

A photograph of a modern, multi-story building with a combination of red brick and large glass windows. The building is set in a landscaped area with green lawns, bushes, and trees. In the foreground, there is a paved road and a small fountain with a single water jet. The sky is overcast with grey clouds. The text 'Revision Plan' is overlaid in white on a dark grey rectangular background in the center of the image.

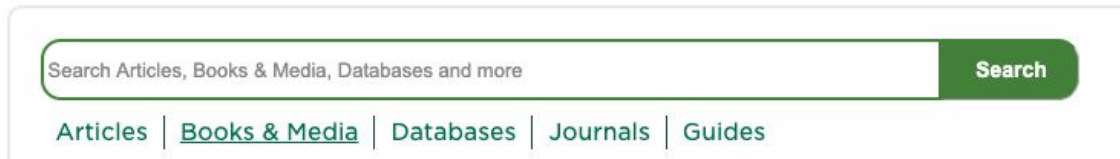
# Revision Plan

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# Interview

For the interview, we travelled to the library to ask students about their usage of the MSU Library Page. We found:

- Database search bar most used by the most participants
- Study rooms popular feature
- Tabs in navigation bar were confusing
- Users felt the Tweets were unnecessary

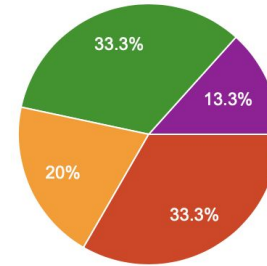


# Survey

For our survey, we created a Google Form and sent it to people around campus via email, text, and Facebook.

What year are you in school?

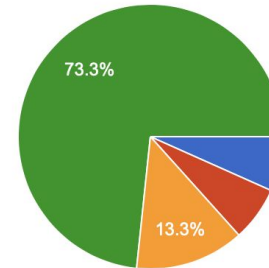
15 responses



- Faculty
- Freshman
- Sophomore
- Junior
- Senior
- Graduate

How often do you go to the library webpage?

15 responses



- Every day
- Weekly
- Monthly
- Rarely or Never



# Survey

## Most Popular Features:

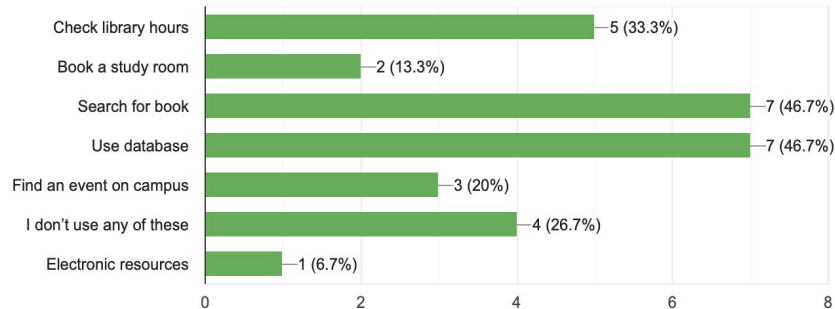
- Search for a book - 46.7%
- Use database - 46.7%
- Check library hours - 33.3%

## Features Students Found Unnecessary:

- Twitter Updates - 64.3%

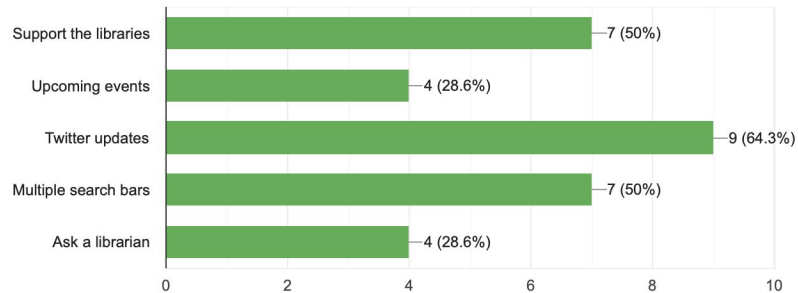
### Check off all of the options you use on the library page

15 responses



### Which tools do you think are unnecessary or unimportant?

14 responses



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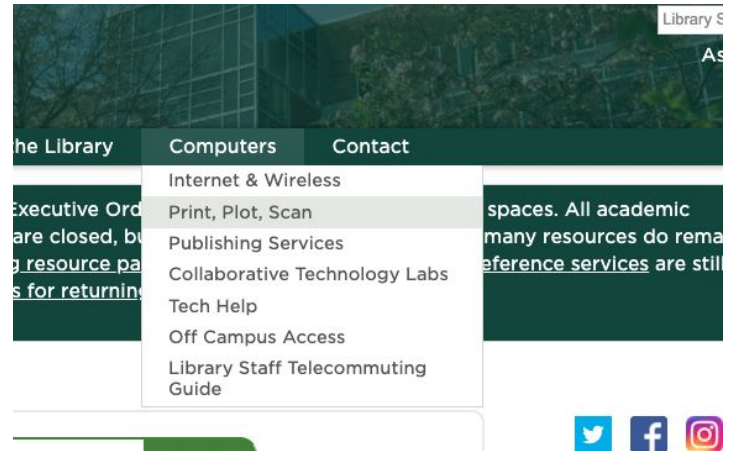
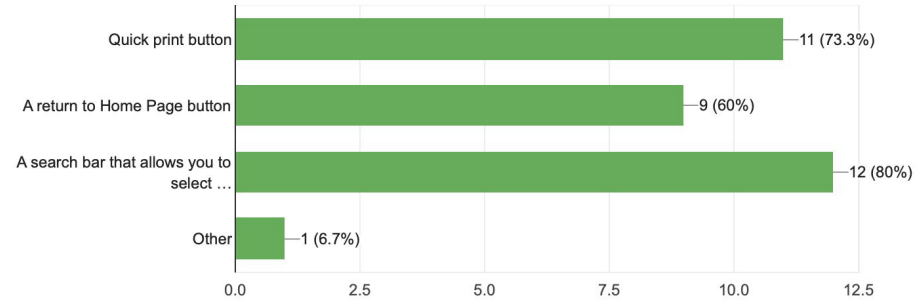
## Features Students Wanted to See

### Improved:

- Search Bar Function - 80%
- Quick Print Button - 73.3%

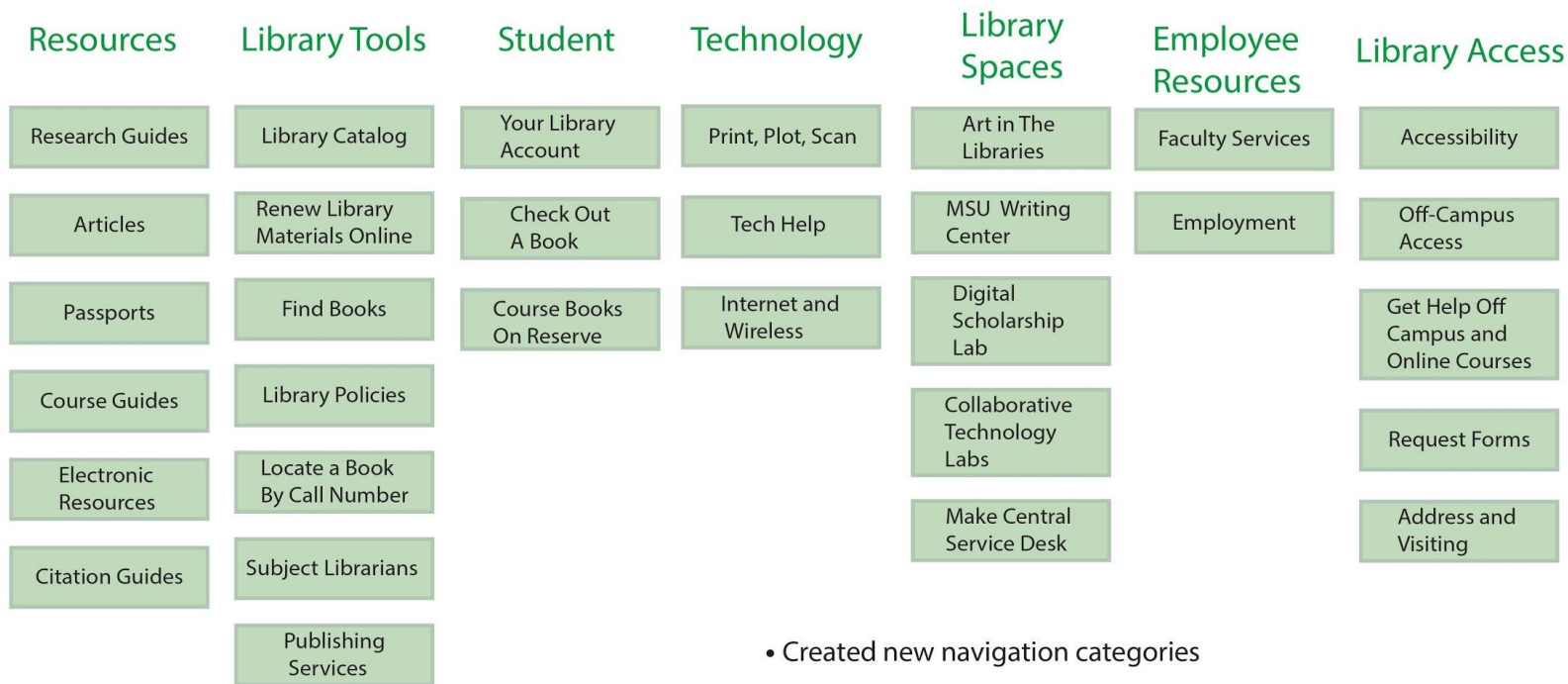
Would you use any of these features if they were added to the webpage? Check all that apply or add a feature you would like to see

15 responses



# Card Sorting

## MSU Library Navigation Architecture



- Created new navigation categories
- Condensed tabs that seemed repetitive or too confusing:

Library Hours

Fast Facts

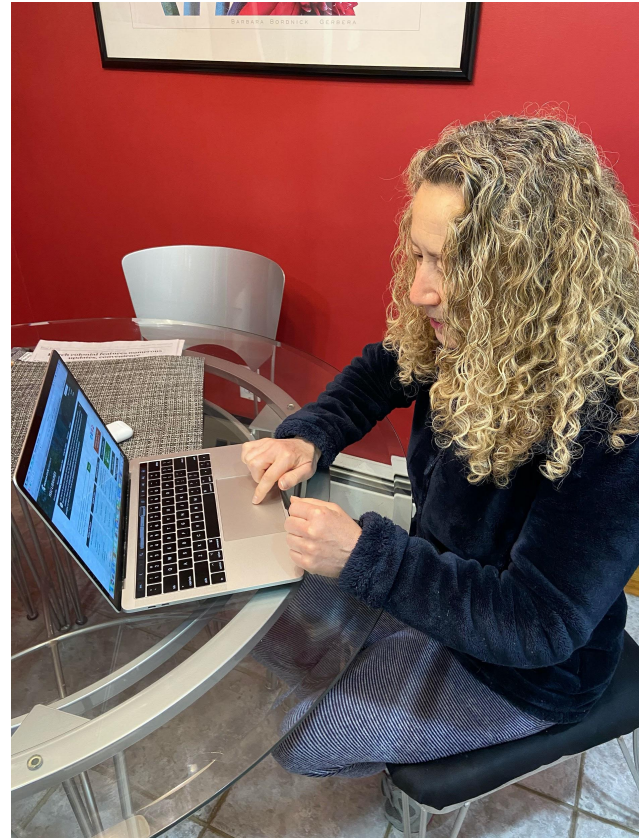
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# Field Study

- Gave us a clear understanding of the user's thought process
- Concluded navigation needed to be changed because users often failed to find categories
- Further proved the importance of search bar and how effective it was for the users





# Research Findings

- **Most common reasons for use of library page:** search for databases, hours, to look for a book/ class resource
- **Least common/used features:** Twitter, upcoming events
- Had to modify our research since we couldn't use our intended audience
- Everyone had a different experience conducting- sometimes hard to come to conclusions
  - Wider audience could help



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