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

Subject selectors will complete this form as requested, assessing library materials and collections as detailed below. Send one copy of the assessment to the faculty member who requested it. Send one copy of the assessment to the Collection Management Officer.

Course: COM 385 Crossover: Sports Communication Research_____

Department, College: Communication Studies, Arts and Sciences_____

Faculty Member: Gerard Jalette_____

Date returned to Faculty: 2/12/18_____

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 subject area?

The library has current holdings in sports and sports analytics, both in the monograph collection and the journal collection. The allocation for monographic purchases for Communication Studies for 2017-18 is approximately \$9,800. The cost of journal subscriptions is not broken out by department.

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

The suggested journal, Journal of Sports Analytics, states at their website that “the contents of at least the first two volumes will be freely available online.” As there are currently only three volumes of this journal published, it does not seem necessary to subscribe to the journal at this time. The cost of the subscription is nominal, so should a subscription be necessary in the future, this title could be added within the annual allocation.

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

No new library resources are required to support this course.

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

No information mastery sessions are required for the students. Should the instructor wish students to receive assistance with research a class may be scheduled at the beginning of the semester with the Public Services Department and/or the Instruction Department in the library

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 course.