Library Service

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Brief introduction to the UAB

Source: Wikimedia commons
Main data about the UAB

**Teaching**
- 294 bachelor, official and UAB master’s degrees (2014-2015)
- 32,416 undergraduates, UAB and official master’s students (2013-2014)
- 8 MOOC offered on Coursera (2014-2015)

**Research**
- 65 PhD programmes. 27 with an Excellence Award. (2014-2015)
- 4,015 PhD students (2013-2014)
- 3,102 articles published in indexed journals (2013, WoS)
- 51 European research projects (2013)
- 78 national research projects (2013)

**International**
- 1,443 foreign bachelor's degree students (2013-2014)
- 1,098 UAB students on mobility programmes (2013-2014)

**Structure**
- 3,571 Total teaching and research staff

**Budget**
- €294.78m (2014)
UAB in rankings

3rd in Spain in volume of scientific activity

Among the two hundred best universities in the world

Largest Spanish university web repository

Campus of International Excellence for its project "UAB Campus of International Excellence: promoting knowledge, encouraging innovation"
UAB institutional repository

Ranking: 2nd in Spain, 7th in Europe and 11th in the world (source: Cibermetrics Lab CSIC)

120,771 documents in DDD (April 2015)

Articles: 33,207
Books and collections: 2,498
Meetings and conferences: 815
Unpublished research literature: 11,537
Graphic documents: 6,886
Personal and institutional archives: 17,123
Others: 65,828
How to archive in the DDD: a successful experience

Stakeholders ..... 

DDD Team

Research Office

Research Institutes

Academics

Librarians

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The Library Service

Central Services:
Director, Technical Process & Projects Unit

Libraries:
Bellaterra Campus (7)
Sabadell Campus (1)
Hospital Teaching Units (4)

Staff:
166 (77 librarians and 89 support staff)
Bellaterra campus

Science and Technology Library

Social Sciences Library

Humanities Library

Communication Library
Main data

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<td>Library buildings</td>
<td>12</td>
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<td>Number of square meters</td>
<td>36,615</td>
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<td>Seats</td>
<td>4,791</td>
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<td>Linear shelf metres</td>
<td>57.29 km</td>
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2014 figures
## Users and collections

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Areas of expertise and interest

- **Publishing**: submission to the repository, self-archiving, open access, publication funds, copyright.

- **Research Data Management (RDM)**: Policies, leadership, research data infrastructure, responsibilities ...

- **Training courses**: for professors and students

- **Bibliometric support**: for professors

  **SAAR**: Support for accreditation and evaluation of research (only in Catalan)
A best practice: making the UAB Scientific output publicly available through our DDD repository
Legal requirements and Funding policies

**SCIENCE LAW, 14/2011** (Since 2011)
- For public research
- Maximum 12-month embargo for repositories

**ROYAL DECREE on OFFICIAL PhDs, 99/2011** (Since 2011)
- For all theses and dissertations

**HORIZON 2020 (2014-2020)**
- 6-12-month embargo for repositories
- Mandatory

Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona institutional open access policy (Since 2012)
- 6-month embargo for repositories
UAB INSTITUTIONAL OPEN ACCESS POLICY

Approved by the Governing Council on 25th April 2012, agreement 46/2012

Academic and research staff (PDI):
✓ will deposit their academic and scientific publications
✓ encouraged to deposit their educational resources

PhD students:
✓ have to deposit their PhD thesis

Other students:
✓ have to deposit their bachelor’s degree projects and master’s dissertations.

Source: http://ddd.uab.cat/record/89641
DDD submission system

From CRIS (Current Research Information System)

From DDD Application form

Library revision

Published in DDD (with embargo if necessary)

Notification to authors

In 3 steps:
- checks who has the rights of exploitation of the work.
- Manages authorizations for archiving.
- Conditions for self-archiving: where, when, document version (pre-print, post-print ...), compulsory mentions.
DDD benefits for researchers

✓ Scientific production **collected**
✓ **Maximize** the impact of their scientific output
✓ Worldwide **dissemination**
✓ **Copyright** control
✓ In line with **law and funding policies**
✓ Usage **statistics**
✓ **Long-term** access
✓ **Citations in Scopus and WoS** from each bibliographic record
An example ...
Other best practices:

ISO 9000 quality system certification since 1999: Quality management system (user satisfaction surveys, general procedures and work instructions ...)

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**Pregunt@**: The UAB Libraries Information Service aims to provide users with personalized attention to deal with any queries related to the library services and their resources.
The future: 2015-2018 Strategic Plan

MISSION

The Library Service’s mission is to provide information resources and top-quality services in line with the UAB’s pursuit of excellence in education, research, innovation and knowledge transfer.

STRATEGIC AXES

1. Learning and teaching
2. Research
3. Spaces and resources
4. Communication and marketing
5. Team and management
1- Learning and teaching
Support students and teachers throughout the educational period.

2- Research
Support the research groups and centres over the whole research cycle

3- Spaces and resources
Improve the user experience in the use of resources and services

4- Communication and marketing
More efficient communication with our users

5- Team and management
Professional growth of team
1-Learning and teaching
Support students and teachers throughout the educational period.

**MAIN GOALS**

**TEACHING**: integrate training activities of the library into the academic training plan

**LEARNING**: advice and personalized support for undergraduate, master’s and PhD students and also high school students and alumni.
2-Research
Support the research groups and centres over the whole research cycle

MAIN GOALS

Publish the university scientific output in our repository

Create an Information Service on Intellectual Property and Open Access for our users

dipòsit digital de documents de la UAB
3-Spaces and resources

Improve the user experience in the use of resources and services

MAIN GOALS

New working environment with the integration of catalogues and database management

With Consortia!

Redefine the library spaces

Books in the libraries

Spaces for users
4-Communication and marketing

More efficient communication with our users

MAIN GOAL

Prepare a communication and marketing plan
5-Team and management

Professional growth of team

MAIN GOALS

Design a comprehensive training plan for staff to meet new challenges

Optimize circuits and processes
Any questions?
Thank you!