



IATUL

Cross Country Cooperation Programme

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Motivation

- Why a IATUL cross-country-cooperation programme?
- Why cooperation beyond borders?
- Who may cooperate?



Motivation

- Within one country, methods of tackling a task very often are rather similar
- Cooperation with foreign libraries can create completely different viewpoints
- There is no comparable initiative at an international level with a focus on libraries of science and technology



Using Third Party Resources

- EU Framework programme
- Partnerships between universities
- UNO programmes
- Foreign aid programmes



Motivation

- Expectations of our patrons are of global nature
- Supporting the development of libraries in developing countries
- International projects can increase mutual understanding between different cultures





Who may cooperate and what can be expected?

- IATUL member libraries can apply for grants
- Project funding if at least one member library belongs to IATUL?
- The coordinators of the IATUL-CCC programme can resort to an international communication network to give efficient assistance to project partners in
 - Raising funds through third party initiatives, whether national or global
 - Coordinating or supporting the projects for the time of their duration





Munich University of Technology - Library

Decentralised structure:	10 branch libraries
Annual budget:	2,6 Mio Euro
Books:	1,7 Mio documents
Databases:	330 (346.889 Euro)
Non electronic journal titles:	3.828 (1.401.692 Euro)
Electronic journal titles (purchase):	4.495 (279.225 Euro)
Documents in stacks:	40%
Staff	
Permanent staff:	101
Others:	21
Public service	
Annual borrowings:	560.575
Active users:	25.837





Examples of IATUL-CCC projects

Consortia

- Difficult to find consortia partners for a library with a specialized collection in science or technology
- Consortia beyond country borders: increase of buying power
- We would like to find partners for electronic monographs consortia



Document Delivery

- [dokumenTUM](#) allows our patrons to search articles on the bases of journal content pages and order articles through their internet browser
- IT-Infrastructure needed
 - ELEKTRA (SISIS Information Systems – now OCLC/PICA) or
 - Implementation of a user interface to an existing system
- We offer to extend this service to other libraries



Digitisation

- Current digitisation projects (including quality inspection)
 - 30.000 slides collection on agricultural machinery
 - Slides and photo archive on timber construction (28.000 slides)
 - Video archive on sport and exercise science (200 videos)
- IT-Infrastructure needed
 - [mediaTUM](#) - open source system myCore
 - Implementation of a user interface to an existing system
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Monitoring

- Total quality management in libraries has increasing of importance for budgeting and human resources planning
- Exchange of ideas and experiences among specialists by
 - Monitoring in partner libraries
 - E-Mail and telephone contacts





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Information Competency Training

- Information literacy: new level of significance since the beginning of the Bologna Process
- Synergy by jointly further developing the library's concept for Information Competency Training





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Vocational Training

- Life long learning as a basis for efficient library services
- Courses at TUB
 - Teamwork
 - Interaction with “difficult patrons”
 - English for librarians
 - “Personal computer driving licence”
 - Complaint management
 - Considerateness at work
 - Cataloguing rules for electronic media
 - MS Office package
 - and many others
- Synergy by developing a joint venture programme in vocational training





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