APPENDIX 3
Acronyms

AHDS	Arts and Humanities Data Service
ASCII	American Standard Code for Information Interchange
BFI	British Film Institute
BODC	British Oceanographic Data Centre
CAD	Computer Aided Design
CBT	Computer Based Teaching
CD-ROM	Compact Disk Read-Only Memory
CEDARS	CURL Exemplars in Digital ARchiveS project
CER	Center for Electronic Records
COM	Computer-Output Microfilm
CPA	Commission on Preservation and Access
CURL	Consortium of University Research Libraries
DAT	Digital Archive Tape
DXF	
ECMS	Electronic Copyright Management System
EDAX	Energy Dispersive Analysis of X-rays
eLib	Electronic Libraries Programme
ESRC	Economic and Social Research Council
ftp	file transfer protocol
GDR	German Democratic Republic
GIS	Geographical Information System
HEI	Higher Education Institution
HEFC	Higher Education Funding Council
HPGL	
HTML	HyperText Markup Language
IBM	International Business Machines
ID	
IGES	Initial Graphics Exchange Specification
IS	Information Systems
IT	Information Technology
JISC	Joint Information Services Committee of the Higher Education Funding Councils
LaTEX	
MFM	Magnetic Force Microscopy
MIDI	Musical Instrument Digital Interface
MPEG	Motion Picture Experts Group
NARA	National Archives and Records Administration
NASA	National Aeronautics and Space Administration
NERC	Natural Environment Research Council
NPO	National Preservation Office
NRZ	Non Return to Zero
O/S	Operating System
OTA	Oxford Text Archive
OUCS	Oxford University Computing Service
PC	Personal Computer

PCU	Premier's Correspondence Unit, Government of Ontario
PDF	Portable Document Format
PRO	Public Record Office
QA	Quality Assurance
RBT	Retargetable Binary Translation
RLG	Research Libraries Group
RTF	Rich Text Format
SCRAN	Scottish Cultural Resources Access Network
SDC	Space Data Centre, Rutherford Appleton Laboratory
SEM	Scanning Electron Microscope
SGML	Standard Generalised Markup Language
TEI	Text Encoding Initiative
TIFF	Tagged Image File Format
ULCC	University of London Computing Centre
V&A	Victoria and Albert Museum
WORM	Write Once Read Many
XML	