Success Through Collaboration

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Agenda

• Worldview
• Why It Matters: Collaboration
  • Collection-Centric Worldview
  • Community-Centric Worldview
• True Role of Librarians in Collaboration
The misconception that people at the time of Columbus believed in a flat Earth was listed by the Historical Society (of Britain) as the second most common error in history.
Collection-Centric Worldview

- Library=Collection
  - Collection=Owned and Leased Resources
- Value is Connecting Community to Ideas
  - Primarily External Ideas
- Mission=Provide Access to Information
Collection-Centric Collaboration
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Authors
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Libraries

Authors

Publishers
Collection-Centric Collaboration

Libraries

Museums

Authors

Publishers
Community-Centric Worldview

- Library = Librarians + Community
- Collection = Tools, like Space, Computers, etc...
- Library is a Community Platform
- Value is Connecting Community to Ideas
- Focus on Community Ideas
- Mission = Facilitating Knowledge Creation
Library as Platform

- Philadelphia Music Community
- Vermont Broadband
- NOPL Garden
- Eureka Lunch
- Polaris Community Portal
Yes, you.
You control the Information Age.
Welcome to your world.
• Access:
  • Resources
  • People, Ideas, Tools
• Access:
  • Resources
  • People, Ideas, Tools
• Training
  • Bibliographic
  • Communications, Policy Making, Tools
• Access:
  • Resources
  • People, Ideas, Tools
• Training
  • Bibliographic
  • Communications, Policy Making, Tools
• Environment
  • Safe
  • Inspiring
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• Environment
  • Safe
  • Inspiring

• Motivation
Be Radical

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