



HATHITRUST

A Shared Digital Repository

# HathiTrust and TRAC

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# Partnership

Arizona State University  
Baylor University  
Boston College  
Boston University  
California Digital Library  
Columbia University  
Cornell University  
Dartmouth College  
Duke University  
Emory University  
Florida State University  
Getty Research Institute  
Harvard University Library  
Indiana University  
Johns Hopkins University  
Lafayette College  
Library of Congress  
Massachusetts Institute of  
Technology  
McGill University  
Michigan State University  
New York Public Library  
New York University  
North Carolina Central  
University

North Carolina State  
University  
Northwestern University  
The Ohio State University  
The Pennsylvania State  
University  
Princeton University  
Purdue University  
Stanford University  
Texas A&M University  
Universidad Complutense  
de Madrid  
University of Arizona  
University of Calgary  
University of California  
Berkeley  
Davis  
Irvine  
Los Angeles  
Merced  
Riverside  
San Diego  
San Francisco  
Santa Barbara  
Santa Cruz  
The University of Chicago

University of Connecticut  
University of Florida  
University of Illinois  
University of Illinois at Chicago  
The University of Iowa  
University of Maryland  
University of Miami  
University of Michigan  
University of Minnesota  
University of Missouri  
University of Nebraska-Lincoln  
The University of North  
Carolina at Chapel Hill  
University of Notre Dame  
University of Pennsylvania  
University of Pittsburgh  
University of Utah  
University of Virginia  
University of Washington  
University of Wisconsin-  
Madison  
Utah State University  
Washington University  
Yale University Library



# Digital Repository

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- Launched 2008
- Initial focus on digitized book and journal content
  - 10.4 million volumes
  - 5.5 book titles
  - 270,000+ serial titles
  - 3.1 public domain volumes (~30%)



# Mission

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- To contribute to the common good by collecting, organizing, preserving, communicating, and sharing the record of human knowledge



# Collections and Collaboration

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- Comprehensive collection
  - Preservation...with Access
- Shared strategies
- Public Good



# Services

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- Long-term preservation
  - Bit-level and migration
- Bibliographic search
- Full-text search
- Reading and download capabilities
- Print on demand
- Collections
- Datasets, Research Center



# Governance

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- 12-member Board of Governors
  - April 2012
- Manages budget and finances
- Budget separately held within the University of Michigan
- Strategic Advisory Board
- Working Groups and Committees



# CRL Audit

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- Why
  - Value Community Standards
  - Accountability, Openness, Transparency
    - Desire to know how we were doing, and let the community know





# CRL Audit (2)

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- Timeline
  - Data gathering: November 2009 - December 2010
  - Site visit May 2010
- Developmental stages
- Core pieces in place



# Results and Issues

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- Organizational Infrastructure (2)
- Digital Object Management (3)
- Technologies, Technical Infrastructure, Security (4)



# Key Issues

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- Staff/Organization
- Rights and ownership of HathiTrust enterprise assets
- Succession plan
- Clarify and strengthen quality assurance and print archiving components of HathiTrust program



# Future Work

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- Disaster Recovery
- Change Management
  - Moving to new formats: image, audio, born-digital
- Governance



Thank you very much!

