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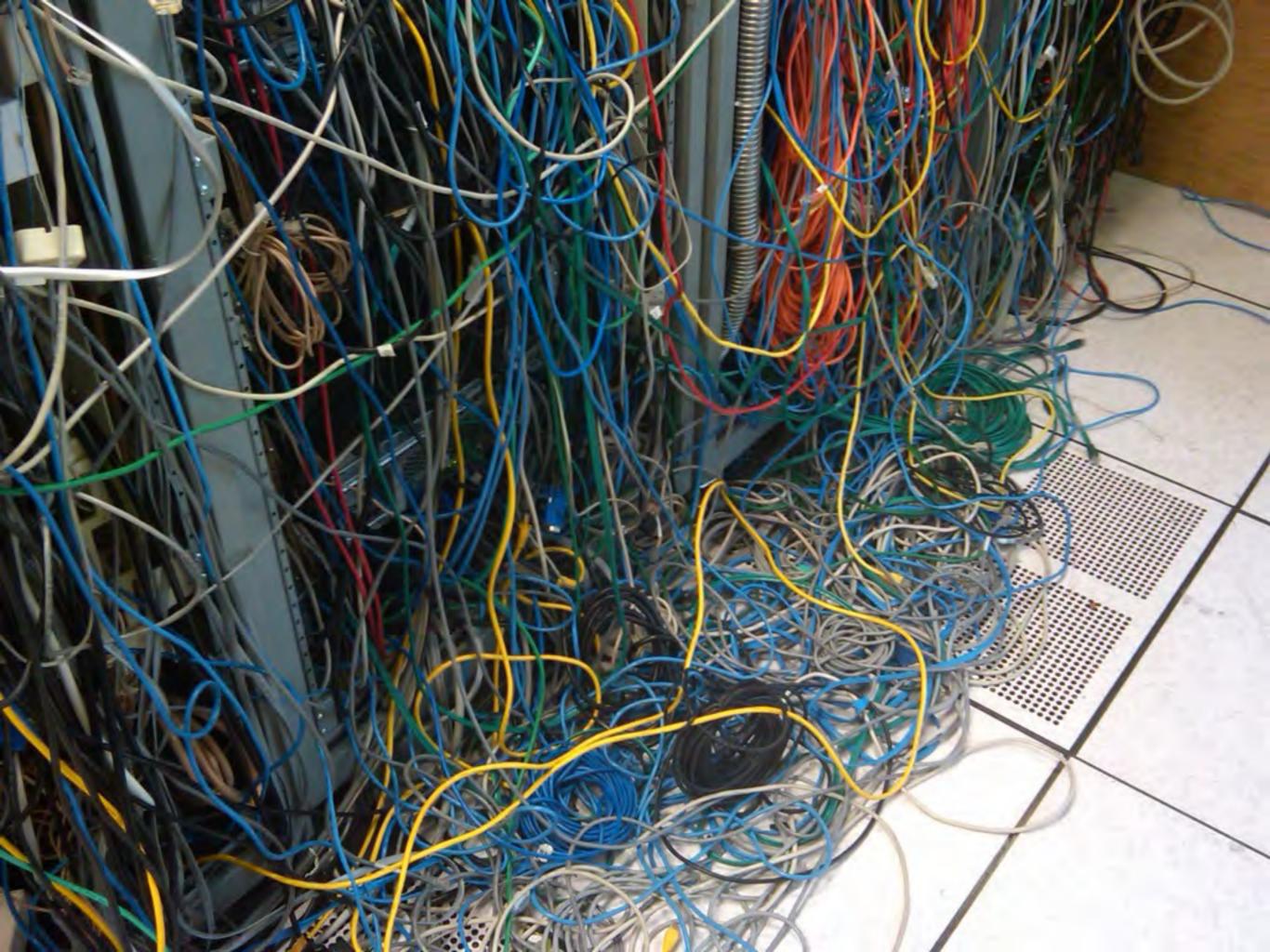
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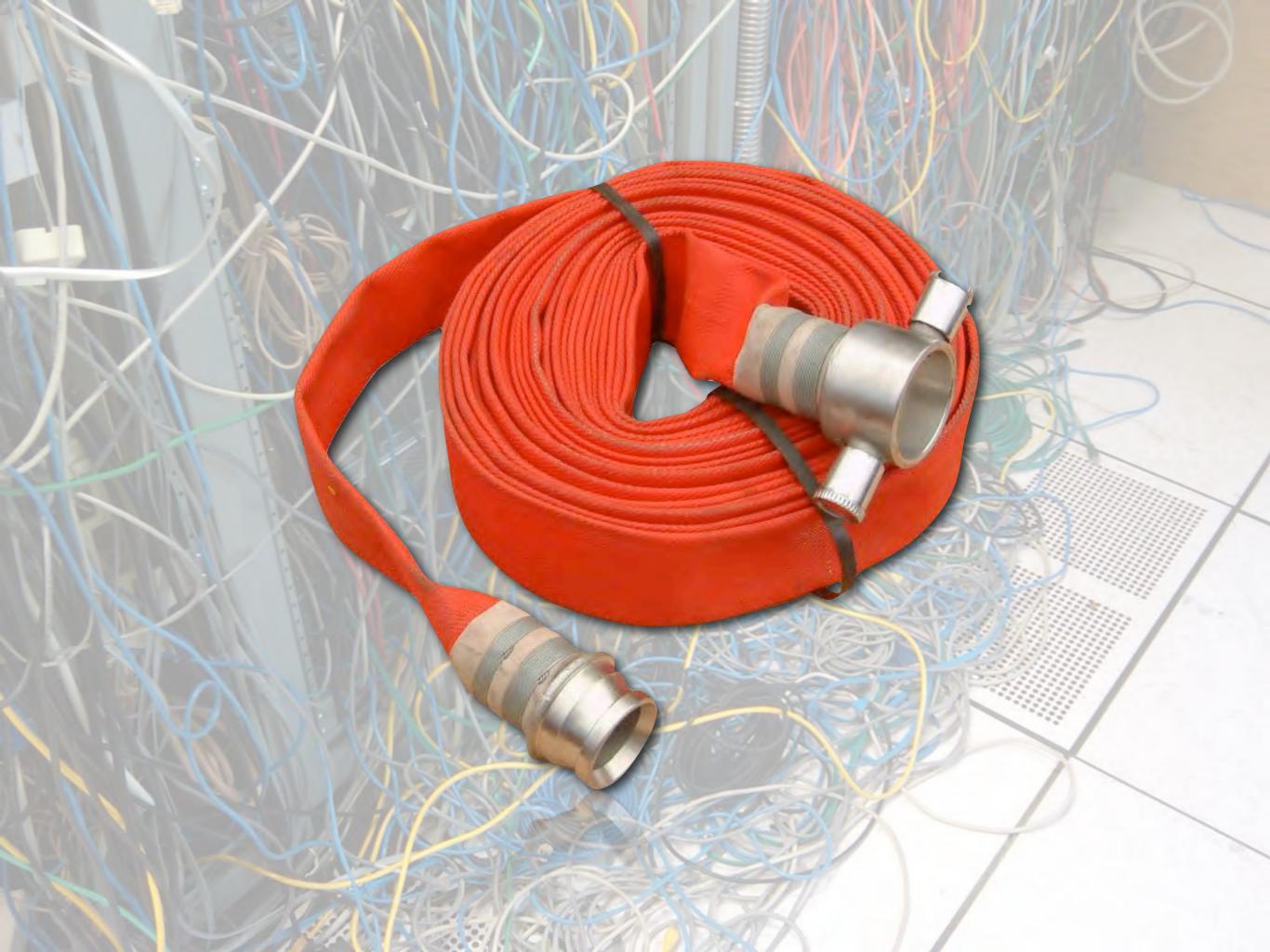
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# Social Compact



# Changing Nature of Libraries

- From Quiet Buildings with Loud Rooms to Loud Buildings with Quiet Rooms
- Places of Knowledge Access to Knowledge Creation
- Territory of the Librarian to Territory of the Community

# Changing Nature of Librarians

- Unshackled from the Collection
  - Shift of Ownership Model to Rental Model of Collections
- The Ascending Resource of the Library
  - Unlike the Peaking Collection

# Changes in Tools, but Not the Mission

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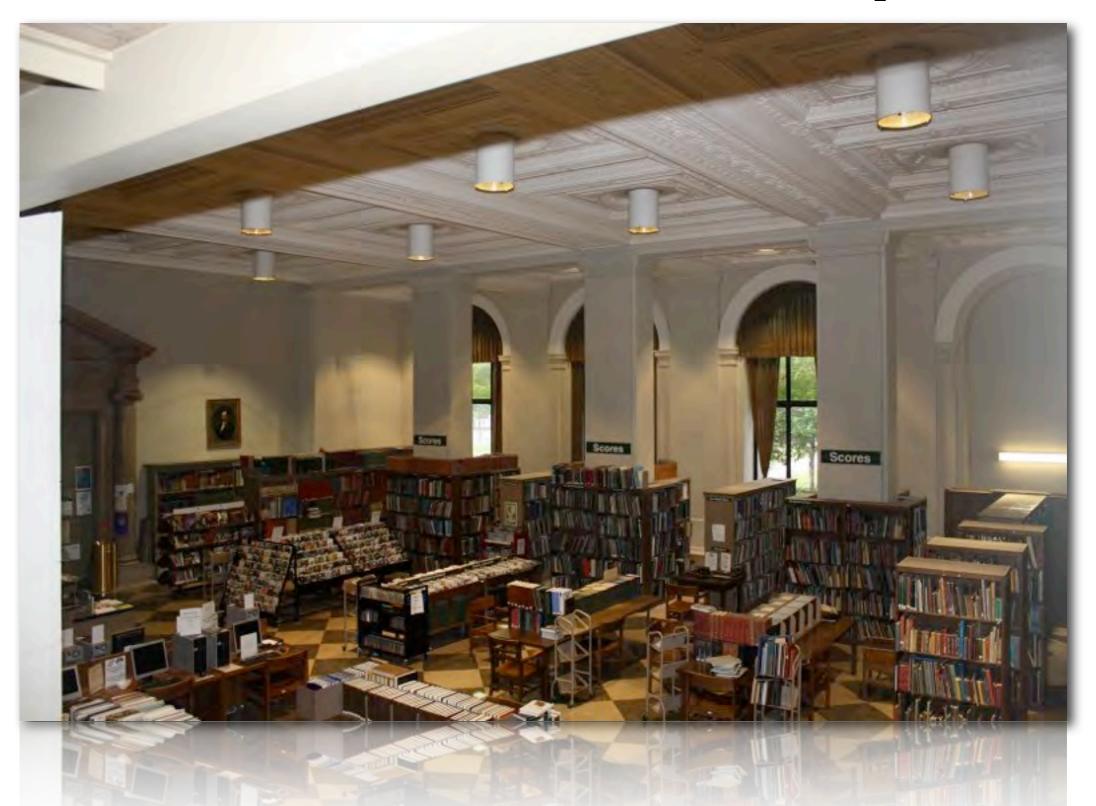


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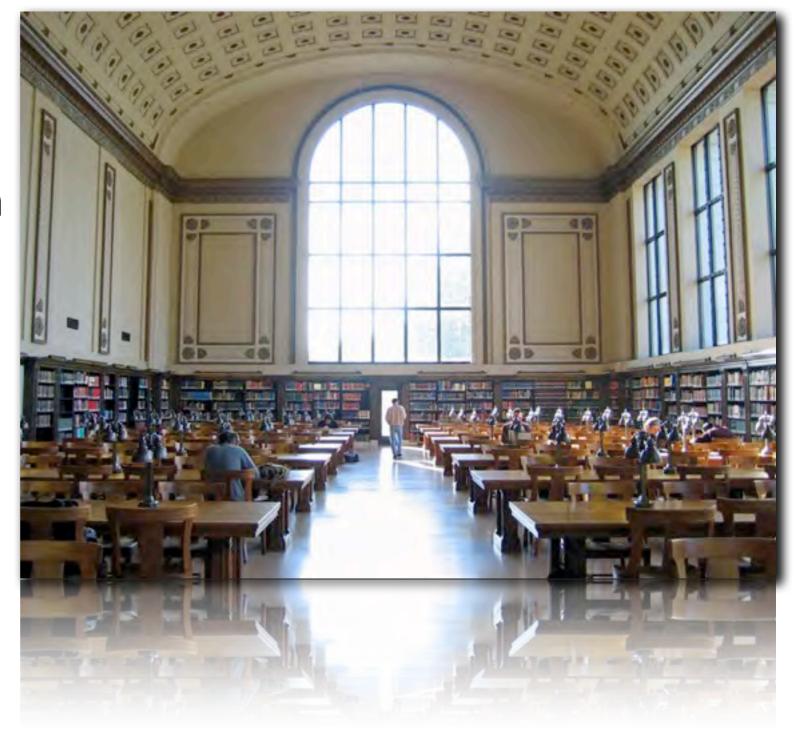


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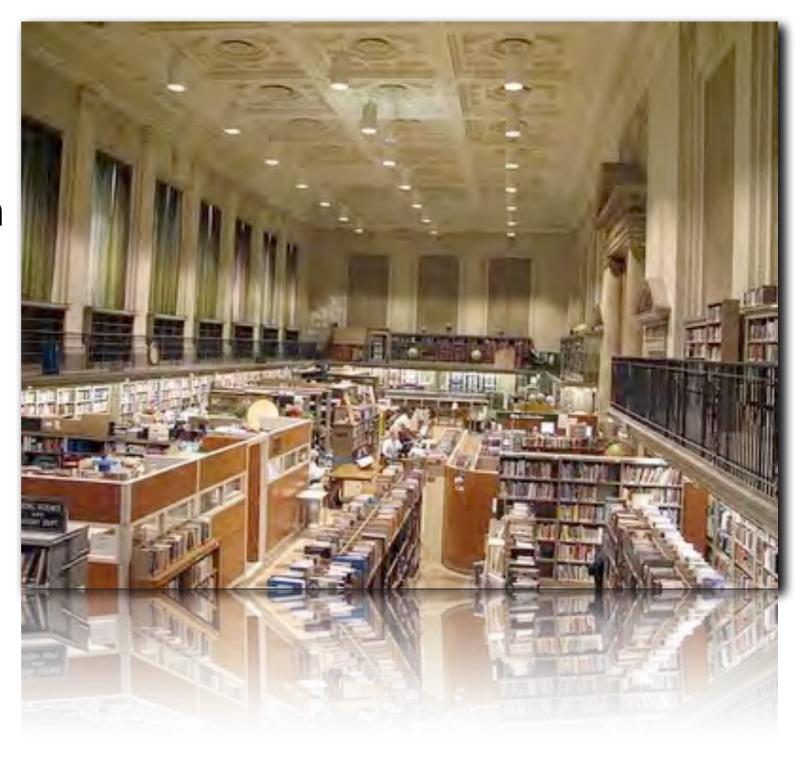














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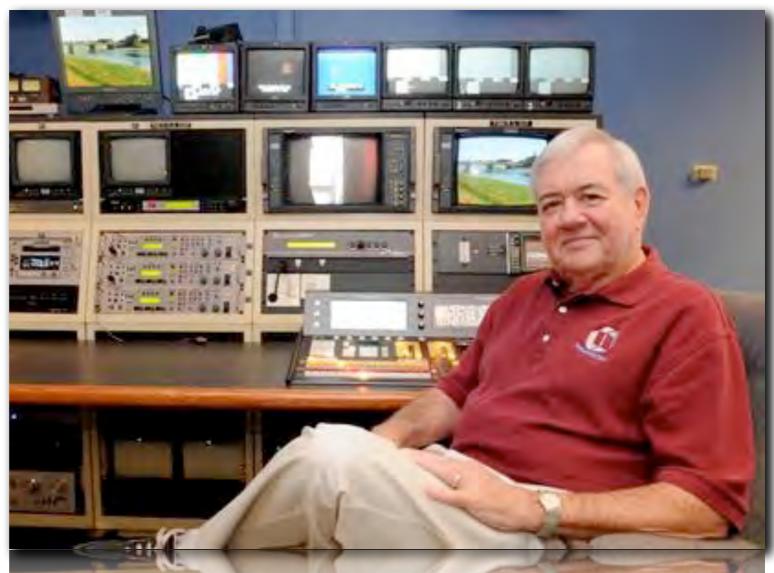
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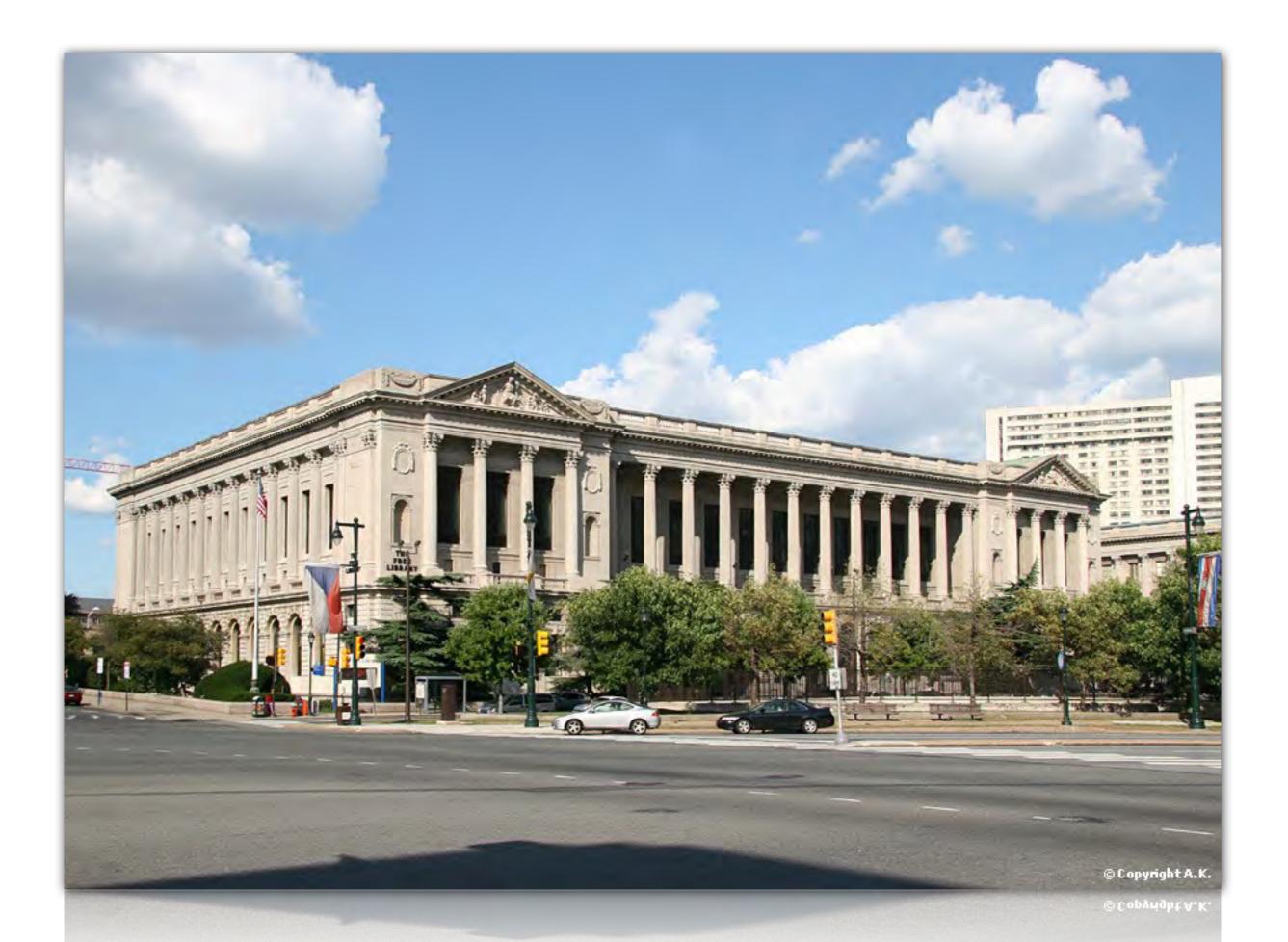


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