

2013-14 Highlights for the IUPUI University Library

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Student Success and Support for Research

- IUPUI University Library's Resource Sharing & Delivery Services fulfilled more than 11,000 student requests for materials both within and outside the library's collection in support of student research and classroom learning.
- The University Library provided information literacy instruction to 9,388 participants in 701 separate sessions.
- With support from IUPUI University Library, the Office of the Vice Chancellor for Research, IU School of Dentistry and the Robert H. McKinney School of Law, the University Library established an [Open Access \(OA\) Publishing Fund](#) supporting author fees for faculty or students publishing in OA journals. In 13-14, this fund supported 14 authors and 15 articles were submitted (8 articles published, 6 pending acceptance/in press, and 1 ineligible).
- The University Library collaborated with IUPUI's Graduate Office to offer advanced information research instruction through the [Student Success Series](#).
- Over 200 Librarians, teachers, parents, and community members attended "Libraries, Learning, and Student Success" on Wednesday, September 18, 2013 at the Indiana Landmarks Center. The event was sponsored by the IUPUI University Library's [College Ready, College Bound](#) project, and featured a keynote address by Glenda Ritz, Indiana State Superintendent of Public Instruction. *College Ready, College Bound* is a multi-year project examining the role of librarians and library curriculum in student learning, preparation, and the transition to college. The project was funded through a grant from the Indianapolis Foundation Library Fund, a Central Indiana Community Fund (CICF) affiliate.
- In 2014, a six-figure gift was secured to facilitate the renovation of the [Joseph and Matthew Payton Philanthropic Studies Library](#) of the IUPUI University Library, which is already an internationally recognized philanthropy collection. The redevelopment project will create more seating for students, offer a flexible space for teaching and small presentations, as well as accommodating Mr. Payton's impressive personal library, which includes a wide range of books about philanthropy and liberal arts.

Contributions to the Well-Being of the Citizens of Indianapolis, the State of Indiana, and Beyond

- [IUPUI University Library's Center for Digital Scholarship](#) collaborated with the [Indianapolis Motor Speedway](#) to digitize the oral histories and sound clips from the organization from 1909; and the [Jewish Post and Opinion](#) to digitize their newspaper from 1933. The Center also digitized a variety of mid-1800s Indianapolis newspapers, and the Proceedings of the Indianapolis Common and City-County Councils, Proceedings of the Indiana Academy of Sciences, and Indiana Health Law Review.
- The Herron Library continues a long-term collaboration with the Al-Mutanabbi Street Starts Here Coalition to serve as a repository (the only one in the US) for the [Al-Mutanabbi Street Starts Here book collection](#), which contains 260 artist books and 100 broadsides. The Herron Library currently houses 40 artist books and 17 broadsides. In exchange, the library will host three biennial symposia from 2014-2018 to address the mission of the coalition: to promote awareness of the lasting power of the written word and the arts in support of the free expression of ideas, the preservation of shared cultural spaces, and the importance of responding to attacks on artists working in oppressive or conflict areas.
- [IUPUI University Library's Center for Digital Scholarship](#) librarians worked with the Indiana State Library and other cultural heritage organizations around the state to establish an [Indiana Hub within the Digital Public Library of America](#).