ReCAP Shared Collections: Off-site is in-the-center

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ReCAP: Facility and Services

Preservation Repository, Princeton Forrestal Campus

- 13.5 million items at present, 15 million by end of 2017.
- Preservation environment 3-4x better than conventional stacks.
- Primarily off-peak and sustainable energy; currently over 60% and 10% each.

Reader Services

- Physical delivery, next-day throughout from Boston-Washington corridor (200,000 orders per year)
- ILL services processed same-day, for fulfillment within 1 business week (15,000 per year)
- Same-day digital fulfilment for articles, chapters, contents, indexes, etc. (15,000 per year).
- On-site reading room available.
Shared Collections

Discovery to Delivery

Shared items appear in the local discovery layer.

Patrons receive shared items through existing hold and notification systems.

Items circulate under the same borrowing rules as locally-held items.

6,282,471 Bibs representing 10,249,412 Items

CUL: 2,247,898 / 3,236,808 Items

NYPL: 2,157,058 / 4,107,016 Items.

PUL: 1,877,515 / 2,905,588 Items.

4,836,184 Bibs (77%) and 6,867,956 Items (67%) with NO use restrictions.
Shared Collection Services: Technology

- Shared Collections Service Bus to facilitate discovery and borrowing of materials across partners: in active development; Go-live Fall 2017.
  - Documentation: https://htcrecap.atlassian.net/wiki/spaces/RTG
  - Code: https://github.com/ResearchCollectionsAndPreservation

- Inventory Management System to support a better research materials “supply chain” Business requirements complete; development pending.

- Collection Analytics System for better support of prospective and retrospective cooperative collection development, in proposal development.
University: User Base

Library

Storage
Thank You.