An Assessment of the Collection and Usage of the Circulation-Reserve Section

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In evaluating a collection, one is trying to determine what the library should have that it does not have and what it does have but should not have, taking into account factors of quality and appropriateness in the published literature, the obsolescence of the literature, changing users’ interests, and the need to optimize use of limited financial resources (Lancaster, 1993).

With a collection of 121,914 titles and 164,330 volumes (as of SY 2005-2006) and an average circulation of over 10,000v per month, and over 400v daily, the Circulation Section can be considered as the heart of the DLSU-M Library where the bulk of library transactions occur. Generally, it is responsible for the checking-out (borrowing) and checking-in (returning) of library materials and the maintenance of the stacks. It manages the reserve collection and handles the registration and updating of the records of library users.

In adherence to the DLSU-M Library’s continuing collection development program, an assessment of the Circulation-Reserve Section is necessary in order to determine how the present and previous library’s collecting efforts have thoroughly covered the literature in the field. Results of the study will also allow the library to ascertain the strengths and weaknesses of its collection and find out the extent of obsolescence, and in the end, come up with recommendations on which subject areas need updating so that the curricular and reading needs of the library users are adequately addressed. Specifically, this study aims to answer the following:

1) What subject areas in the collection were the strongest; and which were the weakest in terms of quantity held?
2) What subject areas in the collection were of high demand (usage) and what subject areas were of low demand?
3) Which major group of disciplines had the highest percentage of updated books, i.e. for the last 5 years (2000-2005); for the last 10 years (1995-1999);...
SMI-IC Seminar-Workshop on Archives Management: Principles and Techniques

The South Manila Inter-Institutional Consortium (SMI-IC) Committee of Librarians headed by Ms. Ana Maria B. Fresnido, DLSU-M Library Director, conducted a three day seminar workshop on Archives Management: Principles and Techniques on March 26-28, 2008. Invited speakers were Prof. Salvacion M. Arlante, University Librarian/Archivist of the UP Diliman Libraries and Ms. Fe Angela M. Verzosa, former DLSU Archivist and Library Director.

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Library Personnel Attend Lenten Retreat / Recollection

On March 7 and 14, 2008, the La Sallian Pastoral Office (LSPO) sponsored Lenten Recollections for DLSU-Manila faculty members. The first recollection was held at Cenacle House, Katipunan, Loyola Heights, Quezon City and was attended by Ms. Cynthia Cordova, Ms. Elizabeth Padilla, and Ms. Willian Frias. The second was held at Bukal ng Tipan Retreat House, Taytay, Rizal and was attended by Ms. Ana Maria Fresnido, Ms. Vivian Soriente, Ms. Annabelle Aliwalas, Ms. Purisima Fernando and Ms. Marita Valerio.

For the co-academic personnel (CAP), separate Lenten Retreats/Recollections were also held on March 14 and 15, 2008 at the Carmelite Missionary Center of Spirituality, Tagaytay City. Melton Jo, Lorielyn Esguerra, Rolando Masindo, Antonio Meneses, and Catherine Cabongero attended the said activity. Mr. Arun Gogna, a much sought-after national and international lay preacher and a former Theology professor at the De La Salle College of St. Benilde served as the retreat/recollection master.

A. Barsaga Attends Gabriel A. Bernardo Memorial Lecture

Ms. Agnes S. Barsaga attended the 29th Gabriel A. Bernardo Memorial Lecture Series at U.P. Balay Kalinaw, Conference Hall, Diliman, Q.C. on March 14, 2008. Sponsored by the U.P. School of Library and Information Studies (UPS LIS), in cooperation with the U.P. School of Library and Information Studies Student Council (UPS LIS SC), U.P. Library and Information Science Students Association (UPLISSA), U.P. Future Library and Information Professionals of the Philippines (U.P. FLIPP) and the U.P. Library Science Alumni Association (UPLSAA), the lecture entitled “The Library in a Changing Age of Information” was conducted by Mr. Manuel L. Quezon III. The Gabriel A. Bernardo Memorial Lecture Series is being held annually in honor of the late Prof. Gabriel A. Bernardo, the doyen of Philippine Librarianship who devoted his life to the development of librarianship and training of hundreds of Filipino librarians.
for the last 10 years (1995-1999); and for the last 15 years (1990-1994); and which disciplines had the highest percentage of outdated books but classics (1900 – 1989)?

4) Which of the colleges/departments were the frequent users of the circulation-reserve collection? How did the enrollment/population affect the volume of usage of a college?

5) Who were the users/borrowers of the Circulation-Reserve collection? Which group frequently borrowed the collection?

6) What were the implications of the findings of this study to the collection development policy of the library?

7) What recommendations/actions can be offered to strengthen the weak portion of the collection and eventually increase its usage.

The study was limited to the evaluation of the following library materials: (1) Books and CD-ROMs borrowed for home use within the school year 2005-2006; (2) Borrowed reserve books (books requested by professors to be placed at the Reserve Section)

Circulation books and CD-ROMs that were used (browsed/read) inside the reading area but were not charged out using the Millennium circulation modules and materials located/housed at the Reference Section, ASRC, EDRC, Filipiniana, etc. were excluded from this study.

Methodology

The study applied the following computations of percentages and analyses methods:

1) To determine the strength and weakness of the holdings of the Circulation-Reserve Section (in terms of total volumes held), the percentage method was used, whereby the total number of volumes held for each subject was divided by the grand total of volumes held and multiplied by 100. The data were arranged from highest to lowest based on the number of volumes held.

2) To determine which college/s/department/s got the highest and the lowest number of loans (usage); and what subject area/s had the heavy concentration of usage, the total number of loans per college & subject area was divided by total number of loans (usage) and multiplied by 100.

3) To determine the turn-over rate or the circulation/inventory (C/I) ratio, the circulation (usage in a class) was divided by number of volumes held.

4) To determine other factors contributing to the high and low demand for particular subject area/s, a profiling of the collection according to age (date of publication) was done. This method helped in determining the efforts spent in upgrading the collection and also revealed the extent of out-dated books which contributed to the high and low demand of books in certain subject areas.

5) To determine which college frequently borrowed books at the Circulation-Reserve Section the usage of the circulation collection by college and by patron type was presented. In addition, the enrollment size per college was also looked into to determine whether the size of enrollment affects the volume of usage.

Summary of Findings

Using the profiling of the book collection technique combined with percentages and turn-over rates computation and analysis methods, this study revealed the following findings:

1) Strength and weakness of the Collections

1.1 The Circulation-Reserve collections were strong in Science, Technology and Agriculture; Social Science; Languages and Literature; Religion and Philosophy; and Political Science, Law and Education. (See Table 1)

1.2 The following subject groups are weak: Music and Fine Arts; General Works, Military and Naval, Library Science, Author, Index, Subject Guide. (See Table 1)

2) The following subject groups are weak: General Works, Military and Naval, Library Science, History and Americas, Medicine and World History. (See Table 1)

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Table 1. Profile of Circulation and Reserve Books and CD-ROMs SY 2005-2006
2) Demand of Circulation-Reserve Books

2.1 The following major groups of subject areas were the most in demand: Social Sciences; Science, Technology and Agriculture; Religion and Philosophy; Language and Literature; and Political Science, Law and Education. (See Table 2)

2.2 Subject areas with turn-over rates ranging from 1.00 to 2.26 were Advertising, Psychiatry, Photography, Education (Special Aspects), Statistics (Social Sciences), Psychology, Personnel Management, History (General), Marketing, Environmental Engineering, Education (Practice) and Mechanical Engineering. (See Table 3)

3) Age of Book Collection

3.1 Most updated group of disciplines included 1st, Social Sciences; 2nd, Science, Technology and Agriculture; 3rd, Political Science, Law and Education; 4th, Religion and Philosophy; 5th, Language and Literature. (See Table 4, page 5)

3.2 Group of disciplines with the most number of outdated titles included 1st, Music and Fine Arts; 2nd, General Works, Military, Naval and Library Science; 3rd, History and Americas; 4th, World History; and 5th Medicine. (See Table 4, page 5). Reasons for their retention in the collection were based on lasting and high research value and being cited in the Best Books for Academic Libraries.

4) Use of the Circulation-Reserve Books by College/Departments

The following colleges logged the most number of users: 1st, CLA; 2nd, CBE; 3rd, CED; 4th, COE; 5th, CCS. These colleges were also found to have higher number of enrolees compared to the others. (See Table 5, page 5)

5) Use of the Circulation-Reserve Books by Patron Type

Reserve users revealed the following group as frequent users: 1st, Undergraduates; 2nd, Graduates; 3rd, Full-time faculty; 4th, Part-time faculty and 5th, CAP Group. (See Table 6, page 5)

6) Implications of the Findings to Collection Development of the Library

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6.1. It was found out that the more updated the collection, the higher the percentage of usage was.

6.2. The buying habit of the Library was largely influenced by demand or potential usage of the materials and the close collaboration of the librarians and the faculty of all the colleges/departments of the university.

6.3. Books were well selected due to the close collaboration between the librarians and the faculty of the different colleges.

Conclusion

Based on the above findings, this study concluded that: the library users preferred books which are more recent and well selected. In the DLSU-M Library, it is evident that there is close collaboration between the library and the faculty in terms of book selection and collection development. Secondly, the book buying habit of the library has been largely based on the demand of the curricular needs of the students and faculty. Another factor considered in acquiring books is the quality of titles. In the case of DLSU-M, quality purchases are guaranteed by the librarians’ effort to really see to it that titles are either cited in standard selection tools like the Best Books for Academic Libraries or recommended by members of the faculty of the different colleges/departments.

Recommendations

1. Strengthen the disciplines where there were heavy concentration of research such as: Advertising, Psychiatry, Photography, Education (Special Aspects), Statistics Social Science, Psychology, Personnel Management, History General, Marketing, Environmental Engineering, Education (Practice).

2. Continue to encourage the participation of members of the faculty of the different colleges/departments in matters of book selection and collection development. Pay particular attention to building titles cited in different course syllabi; and those that will support the teaching and research needs of the faculty and students.

3. Conduct a follow-up matching activity of the course syllabi against the library’s collection to ensure that curricular needs of the different departments/colleges are adequately addressed.

4. Step up weeding activity of Circulation book collection particularly in subject areas with high percentage of obsolete books like: Science, Technology And...
Trial Access to Elsevier’s SCOPUS

Elsevier has provided DLSU with a 6-month (March to September 2008) free trial access to SCOPUS through the following link: http://www.scopus.com. Scopus offers the broadest, most integrated coverage of peer-reviewed scientific, technical, medical and social science literature and quality web sources. Updated daily, Scopus offers:

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- Broadest coverage available for scientific, technical, medical and social sciences literature
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- Coverage is over 99% complete as of 1996 (on issue level)

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Agriculture, Social Science, Language and Literature, Religion and Philosophy, Political Science, Law and Education and World History. However, classic books and those of high research values should be retained.

5. Improve promotional activities focusing on the marketing of less used books in the library.

6. Come up with a stricter policy on gifts and donation paying particular attention to the relevance and obsolescence of the donation being accepted.

7. Conduct a follow-up study with the objective of measuring the perception of students and faculty with regard to the library’s collections and services.

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1. Books

BD – Speculative


BF – Psychology


BJ – Ethics


BL – Religion

Intelligent thought: science versus the intelligent design movement. Edited by John Brockman. BL262 . IS8 2006. Andrew Gonzalez Hall Library.

BR – Christianity


BS – The Bible


BT – Doctrinal theology


BV – Practical theology


BX – Christian denominations


CC – Archeology (General)


D – History (General)


DS – Asia


DT – Africa

**GE – Environmental science**


Environmental studies as per UG, PG and NET syllabus. Rajesh Dhankhar. GE70 . D5 2006. Andrew Gonzalez Hall Library.

**GV – Recreation. Physical education and training**


Karate: [essential tips, drills, and combat techniques]. Nathan Johnson; senior consultant editor, Aidan Trimble. GV1101 . M37 v.3. Andrew Gonzalez Hall Library.

Kickboxing: [essential tips, drills, and combat techniques]. Nathan Johnson; senior consultant editor, Aidan Trimble. GV1101 . M37 v.4. Andrew Gonzalez Hall Library.


Martial arts for women: [essential, tips, drills, and combat techniques]. Eric Chaline; senior consultant editor, Aidan Trimble. GV1101 . M37 v.11. Andrew Gonzalez Hall Library.


**HA – Statistics**


**HC – Economic history and conditions**


**HD – Economic history and conditions. Industrial management. Production**


**HF – Commerce**


**HG – Finance**


**HM – Sociology**


HN – Social history. Social problems. Social reform


HQ – The family


HT – Communities


LA – History of education


LB – Theory and practice of education


LC – Special aspects of education


The special educator's guide to collaboration : improving relationships with co-teachers, teams, and families. Sharon F. Cramer. LC3969.45 . C7 2006. Andrew Gonzalez Hall Library.


LG – Education. Philippines


N – Visual arts (General)


P – Philology and linguistics (General)


PE – English language


Malictionary : a compilation of often misused, mispronounced, misspelled and misunderstood words and expressions by the Filipino, and other curious trivia. Ernie Zarate ; with illustrations by Stephanie Bravo-Semilla. PE1680 . Z37 2004. 4th floor, Filipiniana.

PL – Philippine literature


PN – Literature


PR – English literature


Icarus, the boy who could fly. Saviour Pirotta ; illustrated by Jan Lewis. PR6066. I7 I14 2006. Andrew Gonzalez Hall Library.
Library.


**PS – American literature**


**Q – Science**


**QA – Mathematics**


**QA – Computer science**


**QB – Astronomy**


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**QC – Physics**


The complete idiot's guide to physics. Johnnie T. Dennis, Gary Moring ; [edited by Mike Sanders ... et al.]. QC23.2 . D46 2006. Andrew Gonzalez Hall Library.


Meteorology : understanding the atmosphere. Steven A. Ackerman, John A. Knox. QC861.3 A34 2007. Andrew Gonzalez Hall Library.


**QE – Geology**


**QP – Physiology**

Understanding biomechanics for physical education and

**RJ – Pediatrics**


**T – Technology (General)**


**TD – Environmental technology**


**TJ – Mechanical engineering and machinery**


**TK – Electrical engineering. Electronics**


**TX – Home economics**


**ZA – Library and information science**


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- Abatayo, Junifer A.
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  - IELTS 101 : preparation and practice (practice tests on listening, reading, writing and speaking)

- Acosta, Sherlyne A.
  - Developing research culture in Philippine higher education institutions : perspectives of university faculty

- Alcuaz, Manuel A., Jr.
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  - Map insights. Club information systems

- Asenjo, Genevieve L.
  - 5 tanaga

- Asuncion, Ruben Carlo O.
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- Batalla, Eric Vincent C.
  - Convergence by design and accident : interests, institutions, and identities in regional economic construction

- Batan, Victor Francis C.
  - Synthesis and characterization of a silylene-bridged dicopper complex [Cu2(B(3.5-dime)BAPS) (u-Si(CH3)2(H2O)2], [BAPS=bis(3-(2-hydroxybenzylideneamino)phenyl) sulfone]

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  - Student attitudes toward Bible reading : a Philippine experience

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  - Breaking signs. A brown man's white Christmas
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  - Homily guides, 2005

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