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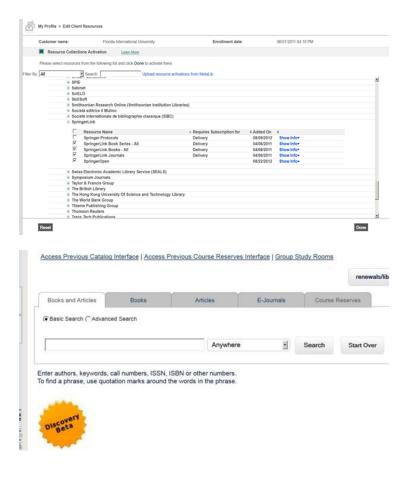
#### **Background Information**

- In July of 2011, the Florida Virtual Library provided the option of placing the Primo Central Index underneath the Mango Catalog Interface.
- In July of 2012, Florida International University decided to "activate" this feature of Mango to trial our first use of a Web Scale Discovery system.



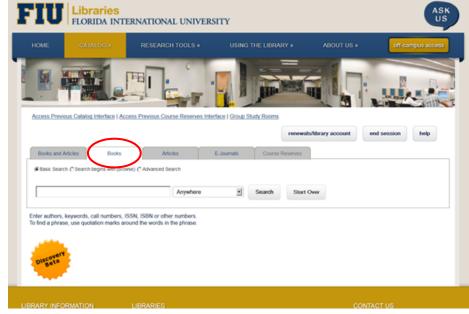
#### Implementation of PCI/Mango

- Informed FLVC that we would like to implement Primo Central Index in our library on a trial basis
- Set up our profiles within the Primo Central Index Administration Module.
- Made the "Books and Articles" tab, with the Primo Central Index, the default tab for searching the catalog.
- Included a "Discovery Beta" seal to let our users know of the new service.



#### **Initial Problems and Changes**

- Too much information!!!
- Changed the default tab to "Books" instead of "Books and Articles".



#### **Google Analytics**

- Florida Virtual Library collects Google Analytics for Mango.
- When reviewing the statistics from August January, I was especially interested in the statistics after we had moved the default tab back to books:
  - Books = 450,602 page views
  - Books and Articles (PCI and Catalog) = 145,094 page views
  - $\bigcirc$  Articles (PCI Only) = 245,406 page views
  - E-Journals = 37,639 page views
  - Total = 878,471
- These numbers show that our users clicked on the Primo Central Index Tabs 45% of the time.

#### **User Focus Groups**

- The Google Analytics shows that our users are clicking on these tabs and performing searches but we cannot determine whether this kind of service is helpful to their research.
- To gather this information we are assembling three focus groups: undergraduates, graduates, and faculty.
- We will ask three questions:
  - □What do you use the catalog for? Books? Articles? Both?
  - Have you used the Books and Articles or Articles (only) tabs? If so, did you find useful information?
  - What do you think of having one place to search both books and articles?

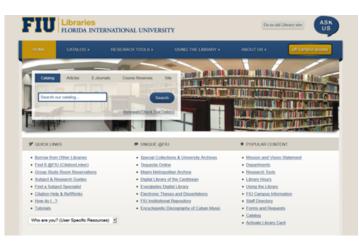
#### **Task Analysis**

- In addition to the Focus Groups we are also going to performing one on one task analysis with randomly selected users.
- By doing this task analysis we hope to find out if and how our users are using the Webscale Discovery option.
- Questions:
  - Where would you go to search for an article?
  - How would you narrow down your search in the catalog?
  - Where would you go to search both books and articles?

#### **Roadblocks to Assessment**

- Change in administration
- Focus on website redesign.
- Low Priority
- Change from FCLA to FLVC





#### **Next Steps**

- Review results of the User Focus Groups and Task Analysis
- Bring results to our Information & Research Services Department to determine if:
  - We want to continue with Primo Central Index under the Mango interface OR
  - Start researching other WSD options for FIU.
- Stay alert for the recommendation from the state on a statewide discovery service.
- After a year, check our vendor provided usage statistics to see if there are any noticeable increases in usage.

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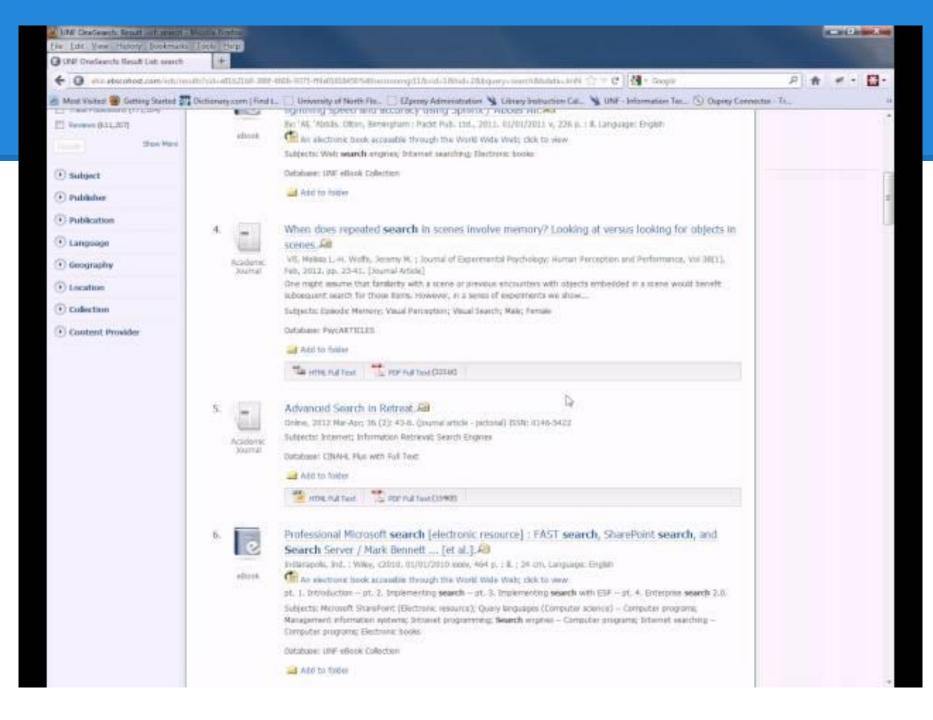
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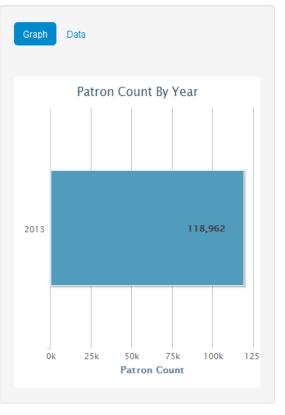
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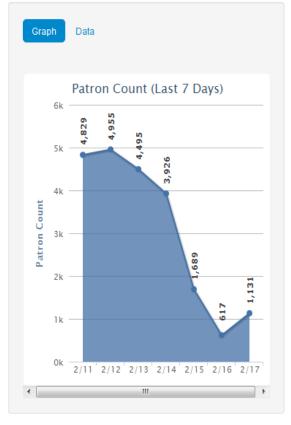


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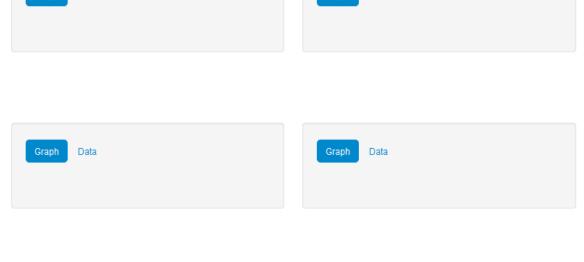
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