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The University of Missouri-St. Louis started their own Institutional Repository in January of this year. The soil has been tilled and seeds have been found. In this talk the Institutional Repository will be understood as a community garden. Find out how the planting and growing is going in this informative presentation. Identifying stakeholders: who digs, where is the water and what pests have been identified. Tips, tricks and things to avoid when cultivating a brand new IR garden. All this from someone freshly working the land.
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Community Garden

Institutional Repository
I am excited to share my IR experience.

But I must admit I don’t actually know much of anything about gardening.
Where is the garden?

University of Missouri-St. Louis

A public research university established in 1963, the youngest of the four universities in the UM system.
A new garden and a new gardener.

My name is Lena Marvin. I started working at UMSL January 18th of this year (274 days ago). I am new to UMSL and new to Saint Louis.

I was a Government Documents and eSerials Librarian at the City College of New York. I lived in NYC for twelve years, but before that I grew up in Lawrence, Kansas.
Who is into gardening?

Gardeners help each other!

Librarians do too!

Getting help from friends:

Roger Weaver @ MST (Rolla)

Archives at UMSL - Linda Belford
Institutional Repository as library services

Service to the world providing an online repository of UMSL Works for everyone

Services provided by the library to the campus community
- Collection
- Organization
- Access
- Preservation
- Scholarly Communications
Our Garden is the Institutional Repository Library

IRL@UMSL
IRL is a new digital wing of the library. An online collection to showcase items created by members of the UMSL community and share with the world.
The Deep Web & Digging Up the Past
Find old plants to add to new gardens.
University Archives:
Old Garden vs New Garden - Yearbooks
University Archives:

Old Garden vs New Garden - Bulletins
There have been three student newspapers at UMSL. The Tiger Cub ran from November 23, 1960 until March 24th, 1964. Mizzou News ran from November 4th, 1964 until March 22nd, 1966. The first edition of the Current was published on November 19th, 1966 and the Current is still running today. The online edition of the Current is available at http://thecurrent-online.com/
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Readership: worldwide
Impact: citation rates
Visibility: web presence
Engagement: collaboration
IRLy Adopters

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The UMSL researchers who get on board are our IRLy adopters.
Weeds and Bugs in the Institutional Repository

Technical Difficulties
Demo vs Sandbox
SSL
Shibboleth
Faculty Recruitment
Copyright
Metadata / Authorities

SSL4IRL
What else is to be planted in IRL?

Books
Scholarly Articles
Working Papers
Presentations
Data Sets

Electronic Dissertation / Thesis
Photo Database (University Archives)
Sound & Video Recordings
Conference Proceedings
OA & OER

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