

1125-M1-111      **Thomas Philip Wakefield\*** (tpwakefield@ysu.edu). *Compiling a History of the Youngstown State Department of Mathematics and Statistics.*

To commemorate the 100th anniversary of the Ohio Section of the MAA, we assembled a history of the Department of Mathematics and Statistics at Youngstown State. Sources include school newspaper articles, undergraduate bulletins, a written history of the University and earlier compiled history of the Department, and interviews conducted with current and past members of the Department for an oral history collection. In this talk, we will discuss what we learned about the Department and share tips regarding the assembly of a history of a math department. (Received July 30, 2016)