

Aiming for the Future
Reorganization at the Harvard Law School Library

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Why reorganize?

Modernize the Library & Adapt to a Changing Legal Research Environment

Strategic Directions Stated by John Palfrey:

- 1. Adopt an affirmative, accelerated transition to a digital age*
- 2. Modernize services to faculty, particularly those pursuing interdisciplinary research*
- 3. Active participation in HLS's broad curriculum reform efforts, using library services, academic technology and any other tools necessary.*

What was the process?

Steering Committee
Formed December 2008

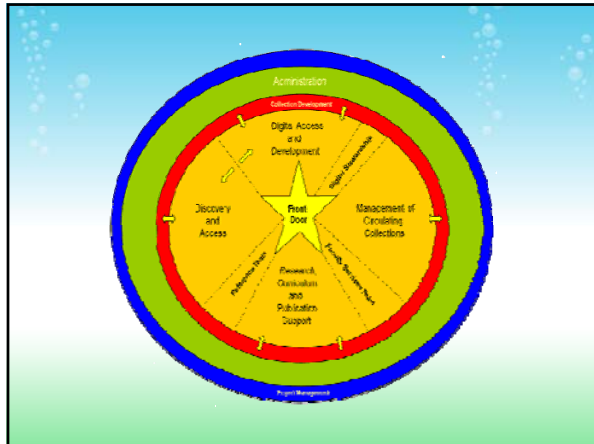
Self Examination
Ongoing

Community Input
February 2, 2009 - March 30, 2009

Final Report
April 30, 2009

Formal start date of the new structure
August 10, 2009





Where do we go from here?

Guiding Principles

- Communication
- Flexibility
- 80/20 Principle
- Working Teams
- Project Management
- Staff Training
- One Stop Shopping

and ultimately....

Reorganize Again!
