University Libraries
Goals Progress and Development
University Libraries
Major Accomplishments FY 2011-2012

Student Surveys
- 79% of undergraduate students were either satisfied or very satisfied with the University Libraries
- 82% of graduate students were either satisfied or very satisfied with the University Libraries

Facilities
- Collaboration space plan developed - implementation in progress
- Space reallocation plan developed for first floor Learning Commons
- 10,770 linear feet of compact shelving installed
- 15,171 linear feet of materials moved so far during compact shelving project, 162 tons of materials
- New carpeting replaced old 1980's carpet on the lower level and 2\textsuperscript{nd} and 3\textsuperscript{rd} floors
- Painted all public areas during summer 2012
- 24 Hour Study Room remodeled to enhance vending options
- Installed enhanced attendance monitoring system

Services
- 563,273 onsite users in main and branch libraries
- 1,592,663 online catalog searches
- 1,604,351 scholarly database searches
- 1,156,936 full-text downloads from databases
- 445,664 log-ins to public workstations
- 132,480 physical items circulated
- 441,456 E-books section/chapter requests
- 62,290 downloads from E-Reserves service
- 8,126 Text-A-Call Number messages sent from the Online Catalog
- 14,267 uses of the dynamic maps feature within the Online Catalog
- 10,971 confirmed or approved online room reservations since software implementation in January
- Interlibrary Loan:
  - 9,397 Digital and print items borrowed from other libraries
  - 9,094 Digital and print items lent to other libraries
- 77 items obtained from commercial document delivery
- 601 Library Instruction sessions taught to 9,578 students
  - LASI 170 sections offered:
    - 4 online sections
    - 2 face-to-face sections
• 8 high school tours for 222 students
• 42 Public programming events with attendance of approximately 3,750
• 96,639 questions answered from all services points via in-person, Text-A-Librarian, email, and phone, including:
  o Reference Desk 9,876, HelpDesk 20,567, Special Collections 1,819, Access Services 50,030, Music Library 8,906 and MALIC – Language Lab 3,894, and Chemistry Library 1,547
• 264 Special Collections and University Archives reproductions provided to 12 campus units, 16 students or educational institutions, and 20 businesses

New services
• 116 books delivered to satellite campuses through Books-on-Demand service
• Books-on-Demand service developed during spring semester for Main Campus
• Online study room reservations service added in January
  o Included enhanced Supplemental Instruction Study Room reservations
• Extended Hours during finals in both fall and spring semesters
• New attendance counting hardware/software installed
• Computer availability online software implemented during spring semester
• Embedded Librarian service implemented during the year
• Platforms and methods developed to purchase e-books by title added to e-book package vendor options

Collections
• 22,794 physical volumes added to the collections: includes new monographs, serials, audio, video, and other media, as well as federal government documents in print and patent data
• 13,901 government documents records downloaded with links to full-text
• Online Catalog database management
  o 57,081 records downloaded from 21 electronic resource packages, including four packages that contained audio and video streaming
  o 17,976 item records created
  o 15,522 item records modified
  o 37,433 holdings created
  o 21,344 holdings modified
  o 105,606 bibliographic records created
  o 78,276 bibliographic records modified
  o 240,000 authority records processed
• Serials Review completed including:
  o Individual reviews conducted and completed by subject liaison librarians with 40 departments resulting in cancellation of 299 journals and 41 reference and non-subject continuations
Collection Review Project planned and initiated so far:
  o Over 26,000 government documents selected for removal; 18,525 removed from the collection
  o Over 18,000 LC volumes removed from collections
  o 652,258 microforms removed from collections
  o All paper items either transferred to other libraries or recycled through local company

Technology
  o CONTENTdm, content management system for Special Collections added, training received, and creation of digital collections in progress
  o Major University Libraries systems upgrades in progress:
    o ILLiad – Interlibrary Loan
    o SOAR – Institutional Repository
    o Web site – Joomla upgrade
    o Voyager migration to Linux with software upgrade
WSU Libraries

Goals 2011 – 2012
### Wichita State University Libraries Goal Planning 2011 2012

#### 2020 Strategic Goal #1: Achieve alignment between state's pre-K-12 and higher education and continue to enhance alignment between higher education institutions

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WSU Libraries

Goals 2011 – 2012

Summary Report
2020 Strategic Goal #1: Achieve alignment between state's pre-K-12 and higher education and continue to enhance alignment between higher education institutions

UL Goal #1 Enhance partnership projects with Regents and area libraries

Objective #1 Participate in statewide planning for Kansas Academic Libraries Consortium, as well as high impact projects among state and regional academic libraries

Actions:
- Partnership with KUMC-KC
- Bylaws of cooperative agreement passed in CODDL to form K-CALDD
- Participated in state-wide plan for government documents management
- Co-hosted Art Libraries Society/Central Plains spring meeting April 2012
- Maintained memberships and participated in the following library organizations:
  - SCKLS - South Central Kansas Library System
  - CNI-Coalition for Networked Information
  - MPLA -Mountain Plains Library Association
  - ELSUG-Ex Libris South-Central Users Group
  - ELUNA-Ex Libris Users of North America
  - LOEX
  - Lyrasis
  - Amigos
  - Portico
  - ESIG- EPSCoR Science Information Group
  - United States Patents and Trademarks Office
  - United States Federal Depository Library Program
  - State of Kansas Depository Library Program

Objective #2 Review microforms holdings as part of Regents Libraries Microforms Cooperative Collection Management Project

Actions:
- Selection of microforms to be cooperatively retained completed
- Partner letter distributed to CODDL
- Disposal plan developed for collections held by other CODDL partners
- UL assumed responsibility for maintaining 9 microform titles for all Regents libraries
- Reviewed 19 microform holdings not on shared resource list resulting in the withdrawal of 9 titles and the retention of 10 titles

Objective #3 Create web-based transitional guide for transfer students from other Regents institutions

Actions
- Spreadsheet has been created listing the URL's for Regent's libraries' sites


- Participation in new FY2012 CODDL state-wide information literacy effort – meetings attended and agreement document signed

**Objective #4** Increase outreach and library instruction opportunities to USD 259 and other area schools

**Actions**
- Created subject guide for High School students
- Four librarians participated in the DSI process
- Two librarians worked on History Day
- Several high school tours were given (eg. West High AP English class visited in March, 119 books were checked out to the group, and after the tour and instruction were given, a survey indicated 69% would research differently)
- Currently scheduling rooms for summer Upward Bound students support leaders in the areas of math, science, communications, and college prep
2020 Strategic Goal #2: Achieve participation in the state's higher education system that better reflects the state's demography and more fully engages adult learners

UL Goal 2a. Increase services and educational outreach efforts for WSU adult learners

**Objective #1** Expand upon WSU Complete Initiative through satellite campus delivery program

*Actions:*
- Delivery service expanded to satellite campuses with 116 requests fulfilled during FY2012
- Delivery service extended for College of Education graduate course being taught at Maize High School due to high volume at West Campus

**Objective #2** Provide library instruction and orientation sessions targeting adult learners and transfer students

*Actions:*
- Evaluation of existing instructional services targeting this user group by Research Services Group
- Two hour library information session held for staff members of the Veterans Upward Bound program resulting in planning for additional cooperative library instruction with this group

**Objective #3** Increase web presence and web-based library features to address a variety of adult learning styles such as WichitaStateTV YouTube channel, Virtual library tour project, and Subject guides

*Actions:*
- 21 library instruction videos have been added to YouTube with 6,619 total views to date
- Link to videos at: [http://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PL8546A9AD3D09AC53&feature=plcp](http://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PL8546A9AD3D09AC53&feature=plcp)
- UL virtual tour completed 6,648 views to date [http://libraries.wichita.edu/ablah/index.php/tour](http://libraries.wichita.edu/ablah/index.php/tour)
- 32 subject guides added using SubjectsPlus contributing to the 340,420 page views of all 130 SubjectsPlus guides during FY2012
- 10,971 online reservations were made in the new online room reservation service added in January to help adults with time management
- Librarian research appointments scheduler added at [http://wichita.libcal.com](http://wichita.libcal.com)
- Document Delivery Hold and Book Retrieval Service was enabled for faculty, graduate students and GTA’s in March and then for all other users in June 2012
UL Goal 2b. Increase visibility of University Libraries services and collections

Objective #1 Enhance use of social media such as Facebook and Twitter to more fully engage various demographic groups

Actions:
- 149 Twitter followers and 71 tweets created in FY2012
- Facebook page maintained regular updates and had 221 followers in FY2012
- 973 Bitly referrals to library webpages
- Social media used to promote UL events, services, and research opportunities

Objective #2 Develop marketing/promotion plan for University Libraries services and collections

Actions:
- Engaged the Office of University Relations to consult on marketing plan (Barth Hague meeting 12/2011)
- Met with outside consultants - Ross & Headley (01/2012)
- UL faculty participated on the university-wide branding committee
- UL published in Sunflower 31 times and WSUToday 74 times during FY2012
2020 Strategic Goal #3: Achieve measurable improvement in persistence and completion rates for higher education institutions

UL Goal 3. Develop library-wide plan to target and improve curricular service and collection needs that focus on the different learning styles and needs of at-risk, entering, and returning students

Objective #1 Expand cooperative efforts with other campus units such as CLUR, OFDSS, STAC, MRC

Actions:
- Hosted visit from ESU faculty librarians to discuss library instruction and ways of enhancing facilities for students (07/2011)
- Participated in 16 WSU 101 classes in the fall and 2 in the spring, coordinating with Engineering, Health Professions, Education, and LAS, reaching a total of 295 students
- Subject guide for WSU 101 was created that received 307 page views [http://libraries.wichita.edu/subsplus/subjects/WSU101](http://libraries.wichita.edu/subsplus/subjects/WSU101)
- Supplemental Instruction reservation system was streamlined with 1,680 SI room reservations received during the academic year
- Participated in three MRC Reboot Camps for faculty (07/2011 engineering-focused, 01/2012, 05/2012)
- Computer availability software development completed and added to UL website to provide real-time availability of public workstations
- University Libraries widget and widget help page developed by UL to promote library resources made available for Blackboard use; so far, there have been 91 uses of widget help page
- Progress on a new collaboration with College of Engineering to use Ex Libris Voyager software to circulate engineering equipment has included configuration of Voyager, training of Engineering staff, and the initiation of item record creation by engineering staff
- UL faculty member serves on the Barton School’s Critical Thinking Task Force and created a critical thinking subject guide that received 1,586 page views [http://libraries.wichita.edu/subsplus/subjects/criticalthinking](http://libraries.wichita.edu/subsplus/subjects/criticalthinking)
- UL faculty member on the team that drafted the HLC Quality Initiative Proposal Graduation Partnership Wichita State University’s Student Success Plan

Objective #2 Expand embedded librarian program

Actions:
- In FY2012, six UL faculty librarians were embedded in 45 sections of 22 unique courses with a total enrollment exceeding 750 students
  - Embedded activities using each course’s Blackboard page included:
    - Embedded UL resource related objects (widgets, etc.)
    - Set up discussion boards for research questions
    - Set up Twitter accounts for the course
Embedded “chat” link
- Linking of course guides and tutorial videos created by faculty librarians
- Embedded an appointment scheduler for research consultations
- Faculty librarian embedded in Blackboard
- Embedded pre- and post-tests on information literacy
- Creation and linking of playlists in Naxos Music Online to class resource section

- Other embedded activities
  - One librarian was embedded physically in a class
  - Faculty librarians have office hours in departments
  - Faculty librarians arranged for database demonstrations for assigned colleges
  - Faculty librarians are part of new student orientations offered by colleges and departments
  - Faculty librarians attended thesis and dissertation defenses
  - One faculty librarian completed a two year mentorship with a student that focused on student’s research and thesis resulting acknowledgment in the thesis for her contributions

**Objective #3** Include in overall marketing plan, promotion of University Libraries services and collections to at-risk students

**Actions:**
- Engaged University Communications to consult on marketing plan and also met with outside consultants - Ross & Headley (01/2012)
- Faculty librarian serves as a member of the Retention Council

**Objective #4** Partner with student leadership and associations to provide continuous quality improvement of University Libraries services, collections, and facilities

**Actions:**
- University Libraries Executive Council conducted fall and spring meetings with SGA leadership focused on introducing the SGA to new library services and discussing library issues of concern to student leaders
- Full SGA meeting held in library on April 25, 2012
- Ablah Library finals extended hours increased to 2:00 AM during fall finals and to 1:00 AM during the spring after discussions with SGA leadership

**Objective #5** Update textbook collection guidelines and scope

**Actions:**
- Update of the guidelines completed with the full report available on UL shared drive

**Objective #6** Explore repurposing library space to include more student success activities

**Actions:**
- Participated in fall facilities planning process with Provost to create additional learning spaces
• Completed installation of 10,700 linear feet of compact shelving in lower level
• Moved over 15,000 linear feet of materials and anticipate the total feet moved for the project will be approximately 22,000
• Moved 1.8 miles of shelving during the compact shelving product including dismantling, rebuilding, and then dismantling again 3,192 linear feet of temporary shelving
• Completed project will allow for space currently occupied by shelving to be converted to the expanded University Libraries Learning Commons
• Defective carpeting was replaced on the first floor, and new carpeting replaced old 1980’s carpet on the lower level, 2nd, and 3rd floors
• Paint scheduled for all public areas during summer 2012
• Expansion of Learning Commons scheduled for summer 2012

Objective #7 Develop collection review plan to increase space availability and to enhance usability of collection

Actions:
• Plan completed for reducing Federal Government Documents footprint included reviewing over 26,000 volumes and designating them for removal from the collection through withdrawal or transfer to other libraries
• The more than 18,500 government documents removed so far have required in excess of 32,000 changes to metadata records, holdings records, and item checkout records in the online catalog
• Over 5 tons of materials removed from shelves, boxed, and ready for transfer to other libraries
• Guidelines developed for reference collections and Z-ZA call number ranges in the general stacks
• All titles in Quick Reference and Index Table locations were reviewed by liaison librarians and forwarded to Technical Services for withdrawal or transfer to general stacks
• Arrangements completed with recycler
• Evaluation of folio materials in compact shelving completed
• Over 18,000 volumes classified with Library of Congress call numbers have been removed from the collections since January including the moving of approximately 18 tons of materials and updating of more than 38,000 metadata records, holdings records, and item checkout records in the online catalog
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Objective #8 Enhance Libraries web presence

Actions:
• Room reservation service added to webpage (01/2012) with 10,971 bookings made and confirmed since January
• Computer availability software development completed and added to UL website to provide real-time availability of public workstations
• Embedded and Faculty Blackboard pages developed in SubjectsPlus
Currently the 130 research, topic, and course guides are available in SubjectPlus provided 340,420 pages views during FY2012
Additional links were added to the UL MyWSU portal tab such as room reservation links and 86,420 page views of UL Tab occurred during FY2012
Action taken on the project to add a discovery layer product to website included the completion of a report analyzing vendor features, the completion of onsite vendor demos, the development of specifications, the development of a bid document, and the June implementation of the RFP process with WSU Purchasing
UL Website redesign task force received charge (05/2012)

Objective #9 Evaluate reference service structure and operations
Actions:
• Task force formed and charge received in spring

Objective #10 Survey students to determine effectiveness of library services and collections targeting student success
Actions:
• Library questions added to SGA survey
• Library questions added to undergraduate and graduate exit surveys

Objective #11 Assessment of student learning in University Libraries Instructional Program
Actions:
• Course evaluations and web-based feedback received for fall and spring LASI 170 courses
• RSG attended webinar on learning outcomes best practices (01/2012) and initiated program improvement planning during spring RSG meetings
• Task force charged to analyze future student assessments

Objective #12 Enhance existing information literacy tools targeting entering or at-risk students
Actions:
• Content of EMPOWER Information Literacy online modules updated for use with WSU 101
• Work was initiated during the spring to evaluate enhancing EMPOWER graphics
2020 Strategic Goal #4: Ensure that students earning credentials and degrees across the higher education system possess the foundational skills essential for success in work/life

UL Goal #4 Provide collections and services that support lifelong learning

**Objective #1** Evaluate current information literacy curriculum and identify areas that target general education

**Actions:**
- Research Services Group Task Force charged to evaluate Library Instruction Program
- Areas that target general education identified to be: WSU 101, Eng 101/102, Comm 111, LASI170, and BIO 210
- Steps taken to increase staff time dedicated to Library Instruction Program, including naming a coordinator of library instruction

**Objective #2** Promote and expand collections that support general education studies

**Actions:**
- Increased numbers of e-book packages and made an additional 11,303 e-books available during FY2012
- Increased the number of major reference titles available online by 42
- Links were added to SubjectsPlus subject pages to support general education courses

**Objective #3** Complete serials review including review of materials supporting general education

**Actions:**
- Serials cut decisions complete
- Plan being implemented as subscriptions come due
- Details include reviews completed with 40 departments resulting in the cancellation of 299 journals, 84 subject continuations, 41 reference and non-subject continuations, and the switching of 113 titles from print to online
- In response to serials review decisions, Technical Services personnel invested numerous hours in vendor follow up conversations and messages to make sure subscription changes were processed correctly by vendors and aggregators
- More than 2,000 metadata records, holdings records, binding files, labeling records, and other records have been changed as part of the serials review
**Objective #4** Expand LAS 170 offerings  
**Actions:**  
- One new online session added during fall and spring for a total of four online and 2 face-to-face sessions taught during FY2012  
- Plans for Fall 2012 submitted with expanded class size  
- Added two additional instructors during FY2012  
- Discussion underway about adding subject specific (SS) LASI170 course

**Objective #5** Move University Libraries serials collections to electronic only where possible to promote student success in a global workplace  
**Actions:**  
- UL has switched print titles to electronic formats and invested in electronic journal packages, so that the UL currently provides online access to 36,835 unique serials with an additional 1,522 titles offered in paper only or in both paper and online formats  
- Recent titles switched from print to electronic include journals published by the American Mathematical Society, Annual Reviews, Royal Chemical Society, Taylor & Francis, Wiley, Elsevier, and IEEE  
- Approximately 96% of the journal collection’s unique titles are now available in electronic format

**Objective #6** Acquire e-book collections, particularly focusing on engineering, science, technology, and health professions  
**Actions:**  
- New e-book packages purchased during the year in these subject areas:  
  - SpringerLink E-books –Engineering (542 titles)  
  - Safari Technical 100-title Bookself (100 titles)  
  - IEEE-Wiley Library 2012 & 2013 (539 titles)  
  - APA Books E-Collections (31 titles)  
  - Books 24x7 IT Pro Collection (10,049 titles)  
  - Gale Virtual Reference E-Books (42)  
- The 42 e-book packages currently provided by the UL received 441,456 downloads during FY2012  
- In FY2012, the UL completed implementation of individual title e-book purchase option through YBP and ordered over 450 individual e-books on the ebrary, EBL, and Ebscohost platforms  
- Current the UL’s commercially provided e-book collection totals 54,777 unique titles  
- In FY2012, 17% of book funding was used for e-books  
- Additional online primary source digital collections purchased during FY2012 include:  
  - New York Times Digital Archive (1851- 2007)  
  - Slavery and Anti-Slavery: A Transnational Archive (Gale) – 6,843 titles  
  - American West (Adam Matthews) – 620 titles  
- Over 13,900 online Government Documents were added to collections in FY2012
2020 Strategic Goal #5: Enhance alignment between the work of the state's higher education system and the needs of the Kansas economy

UL Goal #5 Enhance services and collections supporting University segments focused on local and state economic development

**Objective #1** Expand ORA and University Libraries partnership to target collections and services that support funded research

**Actions:**
- Proposed and received ORA support funding for selected databases:
  - BioOne
  - IEL (IEEE)
  - Knovel
- Dean presented to Research Council
- Continuing information on large scientific datasets provided to ORA

**Objective #2** Improve assessment activities to determine success of services and collections targeting the emerging needs of campus researchers and those areas focused on economic development

**Actions:**
- Attended assessment related meetings at ALA midwinter
- Assembled peer data
- Data compiled and provided for ACRL annual report
- Purchase services with assessment data built-in such as room reservation service and an additional SurveyMonkey license
- Applied Google Analytics to UL webpages
- Purchased more advanced gate counter to analyze Ablah Library usage and used gate counter data to make decisions about building hour extensions
- Conducted internal assessment activities such as collection review and serials review projects
- Dean has conducted one-on-one meetings with each department chair on campus to gather information about UL collections, teaching, and service needs
- Assisted in developing Faculty Senate Library Committee faculty library survey
- Currently evaluating best practices for organizing activity data maintained within UL units

**Objective #3** Enhance cooperative efforts with area and special libraries

**Actions:**
- Partnered with the Wichita Public Library in the Big Read speaker event resulting in an event that was attended by over 700 people on the WSU campus
- Collaborated with the Carl Albert Center, University of Oklahoma, to arrange transfer of the Victor Wickersham Congressional Papers
• Worked with the Coleman Company to acquire Coleman Company records
• Arranged for the loan of rare map to Kansas Museum of History exhibit
• Arranged loan of Margarita Fischer correspondence materials for exhibit at the Santa Barbara Historical Museum
• Continued providing cataloging support for the Wichita Art Museum including cataloging 231 volumes this year

**Objective #4** Increase access to e-resources supporting economic development

**Actions:**

• The following titles have been added to the collections:
  o New York Times Digital Archive (1851-2007)
  o Slavery and Anti-Slavery: A Transnational Archive (Gale) – 6,843 titles
  o Dance in Video and Ethnographic Video Online (Alexander Street Press) – 1,123 titles
  o Alexander Street Press: Music Online includes: American Song (2,331), Classical Music Library (2,728 titles), Contemporary World Music (1,894 titles), Jazz Music Library (9,859 titles), and Smithsonian Global Sound for Libraries (2,824 titles)
  o American West (Adam Matthews) – 620 titles
  o APA Books E-Collections 2012 – 31 titles
  o Books 24x7 IT Pro Collection (subscription) – 10,049 titles
  o Safari Technical 100-title Bookshelf (subscription) – 100 titles
  o Gale Virtual Reference E-books – 42 titles
  o JSTOR Arts & Sciences VI
  o JSTOR Arts & Sciences IX
  o JSTOR Arts & Sciences X
  o JSTOR Business III
2020 Strategic Goal #6: Enhance the regional and national reputation of Kansas universities through aspirational initiatives

UL Goal 6a. Increase visibility of University Libraries collections and locally produced scholarship and creative activities

**Object #1** Develop digitization projects of local materials especially those for SOAR Institutional Repository and those housed in Special Collections

**Actions:**
- Consultant assessed and submitted report advising Special Collections on establishing digital workflow
- ContentDM, archival digital collection management software, implemented
- Training on ContentDM received during spring
- Special Collections staff developed prioritized list of collections to be added to ContentDM
- Collections such as Sanitary Fairs Collection were created and added to ContentDM
- SOAR’s collection development concentrated on adding WSU faculty peer reviewed articles to the collection with 1,483 full-text items added in FY2012
- 64,412 virtual visits were made to SOAR in FY2012
- 51 electronic dissertations and 178 theses were added to SOAR during FY2012

**Objective #2** Develop new vision for Library Associates including marketing plan for new organization

**Actions:**
- Changed status pending marketing effort and Foundation’s hire of new development officer

**Objective #3** Evaluate impacts of public programming efforts including existing programming partnership

**Actions:**
- Fall statistics for number of programs and attendance indicate that 19 events were held in the fall reaching an audience of 1,650
- Spring statistics for number of programs indicate 23 events were hosted with an attendance of approximately 2,100

**Objective #4** Develop plan to promote important University Libraries and Special Collections resources and services such as the Gordon Parks Collection

**Actions:**
- Collaborated with the Ulrich Museum for the Gordon Parks Centennial
- Collaborated with the Gordon Parks Foundation to arrange reproduction of photo for Smithsonian exhibit and catalog
• Gave presentation on the Gordon Parks Papers to members of the National Advisory Council for the WSU Foundation and to two staff members from the Foundation
• Created online cataloging records for items in the Gordon Parks Personal Library and made these records available world-wide through the online catalog http://libcat.wichita.edu/vwebv/search?searchArg=%22Gordon+Parks+Personal+Library%22&searchCode=GKEY%5E*&searchType=0&recCount=50
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• Curator of Special Collections served as member of Kansas Humanities Council Speaker’s Bureau and presented seven off-campus lectures on collections in Special Collections including presentations on Slavery materials, the Federal Writers’ project, and key events in Kansas statehood that reached approximately 350 people
• Digitized Lord Noel-Buxton Papers in Special Collections for United Kingdom researcher

Objective #5 Explore options for membership in and partnerships with affinity groups at the state, regional, national, and international levels

Actions:
• Currently hold memberships in:
  o SCKLS - South Central Kansas Library System
  o CNI - Coalition for Networked Information
  o MPLA - Mountain Plains Library Association
  o ELSUG - Ex Libris South-Central Users Group
  o ELUNA - Ex Libris Users of North America
  o LOEX
  o Lyrasis
  o Portico
  o Amigos
  o ESIG - EPSCoR Science Information Group
  o United States Patents and Trademarks Office
  o United States Federal Depository Library Program
  o State of Kansas Depository Library Program

UL Goal 6b. Support university-wide and discipline specific accreditation activities

Objective #1 Support HLC activities as appropriate

Actions:
• Informational visit to UL Faculty by Rick Muma, Fall 2011
• Participation on HLC Planning Committee
• Maintain University Archives of previous HLC/NCA reviews

**Objective #2** Provide required discipline-specific accreditation, licensing, and programmatic information about collections

**Actions:**
• Information provided to:
  o School of Music
  o School of Nursing
  o School of Social Work
  o Physical Therapy Department
  o Sports Management Department (UL tour also provided to accreditation team)
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Goals 2012 – 2013
**Wichita State University Libraries Goal Planning 2012-2013**

**2020 Strategic Goal #1: Achieve alignment between state's pre-K-12 and higher education and continue to enhance alignment between higher education institutions**

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<td>2a. Increase services and educational outreach efforts for WSU adult learners</td>
<td>Provide library instruction and orientation sessions targeting adult learners and transfer students. Increase web presence and web-based library features to address a variety of adult learning styles such as WichitaStateTV YouTube channel, Virtual library tour project, and Subjectguides. Enhance use of social media such as Facebook and Twitter to more fully engage various demographic groups.</td>
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<td>Develop marketing/promotion materials for University Libraries services and collections. Promote research services for adult learners both internally and in partnership with other campus units.</td>
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<td>Develop library-wide plan to target and improve curricular service and collection needs that focus on the different learning styles and needs of at-risk, entering, and returning students</td>
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<td>Evaluate effectiveness of current service points-develop plan for consolidation where indicated</td>
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<td>Provide collections and services that support lifelong learning</td>
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<td>Move University Libraries serials collections to electronic-only where possible to promote student success in a global workplace</td>
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**2020 Strategic Goal #5: Enhance alignment between the work of the state's higher education system and the needs of the Kansas economy**

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