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Innovation and Entrepreneurship Undergraduate Certificate

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LIBRARY IMPACT STATEMENT (New Program Proposal)
LIBRARIAN'S ASSESSMENT

The Collection Management Officer will complete this form as requested, assessing library materials and collections as detailed below, returning. Subject selectors who receive requests for Library Impact Statements for new programs should forward those requests to the CMO.

Program: Innovation and Entrepreneurship Undergraduate Certificate _____

Department, College: College of Business _____

Faculty Member: Nancy Foster-Holt _____

Date returned to Faculty: 3/15/18 _____

Librarian Completing Assessment: Joanna M. Burkhardt _____

Collection Management Officer: Joanna M. Burkhardt _____

Assessment of:

- Suitability of existing library resources;
- New library resources required to support the program;
- Information skills education required by the students; and
- Funds needed for library materials and services.

Please include:

1. What library holdings already exist in relevant subject categories? How much money is now allocated in the program subject area?

The library has substantial holdings in the areas of business and entrepreneurship. We hold both monographs and journals in relevant areas. The allocation for monographs in Business for the 2017-18 fiscal year is approximately \$12,000. The cost of journals is not broken out by department.

2. Does URI have the essential journals as noted in the Faculty Questionnaire?

The questionnaire indicates that the journals we currently provide are sufficient for the program. We do not have any plan to cut our budget for journals. It is likely that we will be able to continue to provide all current resources.

3. What new resources are required to support the program (including media, electronic, or other non-print materials)?

No new library resources are required to support this program.

4. What information mastery sessions will be required for the students?

No Information Mastery sessions are required for students. Should individual instructors wish to offer sessions to students, appointments can be made with library faculty to do so. Instructors should contact the Public Services Department at the Library before the beginning of the relevant semester.

5. What is the approximate cost to acquire the materials necessary? Which of these will be continuing costs?

There are no new costs to the Library for the support of this program.