

Institution: Florida Atlantic University (133669)

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## Overview

### Academic Libraries Overview

Welcome to the IPEDS Academic Libraries (AL) survey component. The purpose of the AL component of IPEDS is to collect information on library collections, library expenses, and library services for libraries in degree-granting postsecondary institutions.

#### Recent changes

There are no changes to the 2018-19 Academic Libraries component from the 2017-18 collection. Visit the [Academic Libraries Resource](#) page for additional reporting resources.

#### Data Reporting Reminders

Report all data for fiscal year (FY) 2018. Fiscal Year 2018 is defined as the most recent 12-month period that ends before October 1, 2018, that corresponds to the institution's fiscal year.

#### Coverage

Include data for the main or central academic library and all branch and independent libraries that were open all or part of the Fiscal Year 2018. Branch and independent libraries are defined as auxiliary library service outlets with quarters separate from the central library that houses the basic collection. The central library administers the branches. Libraries on branch campuses that have separate IPEDS unit identification numbers are reported as separate libraries.

#### Resources

To download the survey materials for this component: [Survey Materials](#)

To access your prior year data submission for this component: [Reported Data](#)

For more information about the previous survey: [Academic Libraries Survey](#)

If you have questions about completing this survey, please contact the **IPEDS Help Desk at 1-877-225-2568**.

### Screening Questions

**?** Were your annual total library expenses for Fiscal Year 2018:

Less than \$100,000

Greater than or equal to \$100,000

Is the library collection entirely electronic?

No

Yes

## Library Collections/Circulation and Interlibrary Loan Services

### Section I:

For all degree-granting institutions  
 with library expenses >0 and/or access to a library collection

**NOTE - This section of the survey collects data on selected types of material. It does not cover all materials.  
 Report the total number of each category held at the END of Fiscal Year 2018.**

| Library Collections        | Physical  |                   | Digital/Electronic |                   | Total     |
|----------------------------|-----------|-------------------|--------------------|-------------------|-----------|
|                            |           | Prior Year Amount |                    | Prior Year Amount |           |
| Books                      | 907,932   | 854,502           | 1,316,723          | 1,224,285         |           |
| Databases                  |           |                   | 628                | 581               |           |
| Media                      | 702,143   | 1,402,006         | 68,399             | 72,081            |           |
| Serials                    | 31,489    | 29,249            | 194,584            | 105,472           |           |
| <b>Total</b>               | 1,641,564 | 2,285,757         | 1,580,334          | 1,402,419         | 3,221,898 |
| <b>Library Circulation</b> | 27,286    | 37,785            | 266,481            | 524,387           | 293,767   |

Does your institution have Interlibrary Loan Services ?

- No  
 Yes

| Interlibrary Loan Services   | Number | Prior Year Amount |
|--|--------|-------------------|
| Total interlibrary loans and documents provided to other libraries | 15,992 | 22,328            |
| Total interlibrary loans and documents received                    | 6,426  | 9,478             |

You may use the space below to provide context for the data you've reported above. This context box will not be posted on the [College Navigator Website](#).

## Expenses

| Section II:<br>For degree-granting institutions with<br>library expenses >= \$100,000   |                              |                          |
|---|------------------------------|--------------------------|
| <b>Library expenses</b> should be reported for the most recent 12-month period that corresponds to your institution's fiscal year that ends before October 1, 2018. |                              |                          |
|   |                              | <b>Prior Year Amount</b> |
| <b>?</b> Indicate the number of <b>branch and independent libraries</b> (exclude the main or central library).  | 2                            | 2                        |
| <b>?</b> Expenses   | <b>Amount</b>                |                          |
| <b>Total salaries and wages</b> for the library staff   | 4,270,060                    | 4,171,369                |
| <b>Are staff fringe benefits paid out of the library budget?</b>  |                              |                          |
| <input type="radio"/> No  |                              |                          |
| <input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes  | <b>Total Fringe benefits</b> | 1,252,387                |
|   |                              | 1,188,312                |
| <b>Materials/services expenses</b>  |                              |                          |
| One-time purchases of <u>books</u> , <u>serial back-files</u> , and other materials   | 289,942                      |                          |
| Ongoing commitments to subscriptions  | 3,172,878                    |                          |
| All other materials/services costs  | 36,761                       |                          |
| <b>Total materials/services expenses</b>  | 3,499,581                    | 3,081,725                |
| <b>Operations and maintenance expenses</b>  |                              |                          |
| Preservation services   | 8,771                        |                          |
| All other operations and maintenance expenses   | 611,686                      |                          |
| <b>Total operations and maintenance expenses</b>  | 620,457                      | 597,443                  |
| <b>Total Expenses</b>   | 9,642,485                    | 9,038,849                |
| <b>Total Expenses (minus Fringe Benefits)</b>   | 8,390,098                    | 7,850,537                |

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**Prepared by**

The name of the preparer is being collected so that we can follow up with the appropriate person in the event that there are questions concerning the data. The Keyholder will be copied on all email correspondence to other preparers.

The time it took to prepare this component is being collected so that we can continue to improve our estimate of the reporting burden associated with IPEDS. Please include in your estimate the time it took for you to review instructions, query and search data sources, complete and review the component, and submit the data through the Data Collection System.

Thank you for your assistance.

**This survey component was prepared by:**

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|---------------------------------------|---|----------------------------------|
| <input type="radio"/> Keyholder       | <input type="radio"/> SFA Contact                         | <input type="radio"/> HR Contact |
| <input type="radio"/> Finance Contact | <input checked="" type="radio"/> Academic Library Contact | <input type="radio"/> Other      |

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**How many staff from your institution only were involved in the data collection and reporting process of this survey component?**

12.00 Number of Staff (including yourself)

**How many hours did you and others from your institution only spend on each of the steps below when responding to this survey component?**

*Exclude the hours spent collecting data for state and other reporting purposes.*

| Staff member  | Collecting Data Needed | Revising Data to Match IPEDS Requirements | Entering Data | Revising and Locking Data |
|---------------|------------------------|---|---------------|---------------------------|
| Your office   | 10.00hours             | 0.00hours                                 | 1.00hours     | 1.00hours                 |
| Other offices | 55.00hours             | 7.50hours                                 | 0.00hours     | 0.00hours                 |

**Summary****Academic Libraries Component Summary**

IPEDS collects important information regarding your institution. All data reported in IPEDS survey components become available in the IPEDS Data Center and appear as aggregated data in various Department of Education reports. Additionally, some of the reported data appears in your institution's Data Feedback Report (DFR). The purpose of this summary is to provide you an opportunity to view some of the data that, when accepted through the IPEDS quality control process, will appear on your DFR. Data Feedback Reports will be available through the [Data Center](#) and sent to your institution's CEO in November 2018.

Please review your data for accuracy. If you have questions about the data displayed below after reviewing the data reported on the survey screens, please contact the IPEDS Help Desk at: 1-877-225-2568 or [ipedshelp@rti.org](mailto:ipedshelp@rti.org).

| Library Collections/Circulation | Physical Collection | Digital/Electronic Collection |
|---------------------------------|---------------------|-------------------------------|
| Books                           | 907,932             | 1,316,723                     |
| Databases                       |                     | 628                           |
| Media                           | 702,143             | 68,399                        |
| Serials                         | 31,489              | 194,584                       |
| Total Collection                | 1,641,564           | 1,580,334                     |
|                                 |                     |                               |
| Total Circulation               | 27,286              | 266,481                       |

| Expenses                            | Amount      |
|-------------------------------------|-------------|
| Salaries and wages                  | \$4,270,060 |
| Fringe benefits                     | \$1,252,387 |
| Materials/services expenses         | \$3,499,581 |
| Operations and maintenance expenses | \$620,457   |
| Total expenses                      | \$9,642,485 |

## Academic Libraries

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| Source  | Description   | Severity    | Resolved | Options |
|---|---|-------------|----------|---------|
| <b>Screen: Collections/Circulation and Interlibrary Loan Services</b> |   |             |          |         |
| Upload File   | The number entered (702,143) is outside the expected range of between 981,405 and 1,822,607 compared to the prior year value. Please correct your data or explain. (Error #15015)   | Explanation | Yes      |         |
| Reason:   | The decrease is due to the Libraries withdrawing many microforms from the collection in FY 2017-2018 which resulted in a decrease in the number of physical media titles. One example: The Libraries withdrew all ERIC fiche totaling 669,784 fiche.                  |             |          |         |
| Upload File   | The number entered (266,481) is outside the expected range of between 367,071 and 681,703 compared to the prior year value. Please correct your data or explain. (Error #15015)   | Explanation | Yes      |         |
| Reason:   | The decrease is due to inaccurate statistics from ProQuest in FY 2016-2017. The ProQuest migration from ebrary to the new E-Book Central platform may have resulted in the doubling of e-book usage statistics provided the previous year.                            |             |          |         |
| Upload File   | The number entered (6,426) is outside the expected range of between 6,635 and 12,321 compared to the prior year value. Please correct your data or explain. (Error #15015)  | Explanation | Yes      |         |
| Reason:   | In FY 2016-2017, the number of non-returnable items was for submitted items, whereas for FY 2017-2018, the number of non-returnable items was for filled items. This accounts for a decrease of 2,149 items from the previous fiscal year.                            |             |          |         |
| Upload File   | The number entered (194,584) is outside the expected range of between 73,831 and 137,113 compared to the prior year value. Please correct your data or explain. (Error #15015)  | Explanation | Yes      |         |
| Reason:   | The increase is due to the difference in digital/electronic serials counts provided by Serials Solutions and EBSCO. In previous years, the Libraries used Serials Solutions for the count. In FY 2017-2018, the Libraries used EBSCO Holdings and Link Manager (HLM). |             |          |         |