



CARLI

Consortium of
Academic and Research
Libraries in Illinois

*Celebrating nearly 40 years of collaboration and resource sharing
July 1, 2018–June 30, 2019*

128

GOVERNING MEMBER LIBRARIES

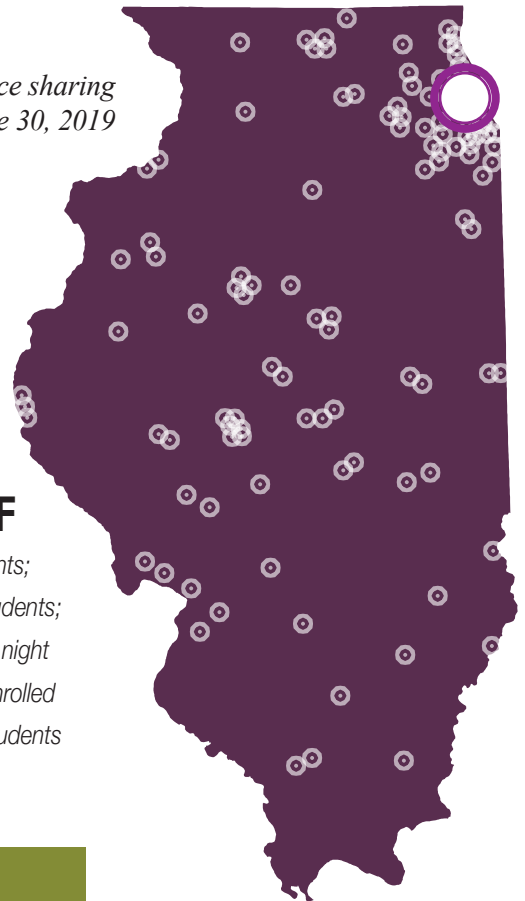
serving over **800,000**

STUDENTS, FACULTY, and STAFF

*Including undergraduate and graduate students;
post-doctoral researchers; online students;
non-traditional students in night
and weekend classes; and dual-enrolled
high school students*



90% of Illinois college students
attend a CARLI Governing
member institution



September 25, 2019: A typical day in the life of CARLI



**Patrons at
I-Share libraries
checked out 7,599
items**

1,045 unique new titles were
added to the I-Share Union Catalog

CARLI Digital Collections

329 users from **22 countries**
viewed **1,769** unique items



3,046 library items
were en route via **ILDS**
from **118** source libraries
to **134** destination libraries

CARLI-Subsidized E-Resources



Library patrons initiated **231,379 sessions**,
completed **243,088 searches**, and
downloaded **20,731 full-text articles**
in EBSCO Academic Search Complete
at no direct cost to the libraries





CARLI's Annual Value to Illinois Higher Education

Serving over 800,000 students, faculty, and staff at 128 Governing Member Institutions
July 1, 2018–June 30, 2019

Value

CARLI delivered \$45 million

worth of goods and services with a return on investment of

\$3.87 for every \$1 spent by members

I-Share

\$19.7 million

in costs avoided through
shared collections and systems

38.7 million items

91 libraries

580,000+ students, faculty, and staff



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765,000 items transported

each for less than the cost of two postage stamps

eResources

7.1 million articles downloaded from EBSCO

Academic Search Complete at **\$0 direct cost to members**

**2,775 subscriptions
for 125 libraries**

\$23.1 million

worth of academic content

Digital Collections

297 collections totaling 2.6TB of data from 47 libraries

including images, manuscripts, sound recordings available to researchers around the world

Illinois Digital Heritage Hub / Digital Public Library of America

318,000+ metadata records

Open Educational Resources

Preservation

Cooperative Collection Development

Last Copy Program

**Collections
Management**

Committees Professional Development

46 institutions represented on CARLI Committees and Task Forces

\$262,000 in costs avoided for **55+** conferences, workshops,
and trainings provided at **\$0 direct cost to members**