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Keeping you connected to the past,
engaged in the present to shape our
preferred futures



Points of Pride

- Member of 123 ARLs in North America (113 research universities)
- Nationally acclaimed special collections
- Innovative program of instructional services



Points of Pride (cont.)

- New Annex (1.6m) Fill rate: 250K/year
- Added five book drop-off boxes
- Professional expertise and skills to support research, teaching and student learning



Points of Pride (cont.)

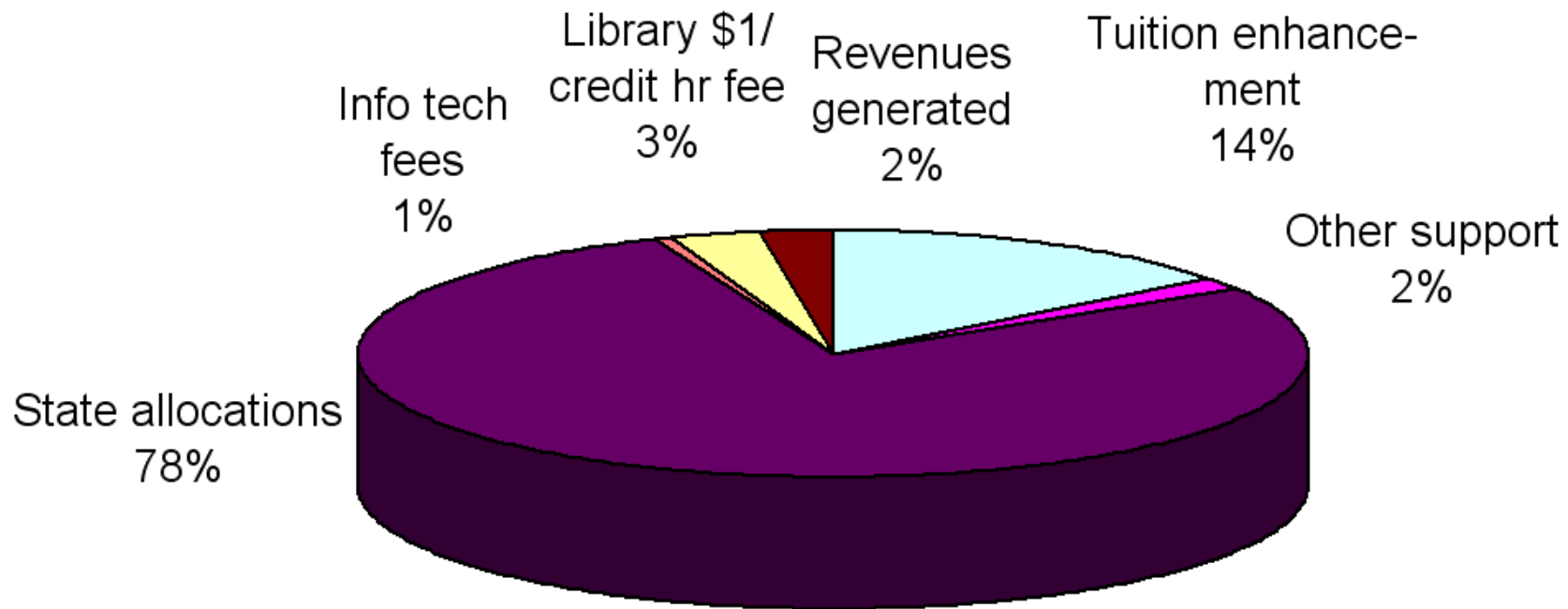
- Leader in creating Institutional Repository (KU ScholarWorks)
- Added more than 50k digital images to collection via Luna Insight



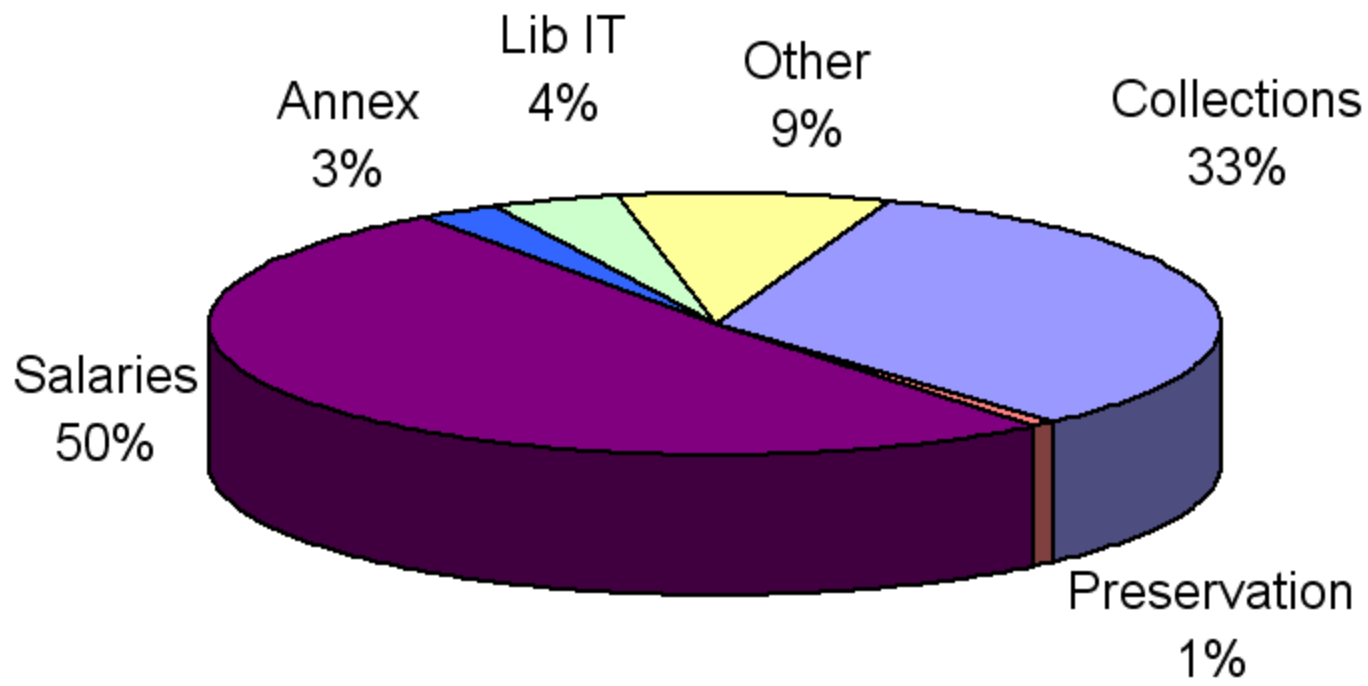
Points of Pride (cont.)

- Strong collections to support International Programs and Cultures
- BudigOne

FY06 Libraries Sources of Funds



FY06 Libraries Uses of Funds



KU vs. ARL Median Totals

	2002-2003			2003-2004			2004-2005		
	KU	Median	KU over/ (under)	KU	Median	KU over/ (under)	KU	Median	KU over/ (under)
# of Monographs Purchased	42,461	35,577	6,884	38,465	33,425	5,040	38,123	31,967	6,156
Total \$ Spent on Library Mat'ls (in thousands of \$)	\$ 7,707	\$ 7,707	\$ -	\$ 7,702	\$ 8,276	\$ (574)	\$ 8,333	\$ 8,652	\$ (319)
% \$ for Elec Resources vs all Lib Mat'ls	22.34%	U/A		21.04%	29.81%	(8.77%)	22.41%	37.03%	(14.62%)



Some Observations among ARLs

- ARLs will remain stewards of large collections in physical and virtual space
- Massive digitization will happen
- Increased shifting of resources between acquisition vs. access and preservation



More ARL Observations ...

- Libraries are leading change on campuses
- Change will be incremental (traditional practices vs. innovations will live side by side)

Science & Technology Faculty- LibQUAL FY03

Issue Raised	Action Taken
•Requested more access to electronic journals	•Expenditures for electronic resources increased by 25% from FY03 thru FY05
•Poor copier service	•Contracted with external provider for public copier services
•Desire for improved ILL services	•Implemented local article delivery from print journals. Number of ILL items provided increased by 28% from FY03 thru FY06
•Website difficult to utilize	•Redesigned website based on usability studies – simplified libraries home page



Science & Technology Faculty LibQUAL FY06 Issues Raised

- Want more journals (reduce journal cuts)
- Provide more electronic access to information, particularly in **full text format**
- Delivery of books to remote sites (i.e. West Campus)
- Provide electronic access to medical library holdings



Moving Ahead

We will:

- Commit to engagement
- Be vital partners in supporting your research and teaching needs
- Create high visibility and pride in KU Libraries



New Initiatives

- Electronic transmission of requested in-house journal articles
- Campus delivery service (pilot test now)
- Develop a programmatic approach to digitizing current collections (public domain)



New Initiatives (cont.)

- Create high visibility for International Programs and Cultures on 5th floor (discussion initiated)
- Repurpose other library spaces
- Enhance service quality
- Identify needs for faculty workshops



The Last Word

We will:

- Ask your help in selecting items for Annex (Next: Dewey 900s)
- Delay serial cancellations until Spring, 2007



THANK YOU!

QUESTIONS?