More Than Things

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it’s COLD! Unlatch door, enter, light-
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(store floor), each aisle has its light-switch;
for upstairs, light-switches are at foot of stairs.
PLEASE TURN ALL LIGHTS OFF
when you leave, & latch door. Donations appreciated.

For important & specific questions, call Elka 802-525-6972.
I keep working on this talk and...

UC and Elsevier

Open Statement: Why UC Cut Ties With Elsevier

March 20, 2019

The University of California has taken a firm stand on both open access to publicly funded research and fiscal responsibility by deciding not to renew its subscriptions with Elsevier, the world's largest scientific publisher. Here's why:

Under Elsevier's proposed terms, the publisher would capture significant new revenue on top of the university's current multimillion-dollar subscription while significantly diminishing UC's rights to Elsevier content. Elsevier's latest proposal did consider some of UC's conditions, including providing UC authors with open access publishing options across much of the publisher's portfolio of journals. However, it had serious flaws.

Due to a misconfigured server, a researcher found a constant stream of Elsevier users' passwords.

"I support and applaud the UC system for taking this bold step to transform scholarly publishing." library.unc.edu/2019/03/statem ... shout out to @jmmason & all the other library directors in the UC System.

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Statement on Patron Privacy and Database Access

Many leading providers of digital content to libraries in North America are changing the way they provide access to library patrons. Instead of allowing anonymous access via well-established channels, these providers are increasingly seeking personally identifiable, individual patron data. Often these efforts to gather more patron data are bundled into efforts to “enhance” or modernize platforms as the sector moves towards single sign on, and away from traditional, IP-based access. The providers have many possible drivers to gather this data: personalization, analytics, marketing, et al.

This approach is unacceptable.
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Video surveillance cameras may be in use in this station
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we measure what has value
Evidence-Based Fictions: ARL Statistics

“ARL Statistics is a series of annual surveys that describe the collections, expenditures, staffing, and service activities for ARL member libraries. Statistics have been collected and published annually for research libraries since 1907-08.

Statistics data shape major policy decisions and institutional strategies.”
COLLECTIONS

1. Titles held June 30, 2018 (all formats) (1)__________
2. Volumes held June 30, 2018 (*print only* items and e-books) (2)__________
3. Basis of print volume count is (3) ___ Physical ___ Bibliographic
4. Electronic books (included in question 2) (4)__________
5. Are the below figures reported in Canadian dollars? (5) ___Yes ___No

EXPENDITURES

6. Total Library Expenditures (exclude fringe benefits) (6)__________
7. Total Library Materials Expenditures (7a + 7b + 7c) (7)__________
   7a. One-time resource purchases (7a)__________
   7b. Ongoing resource purchases (e.g. subscriptions, annual license fees) (7b)__________
   7c. Collection support (7c)__________
"Until recently, UW-Madison had been the only institution among the 114 Association of Research Libraries (ARL) that provided data showing more is spent on salaries and wages than on library materials (2014-2015)...Recent efforts to increase the total spend on library materials and to reduce the total spend on salaries and wages have enabled us to transfer dollars to the Library materials budget."

all of us, are more than things.
Josiah

First Generation College and Low Income Student Center

First-generation college and low-income student experiences and resources available at Brown and beyond.
Documenting Ferguson

Documenting Ferguson is a freely available resource that seeks to preserve and make available digital media captured and created by community members following the shooting death of Michael Brown in Ferguson, Missouri, on August 9, 2014.
Licensing crash course!

- Non-disclosure agreements
- Indemnification
- Arbitration (but ask legal)
- No, you can’t audit our computers and labs
- License modification
- Breach notices and communications

This is useless without **adequate staffing**
We should do this despite their riskiness, the fact that they’re rough around the edges, and the ways in which they break our existing disciplinary and service molds—and even (or maybe especially) when their political pointedness scares us. --Bethany Nowviskie
EMPATHY
Thank you!
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