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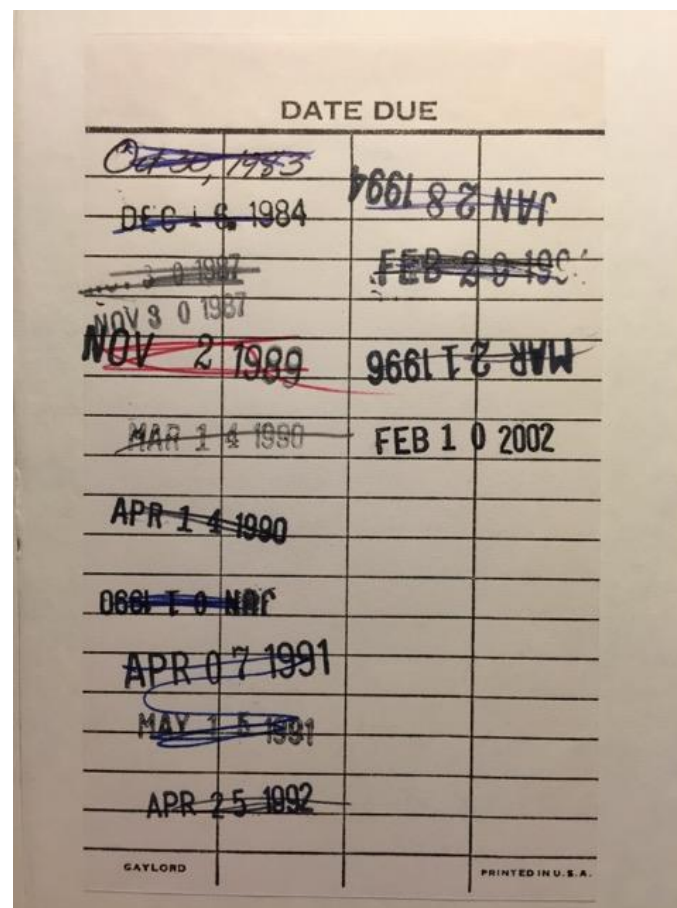
New Roles for New Times

Collection Profiling Librarian

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Then



Now

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| 1 | Book Report 2 (R4) | Number of Successful Section Requests by Month and Title | | | | | | | | | |
| 2 | unimelb.edu.au | Section Type: | | | | | | | | | |
| 3 | | Chapter | | | | | | | | | |
| 4 | Period covered by Report: | | | | | | | | | | |
| 5 | 2015-01-01 to 2015-12-31 | | | | | | | | | | |
| 6 | Date run: | | | | | | | | | | |
| 7 | 7/01/2016 | | | | | | | | | | |
| 8 | | Publisher | Platform | Book DOI | Proprietary Identifier | ISBN | ISSN | Reporting Period | | | |
| | | | | | | | | Total | Jan-15 | Feb-15 | Mar-15 |
| 9 | Total for all titles | | Platform Z | | | | | 45,414 | 641 | 772 | 2,322 |
| 10 | Title A | Publisher X | Platform Z | | | 978-1-925-02124-0 | | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 11 | Title B | Publisher X | Platform Z | | | 978-1-922-14407-2 | | 44 | 0 | 1 | 3 |
| 12 | Title C | Publisher X | Platform Z | | | 978-1-921-86240-3 | | 19 | 0 | 0 | 19 |
| 13 | Title D | Publisher X | Platform Z | | | 978-1-920-94282-3 | | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 14 | Title E | Publisher X | Platform Z | | | 978-1-922-14440-9 | | 154 | 0 | 0 | 16 |
| 15 | Title F | Publisher X | Platform Z | | | 978-1-921-31378-3 | | 28 | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| 16 | Title G | Publisher X | Platform Z | | | 978-0-252-09625-9 | | 25 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 17 | Title H | Publisher X | Platform Z | | | 978-1-400-85631-2 | | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 18 | Title I | Publisher X | Platform Z | | | 978-0-833-08439-2 | | 13 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 19 | Title J | Publisher X | Platform Z | | | 978-0-812-20218-2 | | 6 | 2 | 0 | 0 |



Collection Profiling Librarian

Position developed late 2014 (started April 2015)

Profile the existing collection and develop profiles for new print and electronic approval and patron driven acquisition plans for all discipline areas



Collection Profiling Librarian

- Develop methods and processes for profiling the library collections using available tools and data from available sources
- Present information gathered to relevant stakeholders
- Provide advice and recommendations on the development of approval and/or patron driven acquisition plans
- Provide advice on purchase, retention or cancellation decisions

Skills and Knowledge

Libraries



■ Box Hill Institute ■ La Trobe University ■ Curtin University ■ UWA

Roles



■ Acting Manager ■ Cataloguer
■ Client Services ■ Collection Development
■ Collection Review and Discovery ■ Information Services



Skills and Knowledge

Electronic resources

- Product awareness
- Usage report formats

Microsoft Excel

- Data processing
- Data analysis
- Data modelling

Communication

- Data visualisation
- Report writing



Transition Points

- Outsourcing cataloguing
- Acting position opportunities
- Collection development
- LTU restructure process

A Few Reflections

What I Enjoy

- Problem solving and experimentation
- Investigating and exploring
- Partnerships
- End to end involvement
- Making a difference
- Taking the next step

What I Miss



Advice

Experiment

Experience

Engage

Enjoy!

Thank you

