

Vision into Practice at Cal Poly

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Duderstadt Center

- Opened 1996
- 250,000 sq. ft.
- 24/7 operation
- 600,000 vols.
- 2,000 journals





Duderstadt Center

- 400+ computers
- 3D & Virtual Reality Labs
- Audio, Video & Electronic Music Studios
- Teleconferencing Suites
- Computer Classrooms



One of 24 UM Libraries!



- U-M *one of the leading digital libraries*
 - Digitize ~5,000 volumes annually
- Michigan Digitization Project
 - Partnership with Google
 - 7M vols. digitized in 6 years



- Revolutionary change, transformative for academic libraries & the academy

Big Research Libraries

- Opportunities:
 - Build on strength of their collections
 - Build on strength of their staff
 - Experiment with new technologies and develop new digital services
 - Tackle major changes in technical services
 - Re-conceptualize facilities in a grand way

Cal Poly

Robert E. Kennedy Library



- Opened 1981
- 203,000 sq. ft.
- 7/midnight operation
- 764,000 vols.
- 7,300 serials
 - (paper & electronic)

Then & Now

- 1984
 - 71 total staff
 - 26 librarians
 - \$3.9M base
- 2006
 - 49 total staff
 - 13 librarians
 - \$5.4M base
- Base budget down \$1M, last 4 years
- Supplemental budget up \$500k

Cal Poly Challenges

- Recast the image of the library
- Transition librarian skills for the 21st century
- Re-conceptualize the use of space
- Leverage the power of technology
- Get money from somewhere!

Changing the Library's Image

- Needs to be...
 - Perceived as providing value to the institution and the academic process
 - Seen as providing services, collections, and facilities that faculty and students feel they need
 - Putting the user at the center of our thinking

How

- Formation of Provostial Task Group on the Future of the Library
- Formation of Dean's Student Advisory Committee
- Working closely with other deans & department chairs
- Foster engagement at all levels
- Continuous assessment



Library Services for:

Students

Faculty/Staff

Alumni

Community



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the on-line catalog

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COURSE
RESERVES

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Find a librarian

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NEWS...

- ◆ Kennedy Library has a new dean: [Michael D. Miller Selected to Lead, Begins August 14](#)
- ◆ Try out new databases: [New Resources Available for Trial](#)
- ◆ PolyCAT searches are now even easier: [Add the PolyCAT engine to your Firefox search bar](#)
- ◆ Access to databases from off-campus has changed: [Library now uses portal authentication](#)

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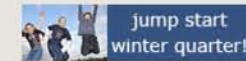
Get Started

- ▶ PolyCat – Find books
- ▶ PolySearch – Find articles
- ▶ All Databases – View alphabetically
- ▶ Databases – View by subject
- ▶ Research Guides
- ▶ Course Reserves – Find materials reserved for your class

News

- ▶ Kennedy Library is looking for an Architecture & Environmental Design Librarian [□]
- ▶ Library upgrades its online catalog servers for better performance and to allow for future improvements
- ▶ GIS Day a success
- ▶ New graduate student study room

Make Winter Quarter the Best



- ▶ We're open EARLY!
- ▶ We're open LATE!
- ▶ Databases by Subject
- ▶ Research Guides



Librarian's Role

- **Grow the College Librarian model**
 - A consistent face(s) for each college
- **Move beyond building bound behavior**
 - Every librarian a field librarian
- **Hire those who value innovation and experimentation**
 - Expand pools beyond the MLS

Curatorial Model

- Adding value to resources
- Projecting library resources & brand into student info sphere
- Library 2.0 projects
- Library presence in LMS
 - Shut down library eReserves in favor of Bbd access
 - Other library services too

Evolving Collections

- Weeding book collection
- Digital only serials
- Digital only GovDocs
- Right sizing Learning Resources Collection
- Enhanced support for Special Collections
- Online media access - images, music, spoken word
- Converting VHS to DVD
- Adding foreign TV broadcasts
- Launched Institutional Repository!

Student Engagement

- Exhibits
- Events
- Receptions
- Gaming
- Concerts



Changing Facility



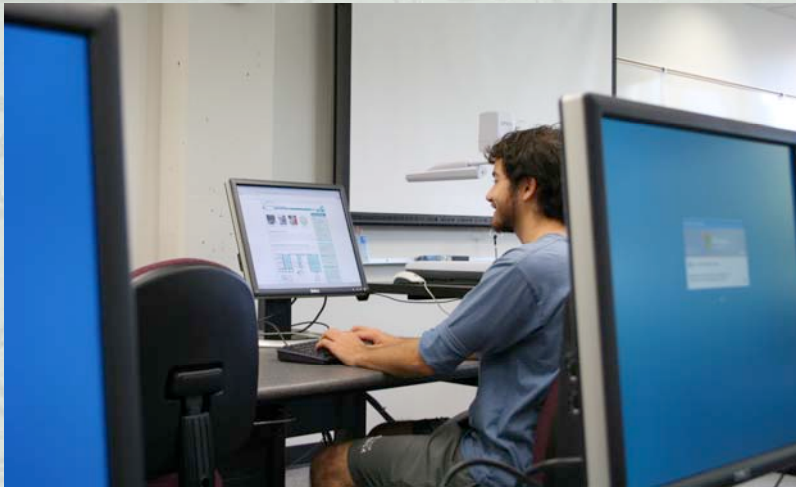
Short term:

- 24 Hour Study Room
- Group Project Spaces
- Media Viewing
- Coffee Shop
- Pervasive access to technology
- Rethinking staff space

Changing Facility

- Building Partners
 - Academic Skills Ctr.
 - Ctr. for Teaching & Learning
 - Honors Program
 - ITS
 - Research Scholars
 - others
- Master Building Plan
 - Transition projects
- Building Expansion
 - Planning 2007
 - Construction 2010

Technology



- Pervasive access to technology
 - (not just labs)
- Consistent environment with what students find elsewhere on campus
- Access to special peripherals, format conversion
- Collaboration with ITS

Fundraising

- Added first full-time Advancement Director position
- Located in central advancement office
- Dean will devote ~ 50% to \$\$
- Need librarians to look for grants
 - Grants = projects

Vision for CSU

- CSU Collaboration - *the power of numbers*
 - COLD strategic planning essential
 - The work of EAR/SEIR is critical
 - Central licensing = more buying power
 - Portico = less pressure on stack space
 - CSU Dspace server, IR for all
 - Shared remote storage for last copies?
- Why not state collaboration?



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