# Aeon2Alma

**Distinctive Collections Reading Room Management Through Alma** 



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# **Background**

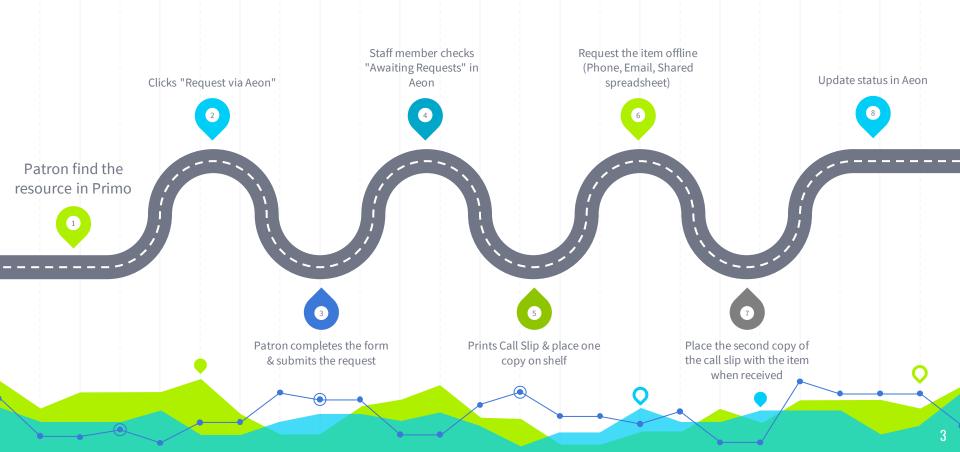
# **Organizational Units**

- Special Collections
- University Archives
- Manuscripts & Archives
- Cuban Heritage Center
- Architectural Resource Center

# **Physical Locations**

- Main Library (Richter)
- Architecture Library
- Off-Site Storage (Miami Lakes)

# **Legacy Process**



# Aeon

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### Main Menu

## New Requests

- → Book
- → Periodical
- → Manuscripts, Archives and Others

### View

- → Review Requests
- Outstanding Requests
- → Cancelled Requests
- → History Requests
- → All Requests

## Orders

- → Order Billing → Delivered Items

# Events

→ Events

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# **AtoM Workflow**



# **Activities Workflow**

- List of Activities
- Activity Parameters
  - Date Range
  - Items being used
  - Users
- Clone Activity

# ISSUES

- Lack of Inventory Management
- Siloed Systems

# Goals

**Better Tracking** 



**Single Point-of-Service** 

**Unified Staff Operations** 



**Reading Room Bookings** 



# Aeon2Alma Working Group

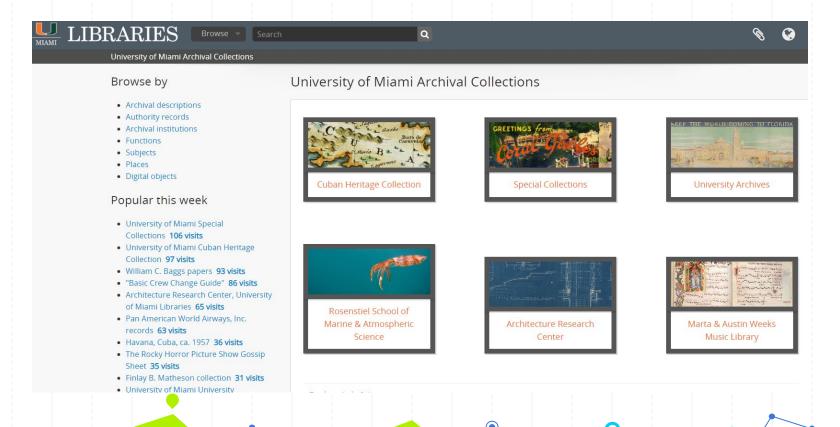
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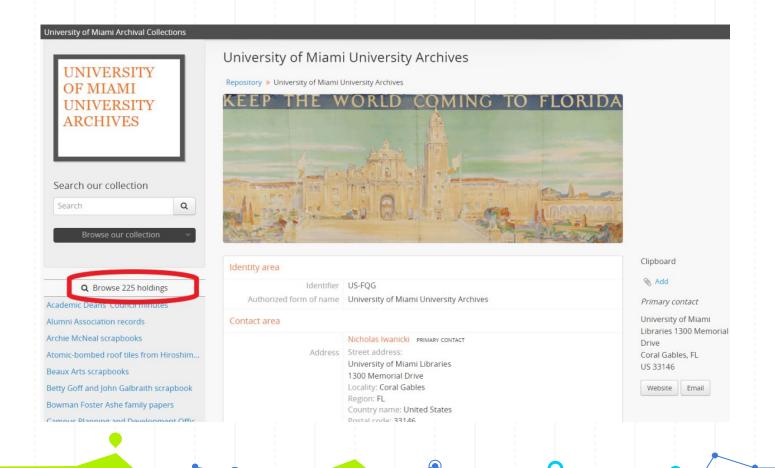
- 1. Help with the transition from Aeon to Alma.
- 2. Help researchers whose primary method of locating information resources is via Primo.

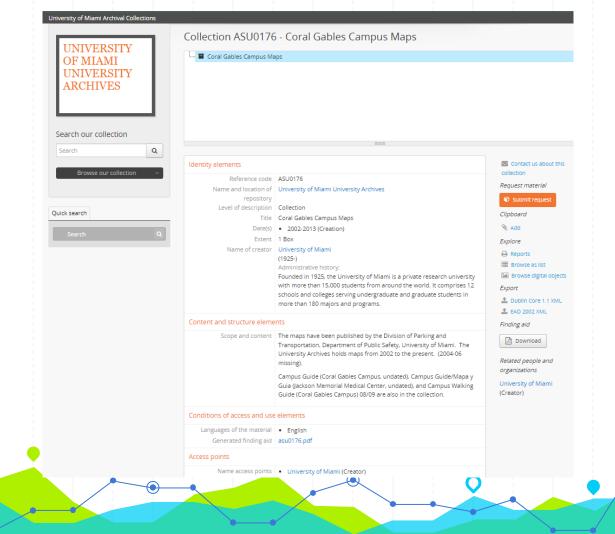


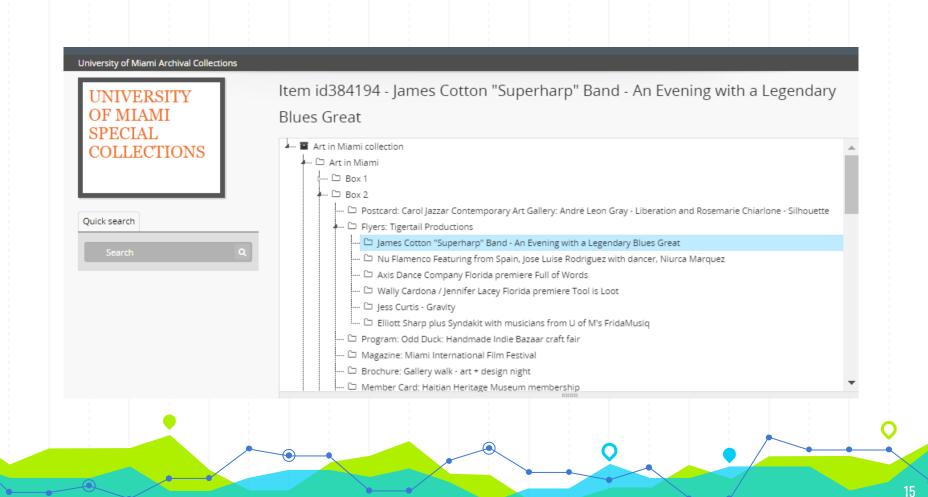
# Migration of Archival Collection Records from AtoM to ALMA

# How is the information presented in AtoM?









# <ead> Encoded Archival Description

# What is it?

- XML standard for encoding archival finding aids maintained by the Society of American Archivists and the LoC.
- EAD reflects the hierarchical structure of archival collections, and allows for describing both the collection as a whole and its individual parts.

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# **Migration Process from AtoM (EAD) to Alma (MARC)**

Mapping EAD to MARC

**Exporting EAD** from AtoM

MarcEdit Transformations (EAD>MARCXML> MARC)

Cleaning up and enhancing MARC records

Create Import Profiles in Alma and upload records

DACS element	MARC field/EAD element
	LDR
	008
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2.1.3 Local identifier	099 \$\$a <archdesc><unitid></unitid></archdesc>
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Reproduction and Use	from the repository and the copyright holder.
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Admininstrative/Biographical History	
4.5 Languages and Scripts of the Material	546 \$\$a Text in <langmaterial><language></language></langmaterial>
4.6 Finding Aids	555 0_ \$\$a Finding aid contains complete full description of the collection: \$\$u <eadid>@url</eadid>
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# Mapping between EAD and MARC based on DACS

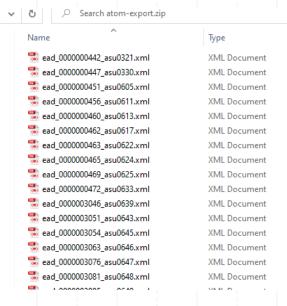
https://saa-tsdacs.github.io/dacs/09 appendices /03 appendix c crosswalks.html# dacs-to-ead-and-marc



# **Exporting EAD xml records from AtoM**

nToAlma > Files > atom-export.zip

- In AtoM, run the export tasks available from the server
- Export by repository

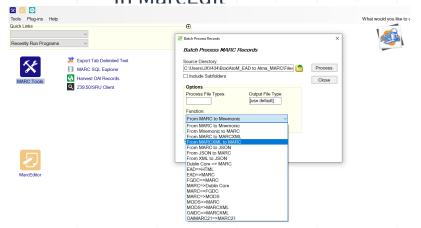


# **MarcEdit Transformations (EAD>MARCXML>MARC)**

- From EAD to MARCXML
  - Customize XSLT for the EAD-MARC transformation in MarcEdit



- From MARCXML>MARC
  - Running a second transformation in MarcEdit

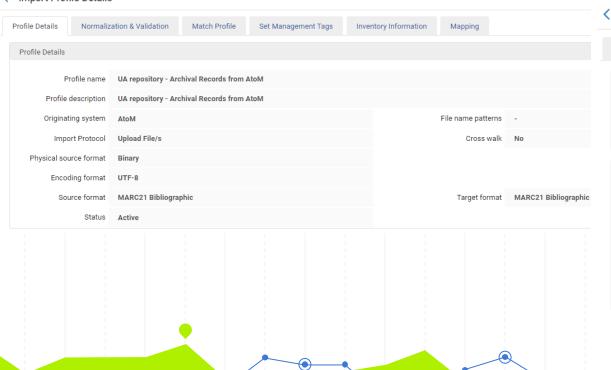


# Cleaning up and enhancing the resulting MARC records

 Combine all MARC records into 1 single file using MARCJoin function. Manual clean-up activities in the MarcEdit Editor.

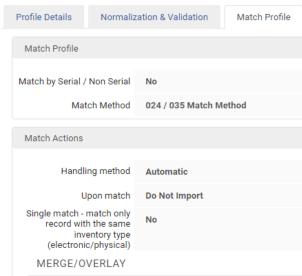
# **Importing MARC records into Alma**

### Import Profile Details



# Match method based on Collection ID (024)

Import Profile Details



024 Other Standard Identifier (R) 5

# Main issues/challenges

# Tension between archival and bibliographic descriptions

Fundamentally, we're trying to make two different models of description (the archival and the bibliographic) be equal.

# **Tedious process**

- You need to be familiar with MarcEdit
- Probably need to customize the transformation to match your needs
- A lot of clean-up/editing is needed

# **Final result**

University Archives Manuscripts ASU0019 Hide Details

(1 copy, 1 available, 0 requests)

1 - 1 of 1 Records

BARCODE TYPE POLICY DESCRIPTION STATU

Archival material Not loanable Item in place Request via Aeon 🖸

Details

Title College of Engineering records, 1952-1988.

Author University of Miami. College of Engineering., creator >

Contributor University of Miami. Library. University Archives, host institution >

**Description** This collection contains official records and various reports of the School of Engineering from 1952 to 1988.

Finding Aid Finding aid contains full description of the collection: https://atom.library.miami.edu/index.php/asu0019

Subjects University of Miami -- History >

Creation Date 1952-1988 Format 4 boxes Language English

Biography/History The College of Engineering (previously named the School of Engineering) was established in 1947. The

College is housed in the McArthur Engineering building, a 120,000-square-foot complex with state-of-theart laboratories and facilities, which is comprised of five departments that offer BS, MS, PhD and executive education programs in Biomedical Engineering; Civil, Architectural and Environmental Engineering; Electrical and Computer Engineering; Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering; and Industrial Engineering. The College of Engineering is recognized for the quality and diversity of its faculty, students, and curricula

and is noted for educating tomorrow's technology leaders for career success.

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Cite As Cite as: College of Engineering records, University of Miami University Archives

Source 01UOML\_ALMA



# **AtoM -> Primo Link**

- Use Collection ID as the main search parameter
- Issues with direct to item addressed later

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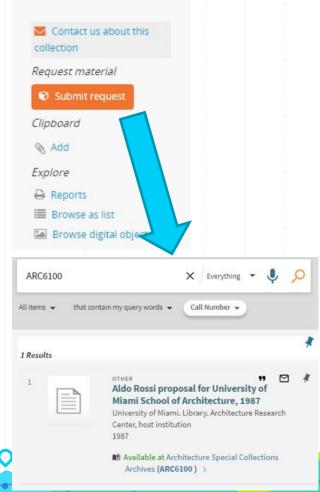
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# EAD ID example:

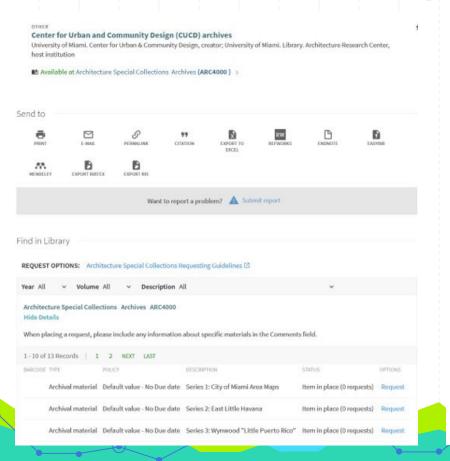
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# Title example:

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# **AtoM Deep Link Issues**



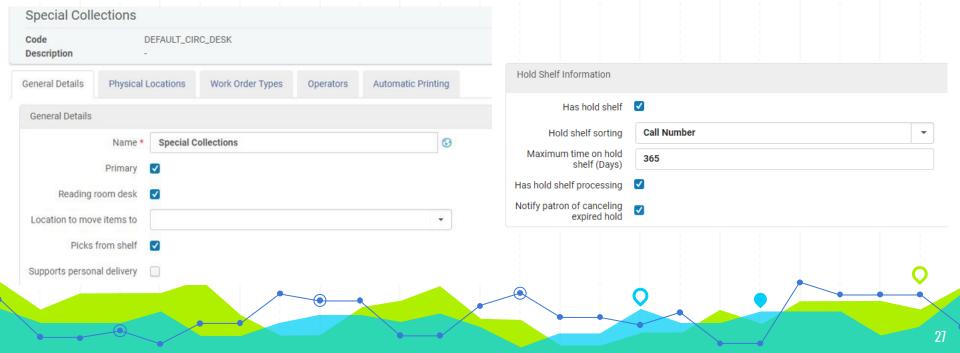
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Archival material	Default value - No Due date	Series 2: East Little Havana	Item in place (0 requests)	Request
Archival material	Default value - No Due date	Series 3: Wynwood "Little Puerto Rico"	Item in place (0 requests)	Request
Archival material	Default value - No Due date	Series 4: Naranja	Item in place (0 requests)	Request
Archival material	Default value - No Due date	Series 5: Miami-Dade County	Item in place (0 requests)	Request
Archival material	Default value - No Due date	Series 6: Dominican Republic	Item in place (0 requests)	Request
Archival material	Default value - No Due date	Series 7: Coral Gables	Item in place (0 requests)	Request
Archival material	Default value - No Due date	Series 8: Haiti	Item in place (0 requests)	Request
Archival material	Default value - No Due date	Series 9: Coconut Grove	Item in place (0 requests)	Request
Archival material	Default value - No Due date	Series 10: Havana, Cuba	Item in place (0 requests)	Request

# **Alma Config**

- Circulation desk
- Fulfillment unit rules (loan/booking)
- Relationships

# **Circulation desk**

- 'Reading Room" and "Has Hold Shelf"
- Note: Reading room circ desk cannot be used for physical item requests

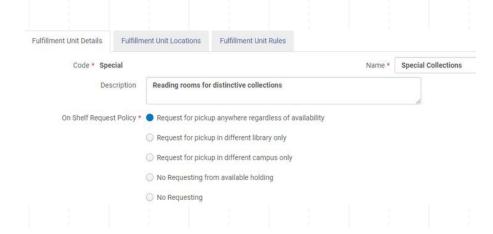


# **Fulfillment Unit Rules/Terms of Use**

- Loan rules and booking rules
- Preview period important for scanning /print slips/hold shelf

Loan Rule

**Booking Rule** 



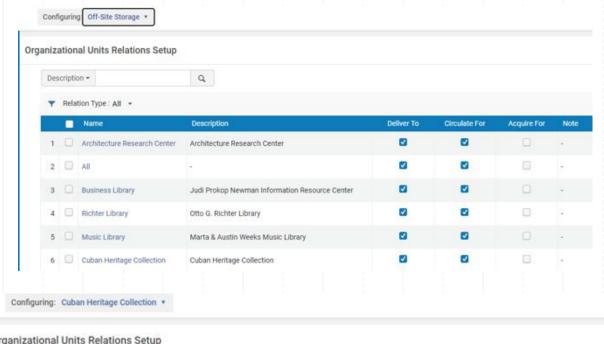
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1	Is Loanable	In Reading Room Only	In Reading Room Only

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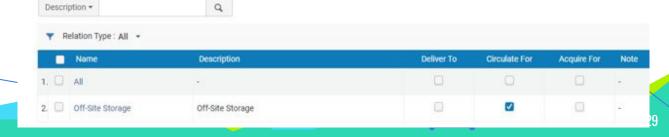
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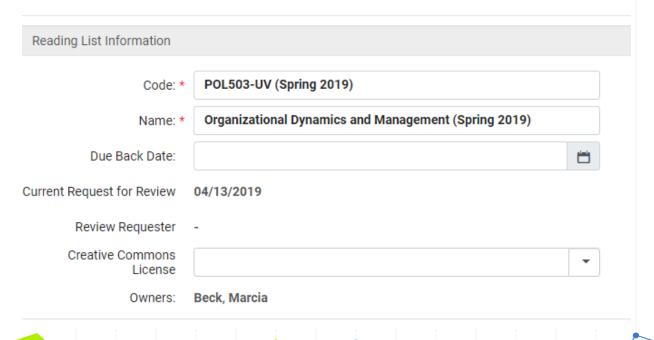


### Organizational Units Relations Setup



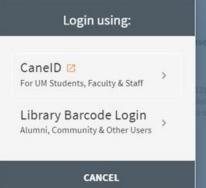
# **Activities**

# **Edit Reading List**



# **External Patron Registration**

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# **Booking Process**

# Find in Library

Material Type:			
Pickup Location:	Architecture Special	Collections Reading Room	
Check availability			
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End Time:	08/25/2022	×	
Comment:			

Start Time:

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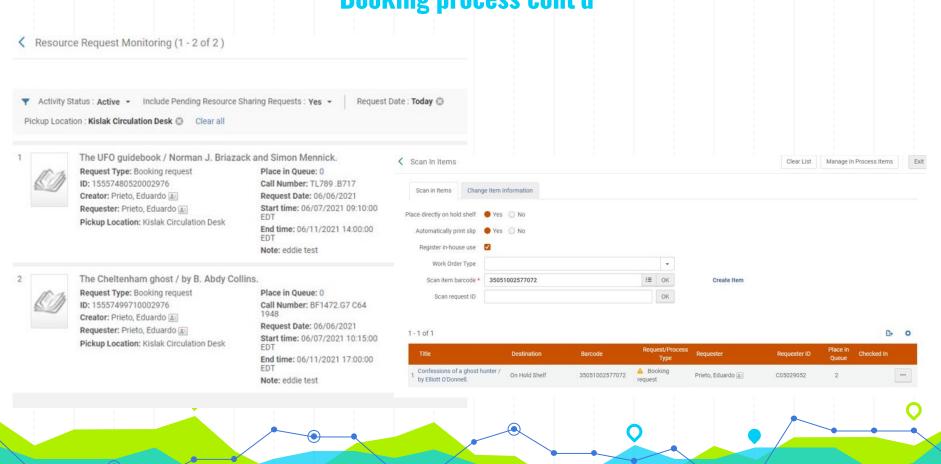
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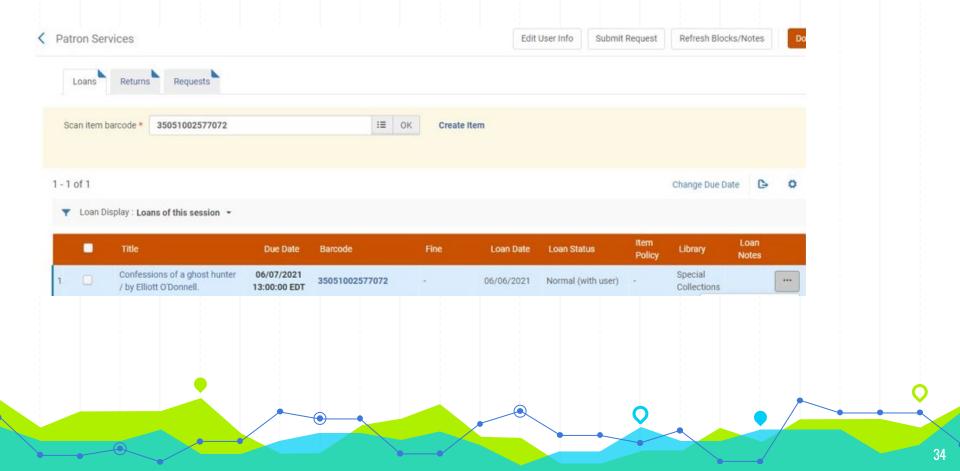
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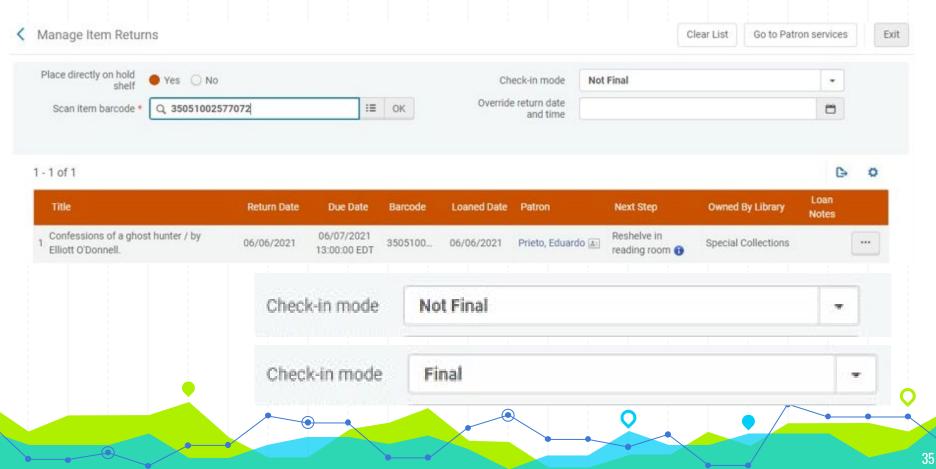
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# **Loan process**



# Loan process cont'd



# **Aeon Historical Data**

- Missing out on the historical data with Aeon
- Request Aeon database credentials
- https://support.atlas-sys.com/hc/en-us/articles/360011920753-Aeon-Access-Reports

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