How to prevent the download of digital files in the discovery interface

Explanation and Live Demonstration

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- It is possible to prevent users from being able to download digital files while viewing them in the discovery interface.
- This is done via a configuration in the access right which is attributed to the digital representation.

Before we prevent the download

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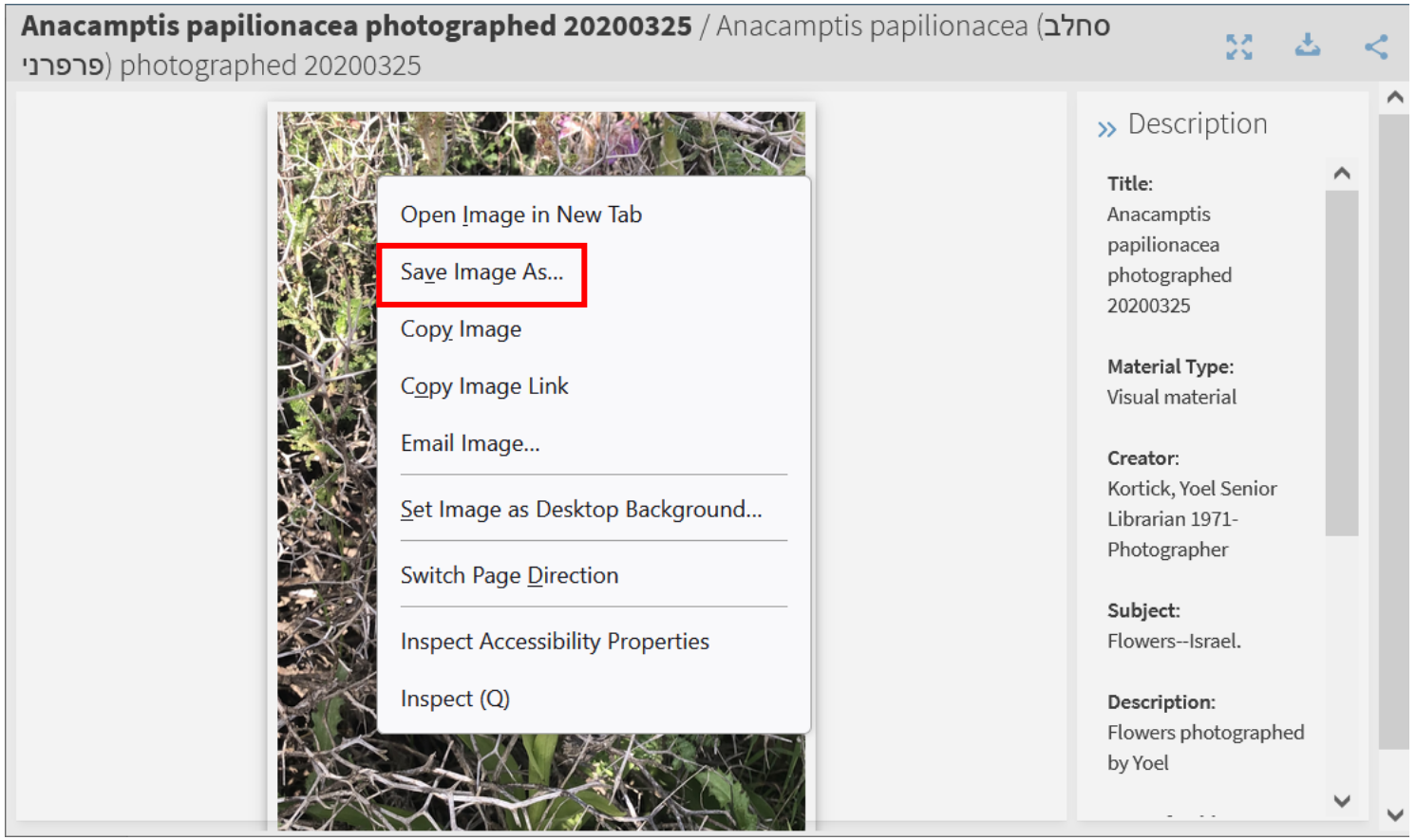
- Here we are in Primo viewing an image in the Alma Viewer from the title “Anacamptis papilionacea photographed 20200325”.

Before we prevent the download

- Note also the “Save Image As” option when right-clicking the image



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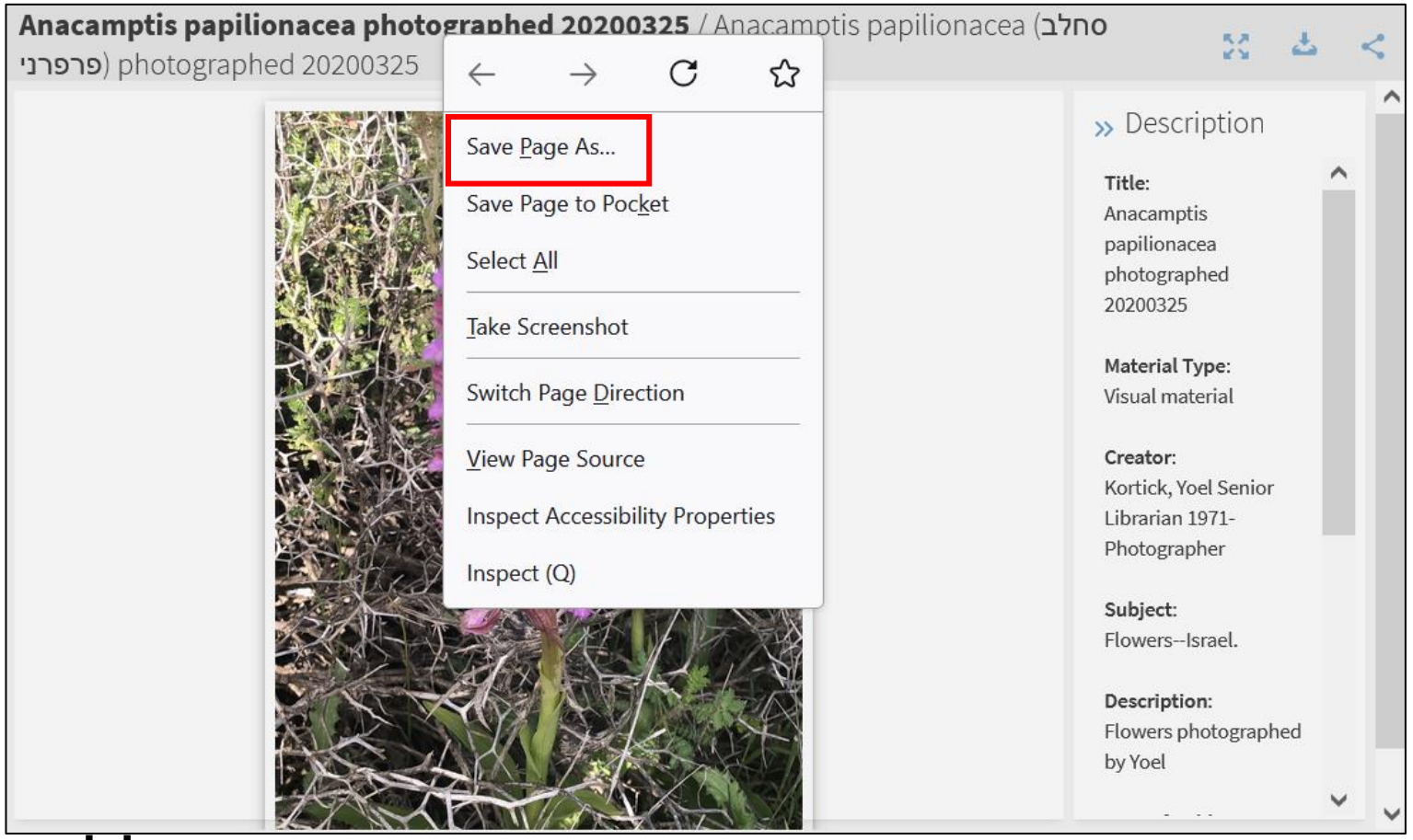
- Note also that if we right-click the banner and do “save page as”…



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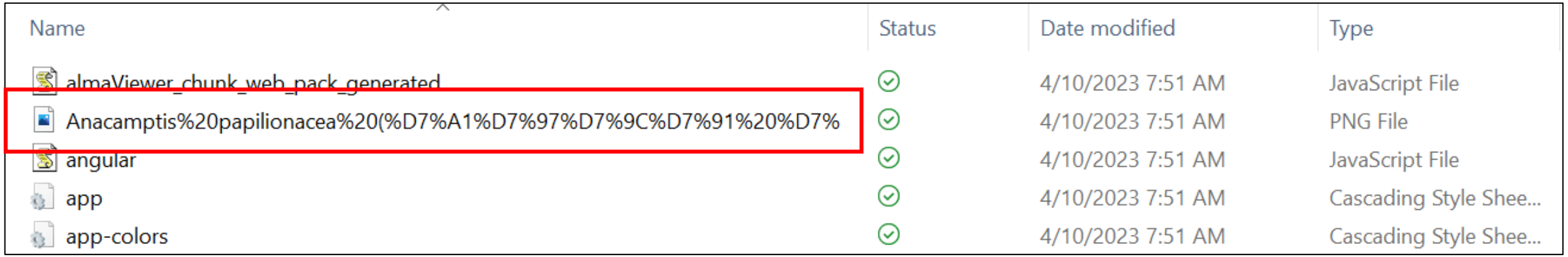
- The image is downloaded in the folder of the downloaded page



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app	✓	4/10/2023 7:51 AM	Cascading Style Shee...
app-colors	✓	4/10/2023 7:51 AM	Cascading Style Shee...

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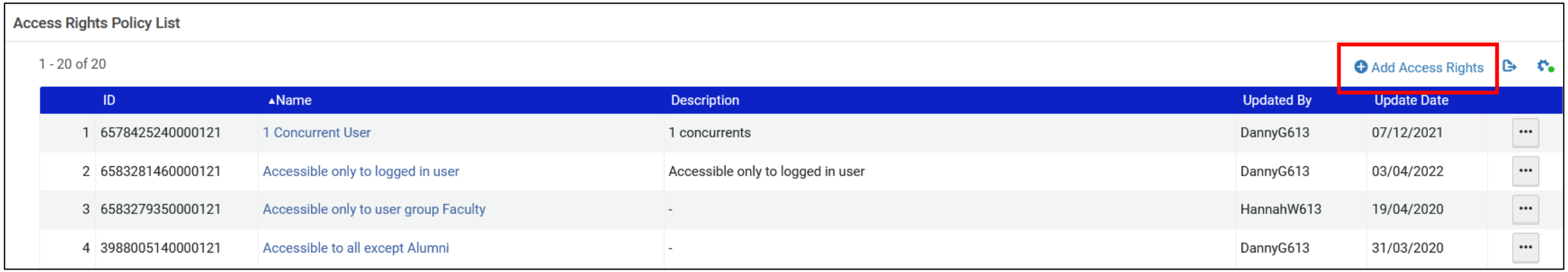
- At “Configuration > Fulfillment > Copyright Management > Access Rights” we will create new access right.



	ID	Name	Description	Updated By	Update Date
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2	6583281460000121	Accessible only to logged in user	Accessible only to logged in user	DannyG613	03/04/2022
3	6583279350000121	Accessible only to user group Faculty	-	HannahW613	19/04/2020
4	3988005140000121	Accessible to all except Alumni	-	DannyG613	31/03/2020

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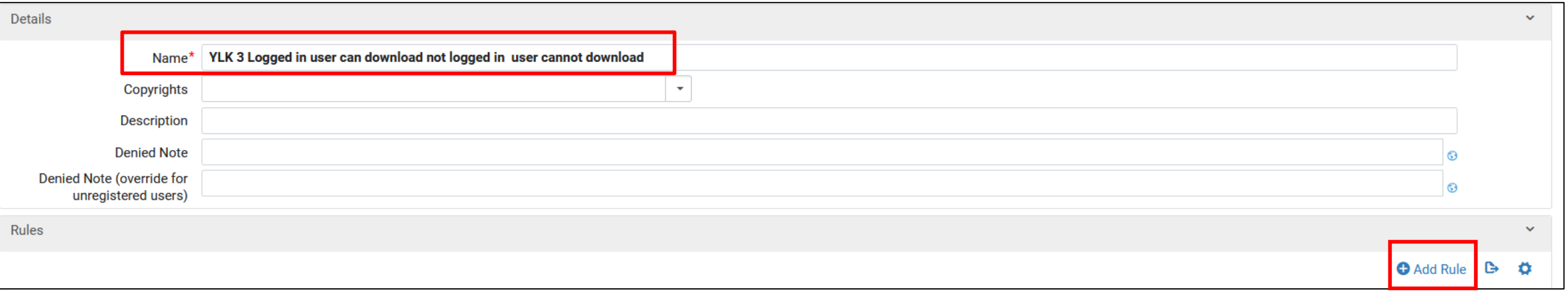
- We will call it “YLK 3 Logged in user can download not logged in user cannot download” and add a rule.



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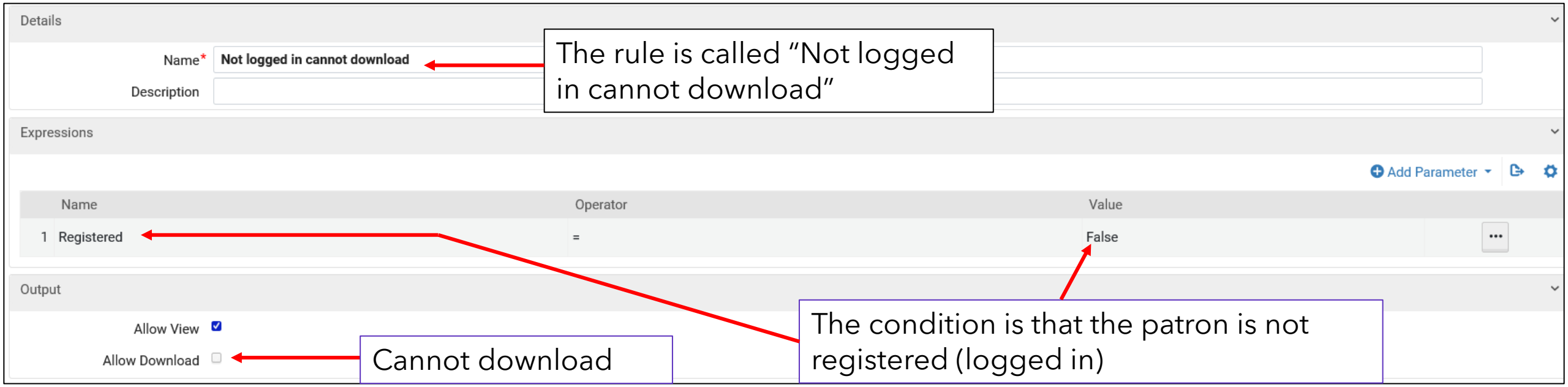
- In the rule we will state “Registered = False” and not check “Allow Download”



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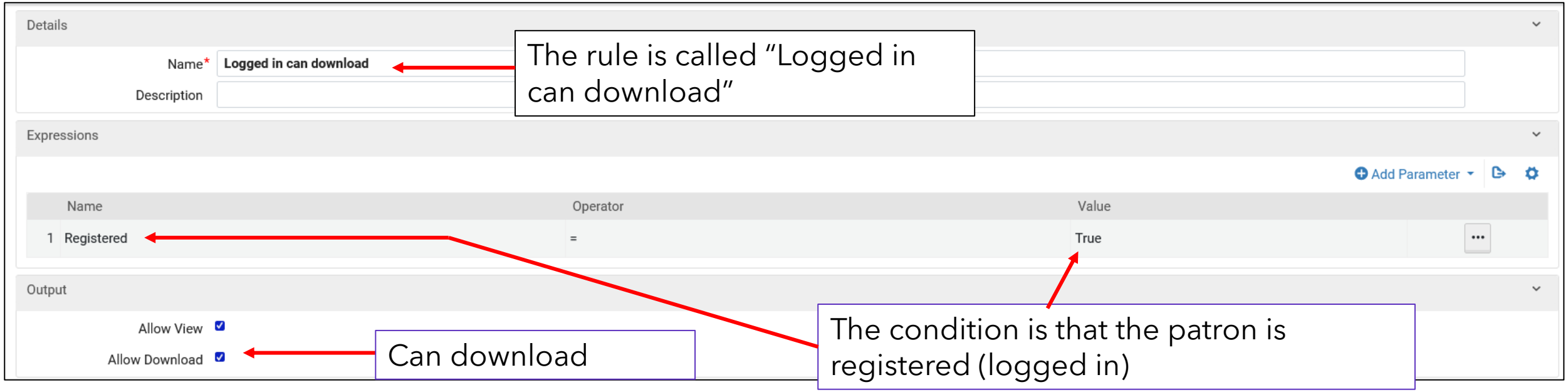
- Now we create another rule and state “Registered = True” and do check “Allow Download”



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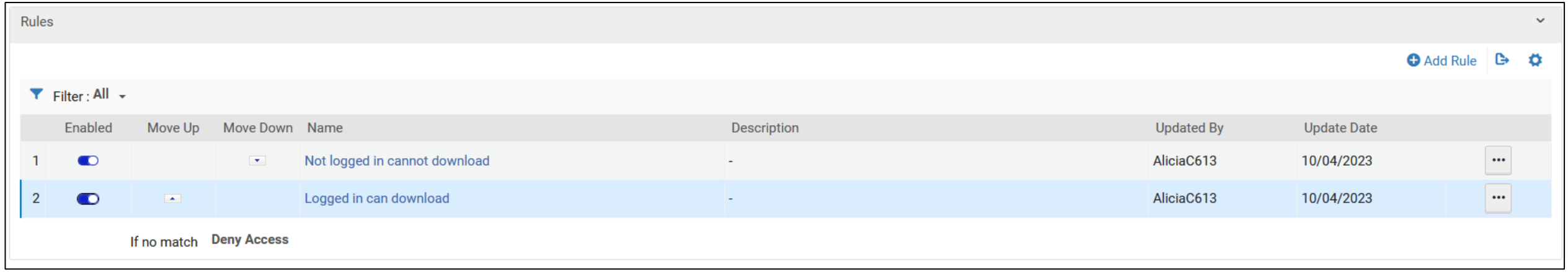
- Now the access right has two rules



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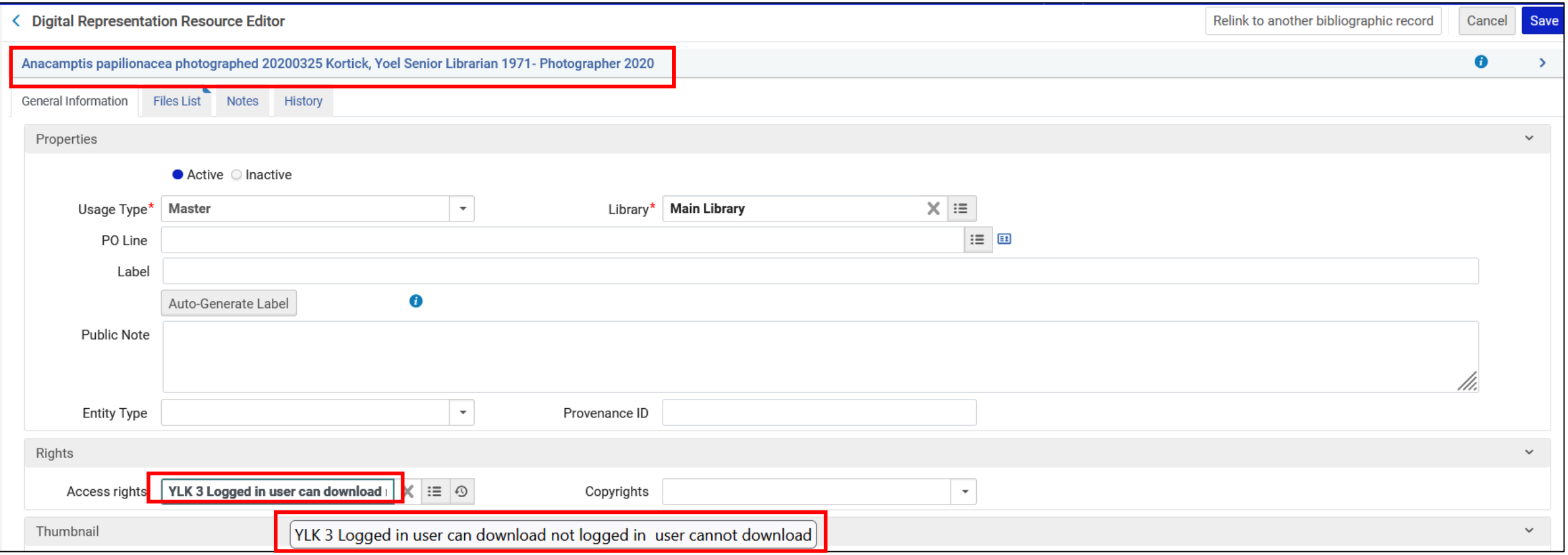
- We attribute the access right to the representation for title "Anacamptis papilionacea photographed 20200325"



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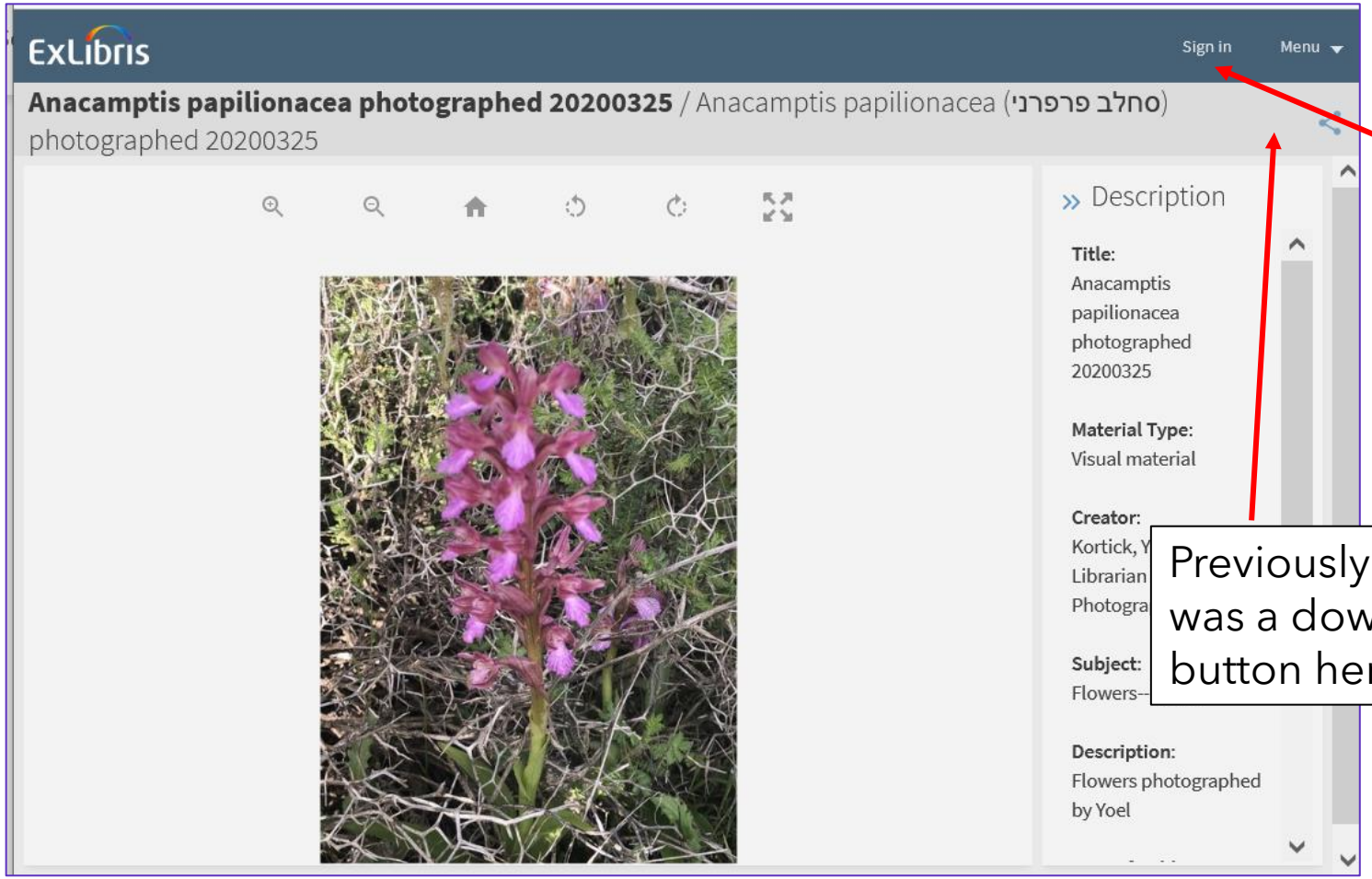
- Now in Primo when not logged in we no longer have the download button



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- Right clicking the image does nothing when not logged in

Previously we could right click and choose "Save Image As". Now when right clicking nothing happens

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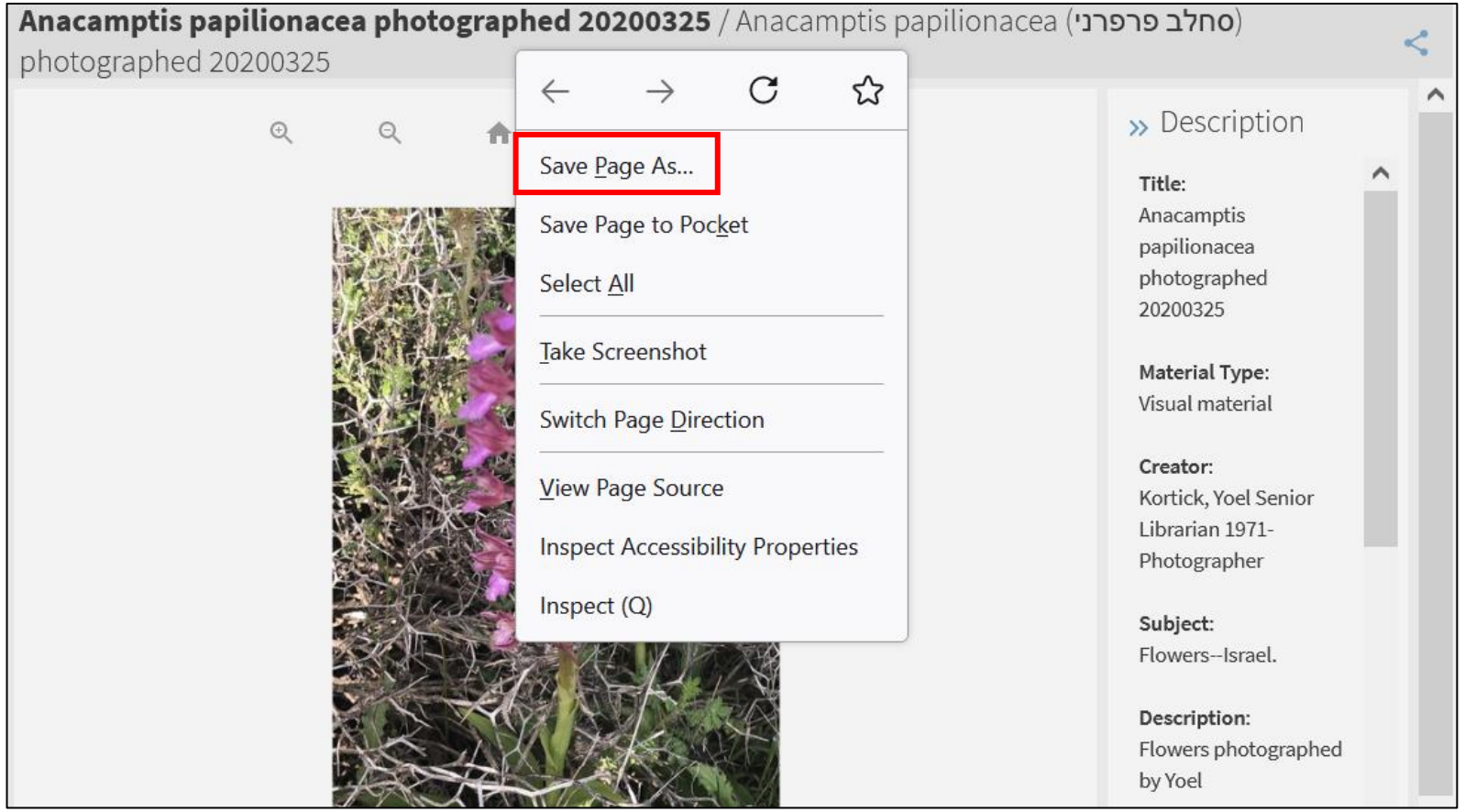
- Let’s again download the page when not logged in



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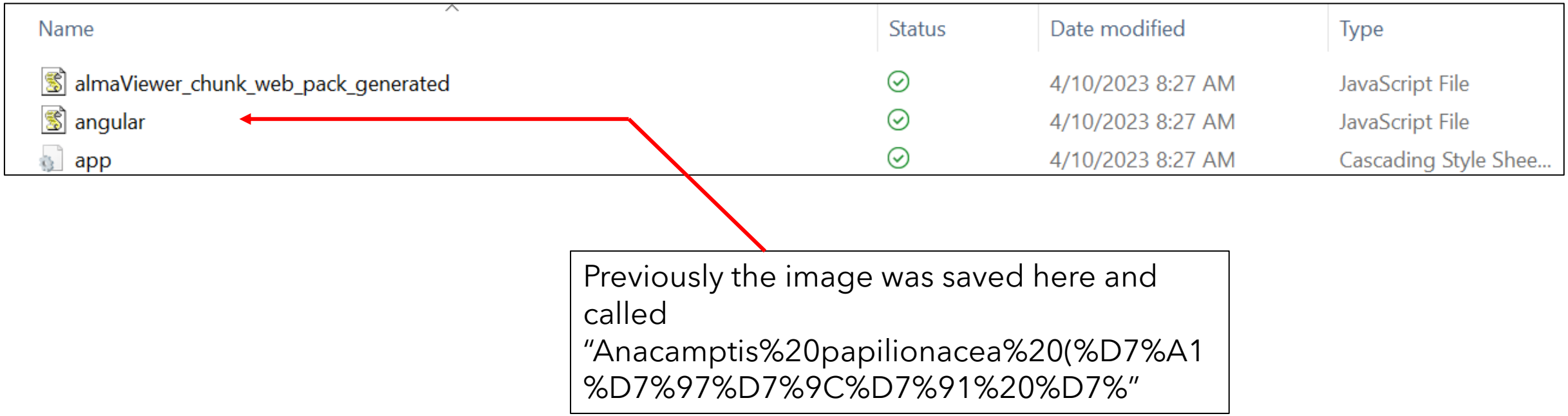
- Now when not logged in the image is not downloaded in the folder of the downloaded page



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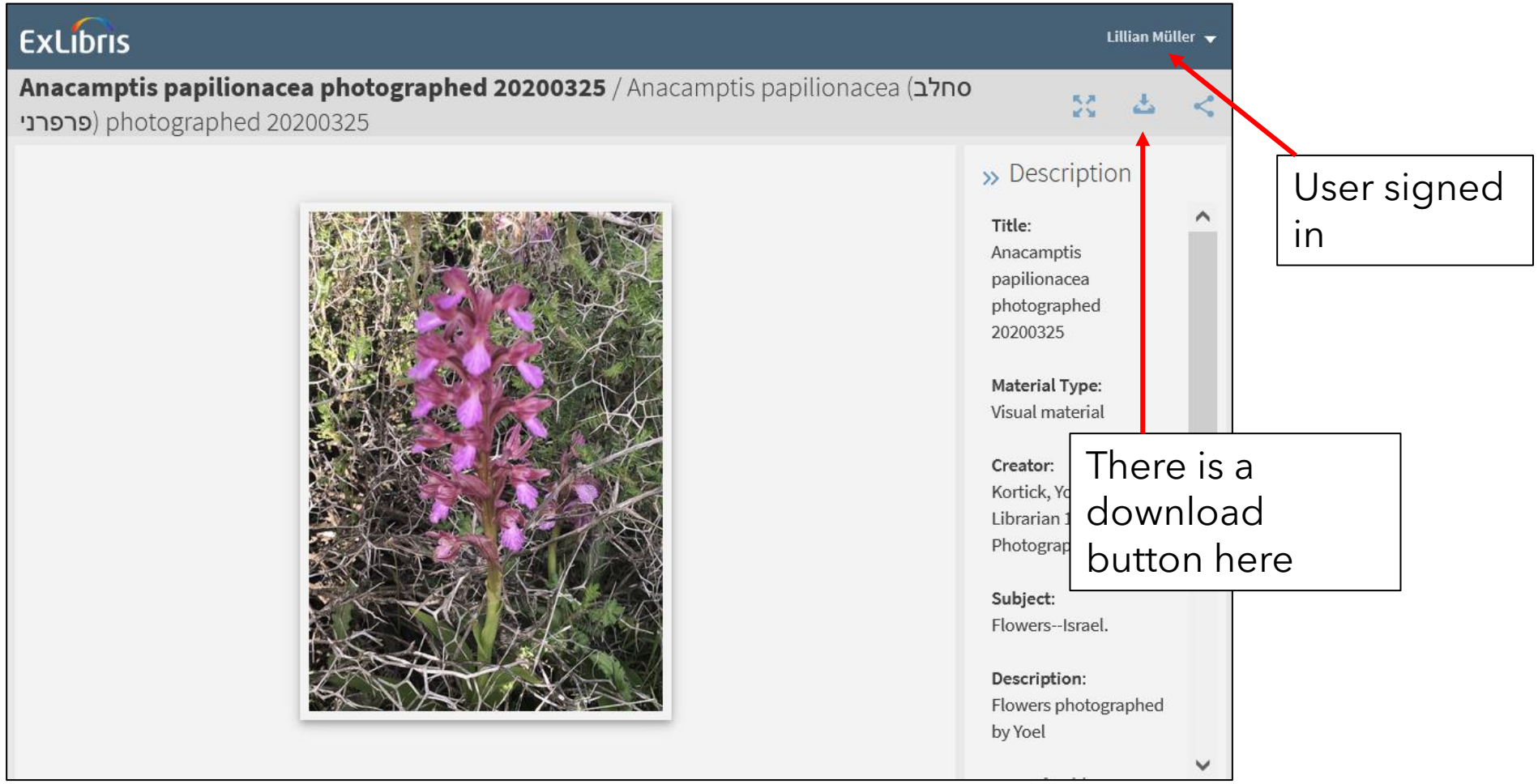
- In Primo when logged in we do have the download button



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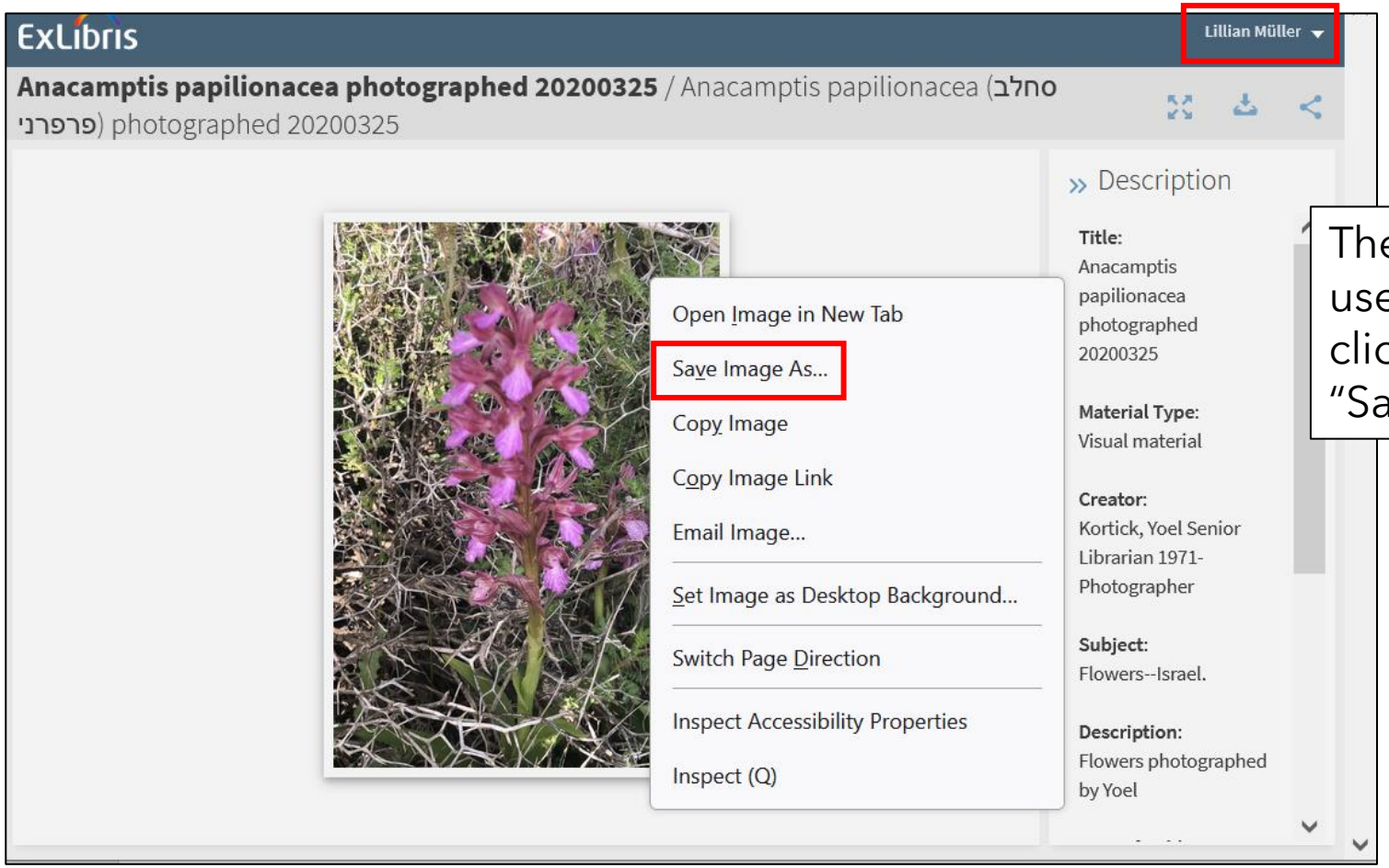
- Right clicking the image when logged in allows the user to “Save Image As”



The logged in user can right click and choose “Save Image As”.

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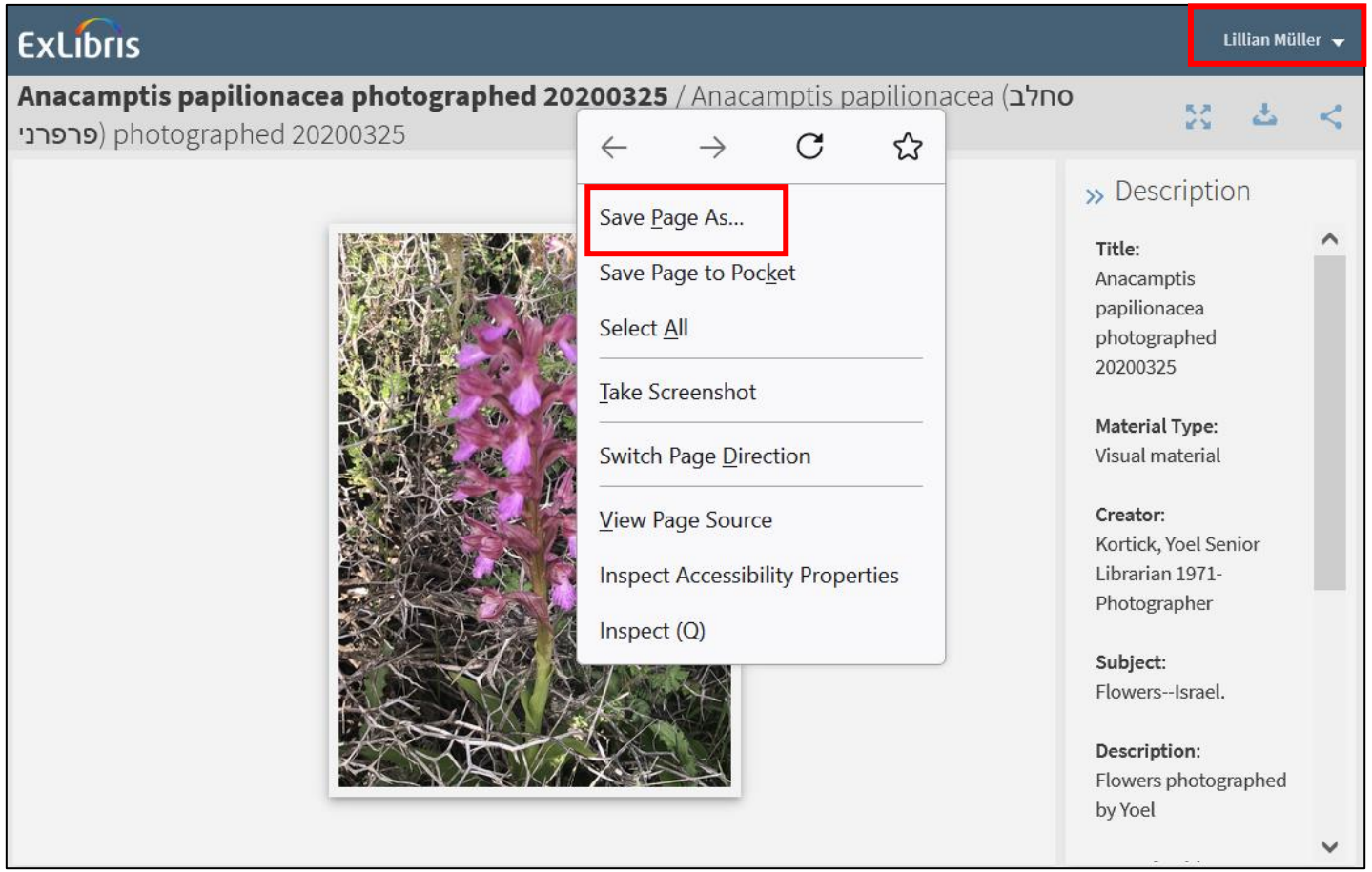

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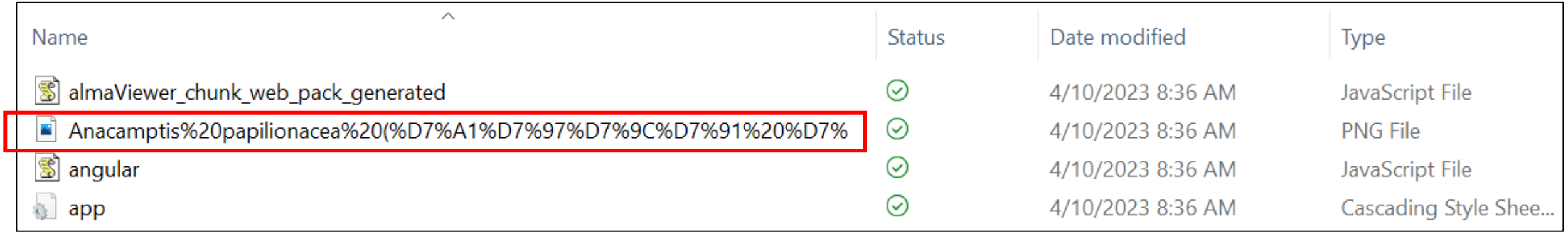
- When logged in the image is downloaded in the folder of the downloaded page



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app	✓	4/10/2023 8:36 AM	Cascading Style Shee...

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