



Coleman Library

Florida A & M University
2015-2016 Fact Book

**University
Libraries**

UNIVERSITY LIBRARIES

Mission

The mission of the Florida A&M University Libraries is to provide a user centered information environment that supports inspirational teaching, exemplary research, meaningful service, and lifelong learning to the local and global university community.

Libraries

Main Library Coleman Memorial Library

Samuel H. Coleman Memorial Library, the University's main library, is named for Samuel Harrison Coleman, who served the University as general alumni president for 14 years. The Library was built in 1948, renovated in 1972, expanded in 1990 and again in 2004. The 88,964 square foot facility includes an information literacy classroom, group study rooms, graduate study carrels, a student digitization suite, a student presentation practice room, a student study lounge, and a cafe. Along with the additional 20,000 square feet available in the branch libraries the University Libraries provide a seating capacity of 970. The branch libraries, which are located in selected schools and colleges, offer resources and services in their respective disciplines.

Architecture Library* School of Architecture

The collection of the School of Architecture Library, located in room 104-B of the Walter L. Smith School of Architecture Building, consists of monographs and periodicals pertaining to architecture construction technology, design and other related fields.

School of Journalism and Graphic Communication Resources Center* School of Journalism and Graphic Communication

The School of Journalism and Graphic Communication Resources Center, holds a core collection of books, periodicals, and audiovisual resources that support the research and information needs of students and faculty in the areas of print (newspaper, magazine) and broadcast (radio, television) journalism, public relations, photography, graphic design, printing production technology, and printing management and supervision.



Science Research Center Library*
Frederick S. Humphries Science Research Center

The Science Research Center Library, located in 401-501 of the Frederick S. Humphries Science Research Center, serves the research and information needs of students, faculty and staff in the fields of Pharmacy & Pharmaceutical Sciences, Nursing & Allied Health Science, Environmental Science, Physics, Computer Science and other related disciplines.

FAMU/FSU Engineering Library*
College of Engineering

The FAMU/FSU Engineering Library is located in Room 225 in the Herbert F. Morgan, building (Innovation Park). The collection supports the fields of Chemical Engineering, Civil Engineering, Electrical Engineering and Mechanical Engineering. The Engineering Library provides resources and services to support the needs of the faculty, staff and students of the FAMU/FSU College of Engineering.

FAMU Development Research School Library

The Developmental Research School Library is located in the Developmental Research School (DRS), which functions under the College of Education. The library provides collections to support kindergarten through twelfth grade curricula.

Law Library, Law School
Orlando, Florida

The Law Library, which functions under the College of Law, provides faculty and students access to primary sources of American law: court reporters, federal statutes, state codes and statutes, periodicals, microforms, and online electronic databases.

* Branch Libraries

Library Resources Expenditures

2014-2015

Materials/Services Expenses	\$3,055,065
• Books, serial backfiles, etc. (\$691,270)	
• Ongoing commitments to subscriptions (\$2,363,374)	
• All other materials service cost (\$421)	
Operations and Maintenance Expenses	\$93,118
• Preservation services (\$2,109)	
• All other operations and maintenance expenses (\$91,009)	



LIBRARY SERVICES AND COLLECTIONS

2014-2015

LIBRARY SERVICES

Library Service	2010-11	2011-12	2012-13	2013-14	2014-15
Circulation, General Collections	48,876	64,429	73,185	12,617	35,406
Circulation, Reserve Collections	16,397	31,423	26,105	17,693	11,003
Electronic Book Usage	23,942	24,349	44,292	45,066	87,589
Document Delivery / Interlibrary	8,308	9,798	33,389	21,109	10,806
Proprietary Database Transactions	2,746,409	3,969,942	5,212,959	3,040,498	2,960,184
Classes Taught	311	303	228	276	120
Class Attendance	6,825	7,421	4,639	3,484	2,596
Public Service Hours	100	141	141	141	141
Reference Transactions	34,041	60,038	42,869	41,817	25,197

LIBRARY COLLECTIONS

Library Acquisitions and Holdings	2010-11	2011-12	2012-13	2013-14	2014-15
Books and Periodicals	1,031,153	1,205,658	1,048,787	1,069,552	1,513,236
Government Documents	180,504	207,443	214,530	223,307	238,770
Audio Visual Materials	77,017	78,376	75,517	117,000	167,152
Microforms	508,009	763,778	510,462	515,136	518,824
Electronic Resources:					
E-Books	64,9519	76,917	244,900*	310,474	432,260
Databases	261	269	279	320	328
Electronic Journal Titles	97,177	99,765	101,755	116,328	187,963

*Initial reporting of law library e-book holdings.

