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Libraries AI Taskforce Charge

Artificial intelligence, including new large language model-based tools like ChatGPT, are quickly becoming integrated into teaching, learning and research environments. They are being adopted by a growing number of students, faculty and staff as part of their work. The AI Taskforce will explore the potential benefits and challenges that generative AI tools present for the Libraries. Specifically, the Dean’s hope is that the AI Taskforce will help:

- Recommend strategies for improving AI literacy for Libraries and Press employees,
- Identify potential ethical and privacy implications,
- Help to facilitate open conversations among staff about potential benefits and challenges of AI, and encourage sharing of ideas and concerns,
- Develop ideas for potential pilot projects to further explore AI applications at the Libraries.
Libraries AI Taskforce

- Charged by the UW Libraries Dean
- Meeting since November
- Tri campus, cross portfolios
- Subgroups targeting these four areas
Libraries AI Framework

We should prioritize and stake out an area of expertise focusing on:

(a) The ethical use of AI
(b) Helping users safely navigate AI
(c) Helping users understand the extent to which AI perpetuates existing inequities

Link to Libraries AI Framework
Licensing Scholarly Resources

**UW Libraries Collection Development Guiding Principles**

- The University of Washington Libraries collects or acquires materials in all formats to support the University's teaching and research missions and priorities.
Licensing Scholarly Resources

- Examples of license terms to support teaching and research
  - Course Reserves
  - Text and Data Mining (TDM)
  - “Scholarly Sharing”
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Gathering Use Cases

● Systematic Reviews
  ○ Covidence
  ○ DistillerSR

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