=150 (how to use IDS)
      $uhttp://edan.si.edu/slideshow/slideshowViewer.htm?damspath=/Public_Sets/NMAH/NMAH-
      AC/AC0001
      $zSlideshow
      $islideshowHTML
```

\$9 references the thumbnail and its size,

\$u references the dynamic slideshow URL according to the images located in specific folder or category in the DAMS.

Make sure your images in the DAMS are marked for public.

**If you have any questions, please contact Ching-hsien Wang via Smithsonian Email.**

To learn how to link a single image using a 856 tag, [click here](#).

Document location: <http://sirismm.si.edu/siris/SlideshowLink856tags.pdf>

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