UC Davis University Library Strategic Plan 2013-2016

Mission, Vision, Values

Mission
“Advance the community’s success and impact through knowledge stewardship”

Vision
“The Library is the academic hub of UC Davis, advancing research, education and innovation in a networked world”

Values
“We are a broadly collaborative and client-centered organization that values high quality scholarship, learning, and service to our community. We provide a work environment of integrity, respect and transparency, and a staff characterized by professional excellence, diversity, flexibility, and risk-taking.”

Organization & Governance
“Maximize the library’s effectiveness and impact in pursuit of our mission”
- update organizational structure and implement Organizational Excellence
- improve assessment and data-driven decision-making
- stabilize funding
- strengthen governance

Infrastructure
“Revitalize library spaces for a growing community of learners and a changing research environment”
- improve study spaces
- rethink building uses for current campus configuration
- facilitate staff in-person interaction

Online Platform
“Create a world-class virtual library environment”
- create compelling “virtual library”
- provide easier access to digital collections
- improve online infrastructure, tools, and services

Dimensions & Themes
(Vision of Excellence, 2020 Plan, etc.)

Research
“Increase UC Davis’s research impact”
- offer appropriate data curation services
- support research collaboration tools
- provide alternative publishing strategies

Programs

Collections
“Maximize the community’s access to the comprehensive collection of knowledge”
- provide access to comprehensive and excellent collections
- digitize print collections
- preserve scholarship in all formats

Education
“Improving UC Davis’s educational quality by preparing students for life-long learning”
- teach life-long information research skills
- document student impact on student success
- bring the library to the online classroom
- provide access to online educational materials

Scale | Sustainability | Interdisciplinarity | Partnerships | Organizational excellence | Public service | Community | Globalization | Assessment/Accountability | Impact
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