University of Nottingham Libraries

The University of Nottingham’s position as a world-class University is confirmed by its ranking in the global league tables. We are ranked in the UK and European top 30 and in the top one per cent of all universities worldwide. In order to build upon this position our Global Strategy 2020 sets out goals and actions that target areas of challenge while laying the foundations for ongoing success into the future. The Strategy aims to strengthen and enrich our core activities of Education and Research; address the changing expectations of our students; target investment in research strengths; focus on enhancing quality; and continue to differentiate The University of Nottingham on the basis of an outstanding student experience and our distinct approach to internationalisation.

University of Nottingham Libraries (UoNL) department provides a full range of library and learning technology services to the University. UoNL puts students and academics at the heart of everything, working in partnership with academic and professional service colleagues to provide the right environment for learners, teachers and researchers to discover, develop, use and share information and learning content in support of knowledge creation and dissemination. We work closely with colleagues at our international campuses, and share the same library systems and virtual learning environment.

UoNL provides a comprehensive range of services, including eight libraries in the UK; over one million print books and journals; 450,000 electronic books and 40,000 ejournals; four million manuscripts including special collections of international importance; and a full range of learning technologies including Moodle. Services are provided over extensive hours, seven days a week, and 24/7 at key times.

The department has approximately 180 FTE staff distributed around the University’s campuses in the UK, and grouped into six sections: Learning Technology, Manuscripts and Special Collections, Research and Learning Services, Customer Services, Content and Discovery, and Strategy and Planning.

Our wide-ranging services include:

- frontline lending and enquiry services across eight libraries
- managing a variety of study spaces
- information skills teaching
- acquiring, managing and promoting printed and electronic information resources for research, learning and teaching, including Manuscripts and Special Collections
- delivering eLearning services and development of new technologies

If you are committed to working in partnership with customers, adaptable to change and you meet the essential specifications of the role, we’d really like to hear from you.