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Transitions

**Session is considered a complete visit by a user.
Multiple searches or "hits" occur in same "session."

- Access – Print to Digital

- Usage
  - University of Wisconsin Digital Collections
    - 21,738 user sessions per day and 8 million per year
      - 13,071 daily sessions of Madison's top 30 data bases
  - Discovery
    - 12.3 million searches (2014) in the new resource discovery tool at a cost of $0.01/search
  - Delivery (Resource Sharing)
    - 664,500 for UW System (2014)
  - Shared Electronic Collections
    - 3,231,626 uses (2014). Average cost per use is $0.74

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Monopolistic Pricing – The Challenge
- Increasing cost of Chemistry Texts

Large Scale Acquisitions – A Solution
- Leveraging UW-Madison's buying power with the CIC
  - Wiley Journals – 2.5% per year inflation. Without Madison negotiations, would be 7-9%
  - Web of Science – Core Resource – 0% inflation for years 1 and 2, 1% for year 3

Collaboration at scale (e.g. Primo, Alma)

Ave. Cost of Chemistry Periodicals 2004-2014	FY2004	FY2014	Increase
*Consumer Price Index source	$2,695	$4,215	56.4%

Ave. Cost of Chemistry Texts – All publishers 2004-2014	FY2004	FY2014	Increase
*Consumer Price Index source	$182	$204	12.49%

The Library as a Place

Clockwise from top left: UW-Madison Design Lab, UW-Madison BioCommons, UW-Madison WisCel, UW-Milwaukee Daniel M. Soref Learning Commons, UW-Oshkosh Polk Library.

Future Issues

Provide System-wide access to electronic resources & services

- Scholarly communication/publishing/ Copyright, author's rights, dissemination
- Faculty and researchers need viable options for the dissemination of their scholarship

Link physical library spaces to student learning and engagement

Curation/preservation/data management/special collections

Discovery/delivery/accessibility/User Experience

Strategic partnerships—collaboration at scale—cost, efficiencies

Support E-Learning

- Refine assessment tools to support learning outcomes

Enhance advancement/development

- No one ever graduated from a library, but no one ever graduated without one.

Take Aways

- Libraries benefit ALL students and faculty across the entire System
- Continued investment is needed for access to scholarly content and shared infrastructure
- Leveraging our campus, community and vendor relationships, for the benefit of students and faculty
- An excellent library is a competitive advantage for a campus/system/community.

The Libraries' Role Preparing Students for Today's Workforce

Library Resources and Academic Success

Building learning communities through interdisciplinary study
- Josh Calhoun – Assistant Professor of English, UW – Madison
- Ryan Hussey – Student, UW – Madison

Advancing and bettering opportunities in the workforce
- Susan Stalewski, UW – Milwaukee, MBA, MLS (ASCP)