Alma Digital

Controlled exposure of library collections

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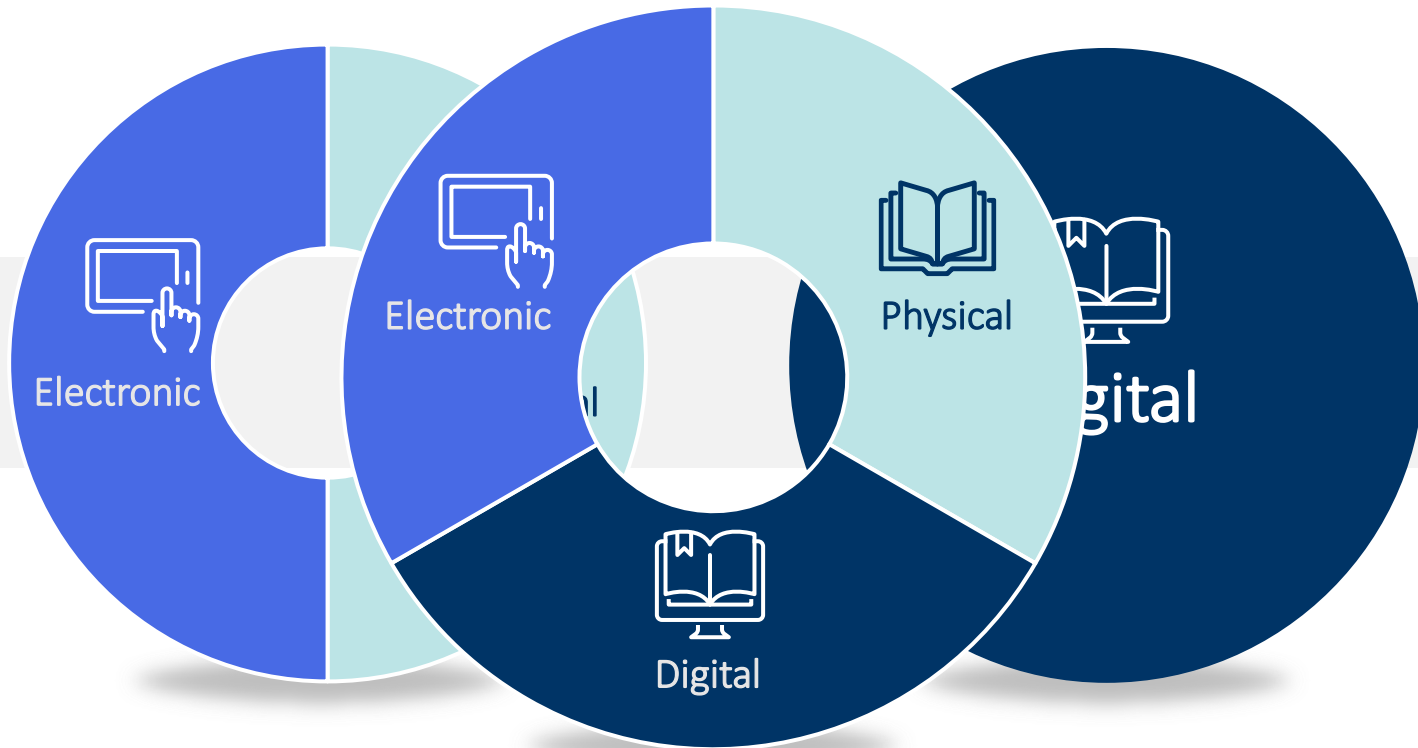
Agenda

- Overview

- Exposing Library Collections

- Copyright Management: Controlled Digital Lending and more

- '22 / 23 Focus Areas
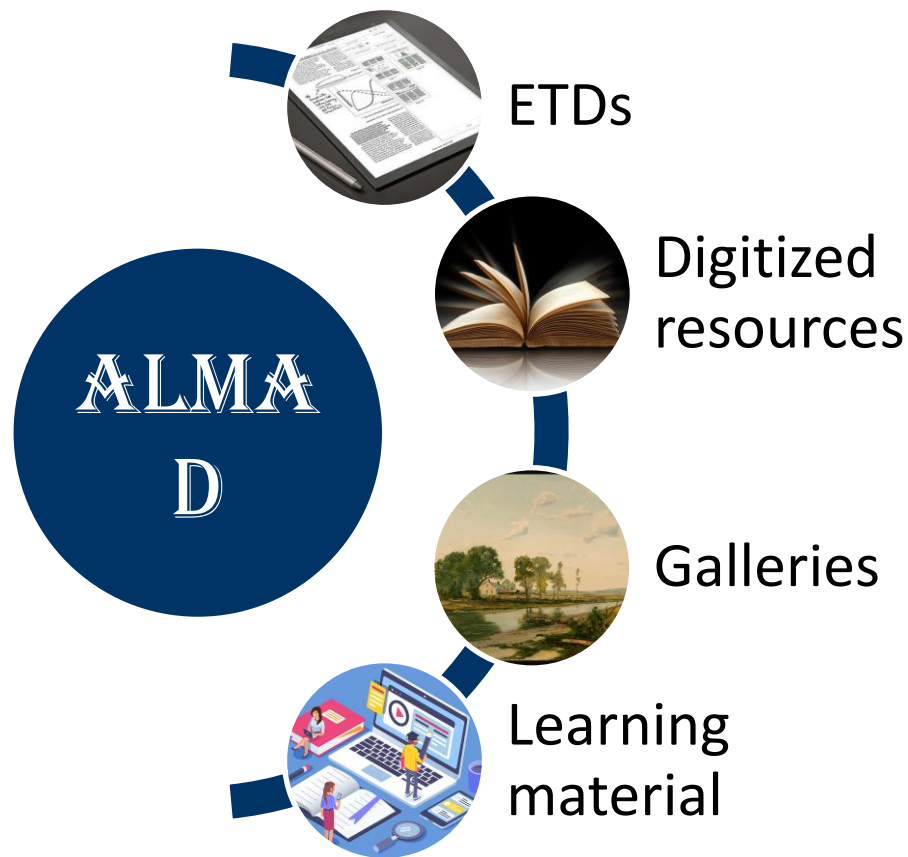
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Single System for all Content

Alma Digital Today

Curate the unique content that campus/community produces within the Alma library services platform

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ETDs

Digitized resources

Galleries

Learning material

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Exposing Library Collections

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Advanced Delivery

Books with full Text and Images / PDF Delivery / Viewer Reader

Alma Viewer - Fully Customizable

Content Specific Services

Textual

- OCR full-text extraction – display and indexing
- Pdf.js delivery

Images

- IIIF framework for low + high resolution
- Watermarks
- Internet Archive Book Reader
- OpenSeadragon in the Alma Viewer

Audio / Video

- Media conversion
- Streaming video services
- Coming up – closed captions

Streamlining Discovery and Delivery

Showcasing Special Collections in Primo

Coming up..

Enhanced Accessibility: Closed Captions / subtitles for video files

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Coming up..

Exhibition View – use cases

- Exhibition with images accompanied by descriptions
- Tell a narrative with Alma descriptive fields and Digital files
- Historical timeline

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Copyright Management: Controlled Digital Lending and more

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Copyright Management – CR Statements

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Obtrusive / non-obtrusive

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Unlimited custom statements

Coupled or decoupled from access right policy

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Copyright Management - Watermark

Upload multiple watermarks

Attach watermark to copyright statement

Attach copyright statement to digital resource

Image displayed with watermark

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Controlled Digital Lending

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CDL – Why?

- Make it possible for libraries to fulfill their "vital function in society" by providing easy online **access to learning & research** material

- **Digital aides** for readers with print disabilities, research efficiency needs and more

- The "Twentieth Century Problem" - older books still under copyright but **unlikely ever to be offered digitally** by commercial services

- **Additional**:
  - Quick lending turnaround
  - Print conservation
  - Ecological awareness – saving shipments for resource sharing

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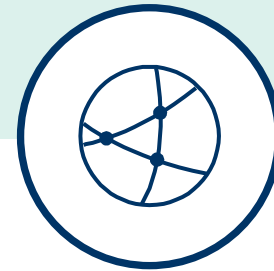Part of **Clarivate**

Ex Libris' Focus Areas

Course Resources – Alma D

- Short term access
- Patron waitlist management

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General Circulation – Alma

- Long term lending
- Sync digital / physical fulfillment

Inter Library Loan (ILL) – Rapido

- Consortia
- Single institutions

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CDL for Course Resources

Copyright
- Own-to-loan ratio
- Prevent redistribution
- Exempt specific user groups from CDL
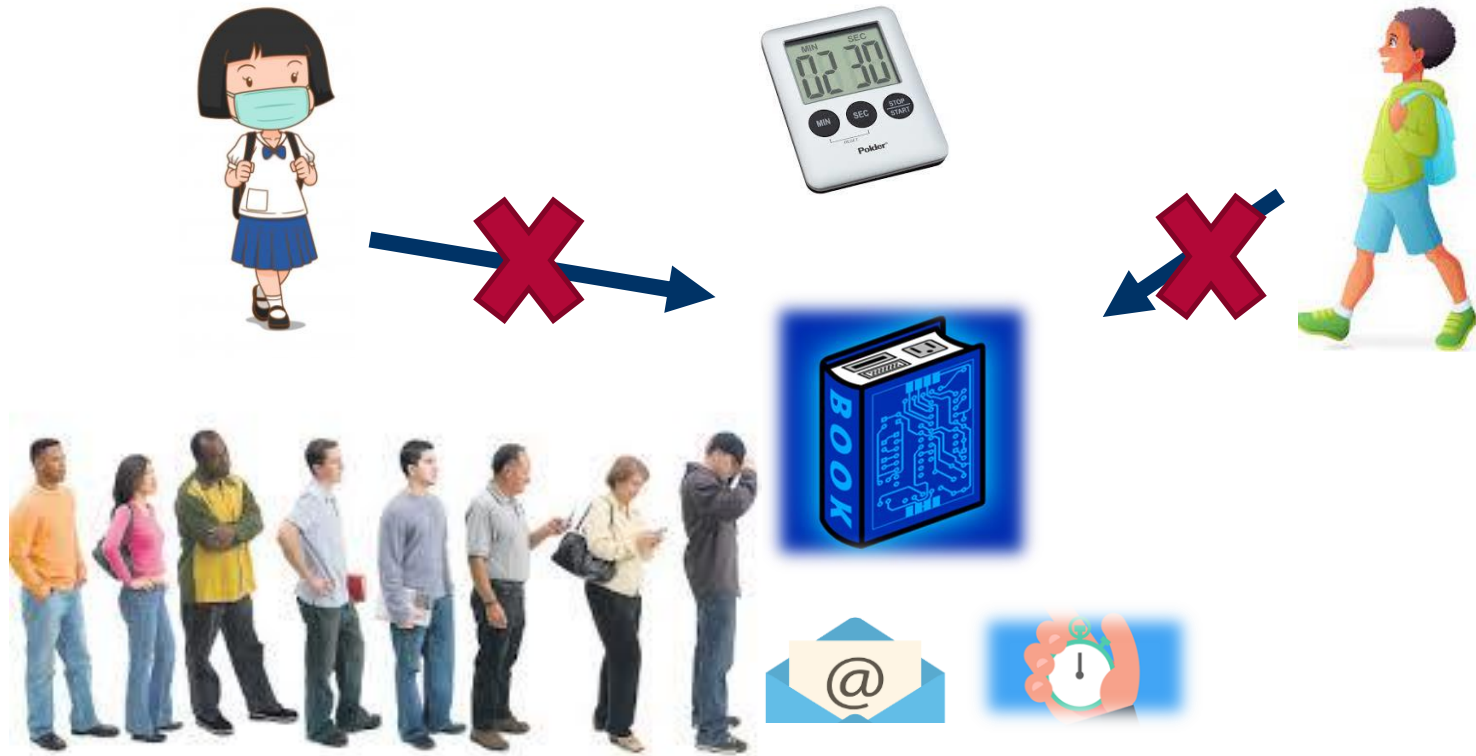- Other: Advanced copyright statement management; Watermarks

Fulfillment
- Limit session period
- Waiting list
- Any viewer, any discovery layer – Primo, Leganto etc
- Other: Closed captions / subtitles for patron accessibility

Administration
- Waitlist control
- Analytics:
  - Average waiting time per resource
  - Early returns

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CDL for Course Resources – Animated flow

Community driven approach

Ex Libris and the Alma users community formed The CDL Advisory Group, providing advice, user stories, workflows and shared experiences on the various areas related to CDL:

Copyrights group

Circulation group

Resource sharing group

The CDL Advisory Group

Long-term Loans – Roadmap Plans

- Long term loans with CDL copy

- Integrate with physical circulation / fulfilment flows (inc Terms of Use)

- Sync physical and digital fulfillment, maintaining own-to-loan ratio

- Leverage Alma as a unified resource management system

Resource Sharing

- Enable libraries to share CDL resources

- Ensuring the physical copy cannot be circulated until the CDL copy is "returned" and maintaining the own-to-loan ratio

- Offering patrons visibility upon discovery of CDL available options

- Conformance with ILL CDL

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Thank you!

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