

Community librarian at a music teaching institution: work in progress

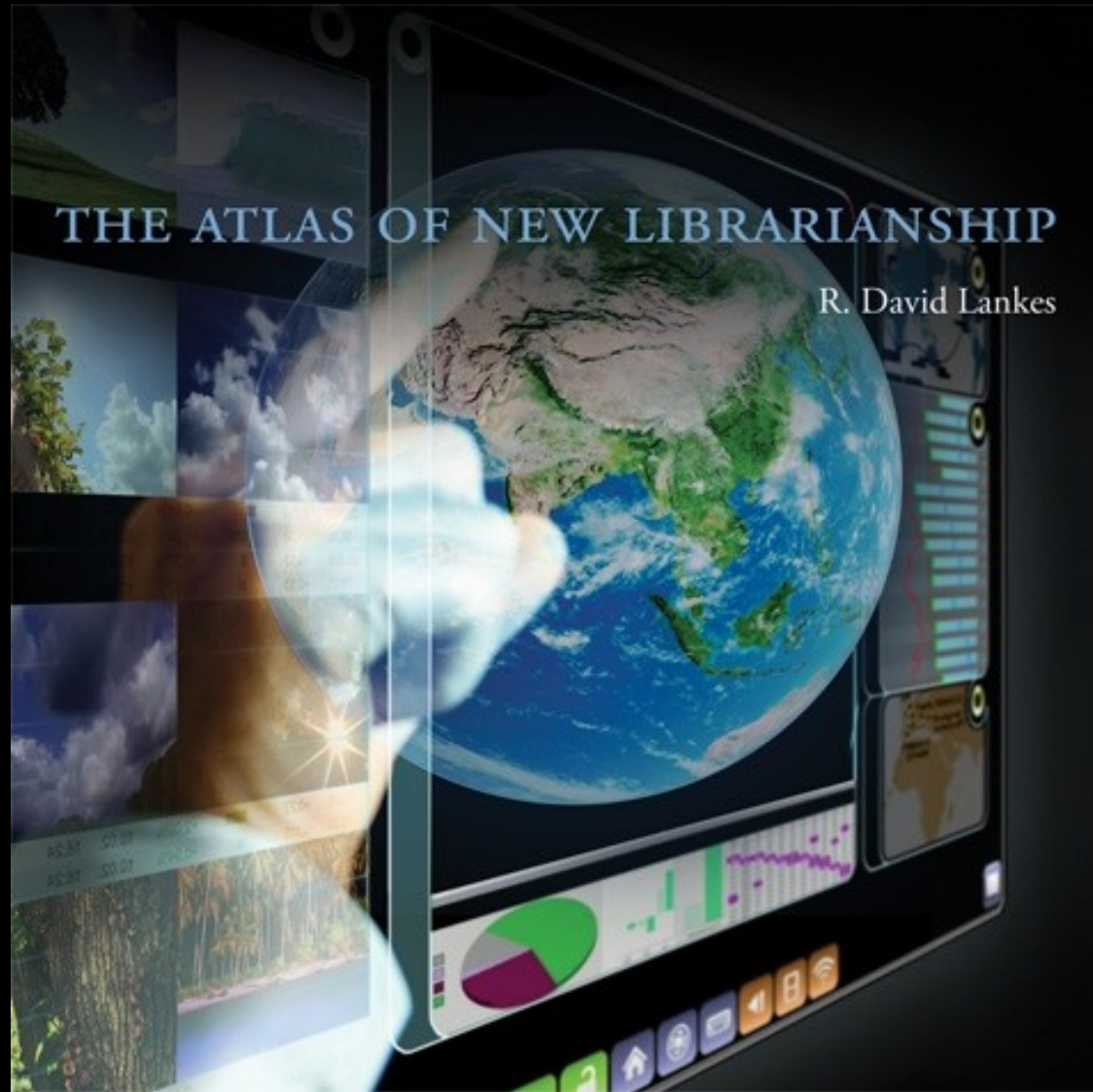
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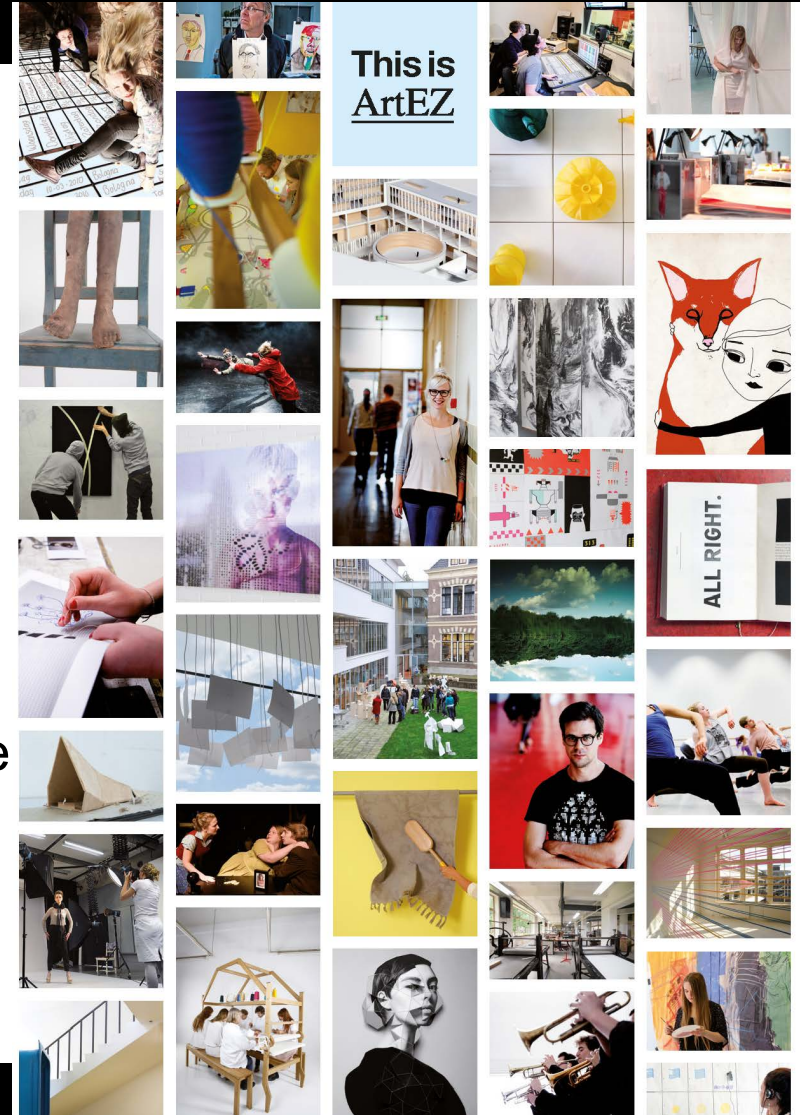
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ArtEZ

Architecture and Interior
Fine Art
Design
Fashion
Dance
Theatre
Music
Writing
Teacher Training Programme

Since 2002



Students

- Almost 3.000 students
- approx. 30 different nationalities

Lecturers

- Over 600 lecturers (part time & working in art professions)

Study programme selection

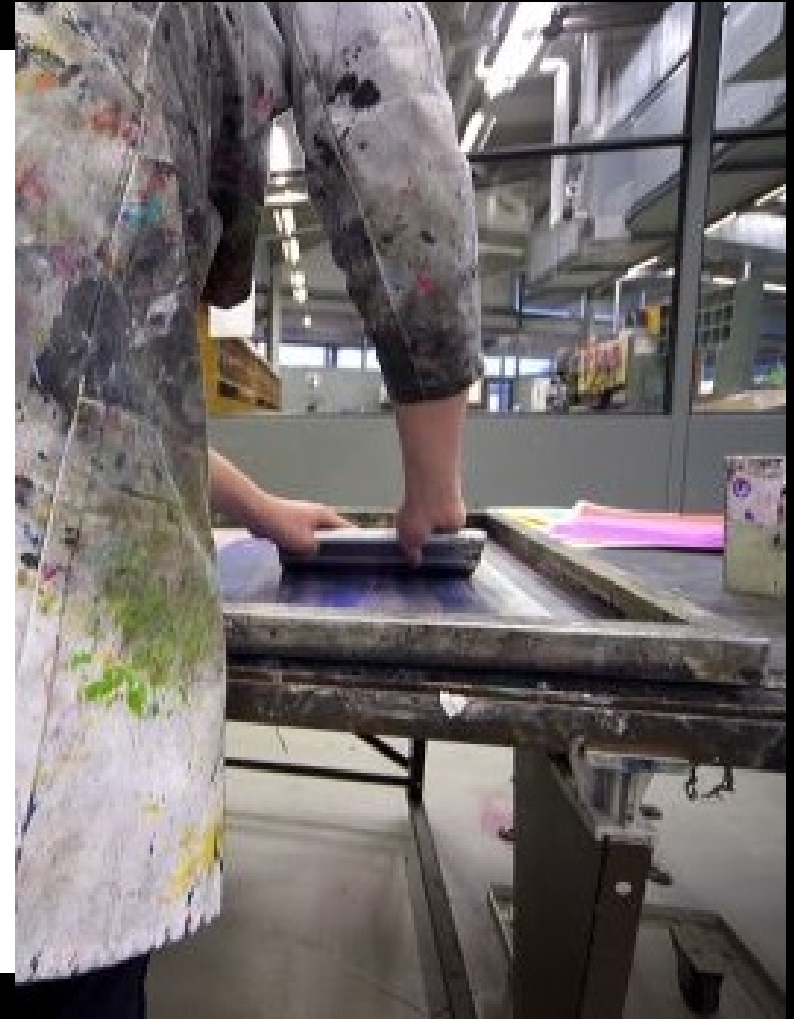
- Prior education
- Bachelor's programmes
- Master's programmes
- Honours Programme

10 top degree programmes



Ambitions

Excellence as standard
Research as key
Connection with society
Collaboration



Value

The library is
a creative and reliable
facilitator of knowledge
for students and staff



The value becomes visible and measurable
if students submit their research on time
and achieve a good result.





OK... WELL...

Library

- 1.4 fte regular staff
- 0.3 fte temporary staff
- 36 hrs. per week open
- 2000 hrs. backlog cataloguing



Library Activities

- Introduction for 1st year students
- Chamber music market
- 18 Workshops for 3rd year students J&P + CM
- Sheet music for the school choir, saxophone class, brass ensemble and string orchestra
- Sheet music for 2 major CM project weeks

300 students
120 staff

On the average everyone
borrows 11 items and
pays 50 visits per year

Conservatorium Zwolle



Classical Music

Jazz & Pop

Music in Education



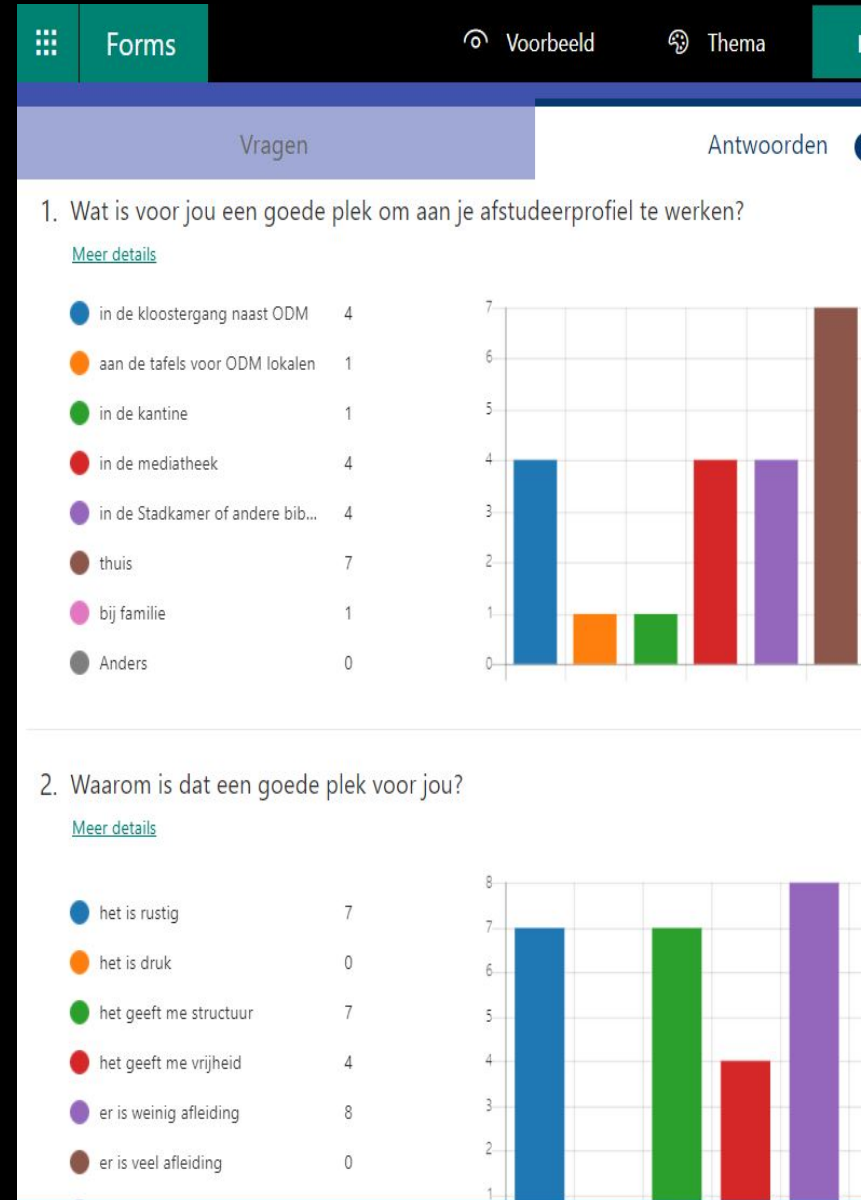
Conversation / Research

- In-depth interviews
- Survey



Survey (Forms of Office 365)

- Good and bad places to study + why
- Planning
- Distractions
- Usage of social media
- StudyShare



StudyShare (1)

- 45 min. of studying and a 15 min. break
- Talking, using your phone or other social media is only allowed during the breaks.
- A break means stepping away from work: no studying during breaks!

Frank Verbeek
Public library Amsterdam

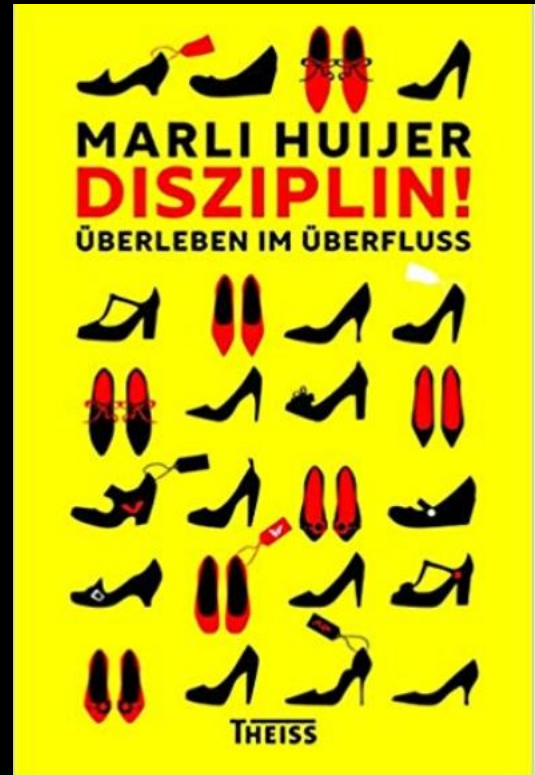


StudyShare (2)

based on Pomodoro
technique (Cirillo)

and

based on the book
“Discipline” a book by
philosopher Marli Huijer



Motto

Ever tried.
Ever failed.
No matter.
Try again.
Fail again.
Fail better

from *Worstward Ho* (1983)
by Samuel Beckett



Don't....

- Don't focus on your "library stuff"
- Don't think that you know what's best for students
- Don't be afraid to fail



Do's

- Be open-minded
- In-depth interviews
- Survey



Have fun!

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