



LEARNING AND TEACHING

Partner with faculty throughout VCU to provide students and faculty with the skills to be successful students, researchers, scholars, and informed citizens.

- Invest in teaching innovation
- Enhance student success
- Engage with online and active education
- Advance collaborative learning and teaching environments through innovative technologies



ADVANCE RESEARCH AND DISCOVERY

Advance research enterprise at VCU by providing expert knowledge of information assets and how to use and manage them.

- Strengthen investments in research-level collections and technologies for using them
- Create robust liaison relationships with faculty
- Lead VCU in building research data management and data curation capabilities
- Collaborate with VCU faculty in research



FOSTER SCHOLARLY EXPRESSION AT VCU

Expand options for students and faculty to expose their intellectual output to the world.

- Develop digital repository technology and program for VCU scholarly output
- Elevate faculty understanding of copyright, author's rights, new models of publishing, and assessment of their scholarly work
- Expand digital content and digital publishing from VCU



A COMMUNITY FOR INTELLECTUAL PURSUIT

Provide spaces and environments that act as a catalyst for intellectual pursuit in all its forms.

- Maximize utility of safe, secure library spaces dedicated to learning, research, and collaboration
- Invigorate library physical environment through the use of artwork and exhibitions
- Seek opportunities for event programming and collaborations with cultural heritage institutions that enrich learning and research for the Central Virginia region



OUTSTANDING STEWARDSHIP OF ASSETS

Ensure the most effective use of space, collections, and staff on behalf of the communities we serve.

- Establish and support a culture of assessment throughout the VCU Libraries
- Grow private funding support
- Bolster staff development and recognition to create accomplished staff and new ways of working