

The book was found

# Patron-Driven Acquisitions: History And Best Practices (Current Topics In Library And Information Practice)



## Synopsis

About 40 percent of the books academic libraries purchase in traditional ways never circulate and another 40 percent circulate fewer than three times. By contrast, patron-driven acquisition allows a library to borrow or buy books only when a patron needs them. In a typical workflow, the library imports bibliographic records into its catalogue at no cost. When a patron finds a patron-driven record in the course of research, a short-term loan can allow him to borrow the book, and the transaction charge to the library will be a small percentage of list price. Typically a library will automatically buy a book on a third or fourth use. The contributions in this volume, written by experts, describe the genesis and brief history of patron-driven acquisitions, its current status, and its promise.

## Book Information

Series: Current Topics in Library and Information Practice

Hardcover: 280 pages

Publisher: De Gruyter; 1 edition (October 17, 2011)

Language: English

ISBN-10: 3110253011

ISBN-13: 978-3110253016

Product Dimensions: 6.3 x 0.7 x 9.2 inches

Shipping Weight: 1 pounds (View shipping rates and policies)

Average Customer Review: Be the first to review this item

Best Sellers Rank: #2,136,566 in Books (See Top 100 in Books) #144 in Books > Politics & Social Sciences > Social Sciences > Library & Information Science > Collection Development #961 in Books > Politics & Social Sciences > Social Sciences > Library & Information Science > Library Management #1398 in Books > Textbooks > Humanities > Library & Information Science

[Download to continue reading...](#)

Patron-Driven Acquisitions: History and Best Practices (Current Topics in Library and Information Practice) Getting Started with Demand-Driven Acquisitions for E-books: A LITA Guide Research Methods for Students, Academics and Professionals, Second Edition: Information Management and Systems (Topics in Australasian Library and Information Studies) Data-Driven Decisions and School Leadership: Best Practices for School Improvement The Patron Saint of Liars Microsoft® Exchange Server 2010 Best Practices (IT Best Practices - Microsoft Press) Mergers and Acquisitions (University Casebook Series) Carbon Nanotubes: Advanced Topics in the Synthesis,

Structure, Properties and Applications (Topics in Applied Physics) 240 Writing Topics with Sample Essays: How to Write Essays (120 Writing Topics) Lesser Known Large dsDNA Viruses (Current Topics in Microbiology and Immunology) Diagnostic Ultrasound and Animal Reproduction (Current Topics in Veterinary Medicine) Photochemistry and Photophysics of Coordination Compounds I (Topics in Current Chemistry) (No. 1) Recent Advances in Virus Diagnosis: A Seminar in the CEC Programme of Co-ordination of Research on Animal Pathology, held at the Veterinary Research ... 1983 (Current Topics in Veterinary Medicine) Acute Virus Infections of Poultry: A Seminar in the CEC Agricultural Research Programme, held in Brussels, June 13-14, 1985 (Current Topics in Veterinary Medicine) Progress in Heterocyclic Chemistry: A Critical Review of the 1999 Literature Preceded by Three Chapters on Current Heterocyclic Topics: 12 Stereoselective Heterocyclic Synthesis I (Topics in Current Chemistry) (Vol 189) Asymmetric Organocatalysis (Topics in Current Chemistry) CURRENT Medical Diagnosis and Treatment 2014 (LANGE CURRENT Series) Current Geriatric Diagnosis and Treatment (LANGE CURRENT Series) Current Therapy in Theriogenology: Diagnosis, Treatment, and Prevention of Reproductive Diseases in Small & Large Animals, 2e (Current Veterinary Therapy) (v. 2)

[Dmca](#)