

## **A Day in the Life of CARLI**

*1 out of 8 adults in the state of Illinois—over 1.1 million students, faculty and staff at 131 CARLI Governing member institutions—is eligible for CARLI services.  
The following statistics represent a typical day, Tuesday, October 14, 2014.*

### **I-Share**

*CARLI's enterprise library management system serves 85 Illinois colleges and research libraries to support a shared library catalog, and resource sharing.*

#### **Catalog searches**

344,082 web searches of the I-Share catalogs were conducted  
278,289 (81%) were done in the 85 institutions' individual catalogs  
65,793 (19%) of searches were done in the consortial union catalog

#### **Items checked out or requested**

10,959 items were checked out of all libraries using I-Share  
9529 (87%) were checked out by patrons of the owning library  
1430 (13%) were checked out by patrons of other I-Share institutions

2487 off-site requests were placed for I-Share items  
1767 (71%) were Universal Borrowing requests by other libraries' patrons  
720 (28%) were call slip requests by patrons of the owning library

#### **Patron account activity**

- 344 new logins to the VuFind catalog were created by library users
- 10,081 library user queries to view their account information (items checked out, on request, and library fine status)
- 567 catalog records were newly marked as "favorites" by library users

#### **Catalog growth**

- 1505 unique new titles were added to the I-Share union catalog
- 15,480 catalog records were updated in the I-Share union catalog
- 24,102 new holdings (copies) were added to the I-Share union catalog
- 18,199 records were added or updated via batch loads the 85 individual catalogs
- Over 250,000 record holding updates were sent to OCLC by CARLI batch loads in the month of October 2014

### **CARLI-funded E-Resources**

*Provides complimentary access to core electronic resources for the benefit of all CARLI members.*

#### **EBSCO Academic Search Complete**

29,065 sessions initiated, with 64,822 searches performed  
19,628 full-text articles downloaded

#### **Sage E-Journal Deep Journal Backfile Collection**

236 articles were accessed

#### **Sage E-reference Collection**

57 titles in the Sage E-reference Collection were accessed.

### **CARLI Demand-Driven Acquisitions Projects**

*Projects to provide access to materials that will be acquired by CARLI when patrons place requests for these titles.*

#### **Ebooks**

Patrons of 68 CARLI institutions used an ebook from this project

452 browsed unowned items

96 browsed owned items

218 loans of unowned items

142 loans of owned items

#### **Print books**

95 titles were requested and purchased in October 2014

### **Illinois Library Delivery Service (ILDS)**

*The statewide library delivery service managed by CARLI*

1572 bags, containing 4541 items were placed en route from 69 source libraries to 124 destination libraries

### **SFX**

*A service that provides context-sensitive linking between web resources, such as indexes, and the full online text of articles. Used by 56 CARLI libraries.*

21,529 requests to search for linked material

8411 (39%) were requests for CARLI-subsidized resources

12,272 "click-through's" to connect to linked material

5627 (46%) were click-throughs to CARLI-subsidized resources

### **CONTENTdm**

*A digital library management system operated by CARLI with consortial collections and collections contributed by 35 member institutions*

280 people, from 17 different countries, viewed 1088 unique items

### **Digitization**

*An ongoing project to digitize unique collections of CARLI libraries through the Internet Archive's Open Content Alliance*

8940 pages scanned