Celebrating 40 years of collaboration and resource sharing, 1980-2020

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CARLI's Annual Value to Illinois Higher Education
Serving over 800,000 students, faculty, and staff at 128 Governing Member Institutions
July 1, 2019–June 30, 2020

Value
CARLI delivered $42 million worth of goods and services with a return on investment of $2.56 for every $1 spent by members

I-Share
$16.9 million in costs avoided through shared collections and systems
38.6 million items
91 libraries
580,000+ students, faculty, and staff

536,000 items transported each for less than the cost of three postage stamps

eResources
3.4 million articles downloaded from EBSCO Academic Search Complete at $0 direct cost to members
2,781 subscriptions for 123 libraries
$23.2 million worth of academic content

Digital Collections
316 collections totaling 3.1TB 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
218,000+ images from CARLI member libraries

Open Educational Resources
Consortial Ebooks
Preservation
Last Copy Program

Collections Management

Committees
46 institutions represented on CARLI Committees and Task Forces

Professional Development
$356,000 in costs avoided for 45+ conferences, workshops, and trainings provided at $0 direct cost to members

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