

## Kansas Chapter

### **Value of Academic Libraries: Academic libraries demonstrate alignment with and impact on institutional outcomes.**

***1. Leverage existing research to articulate and promote the value of academic and research libraries.***

Hosted Annual Fall Conference for state academic librarians to share research and experience.

***2. Undertake and support new research that builds on the research agenda in *The Value of Academic Libraries: A Comprehensive Review and Report*.***

Some Conference proposals discuss and support this research

***3. Influence national conversations and activities focused on the value of higher education.***

Developing summer workshop (July 2012) on the ACRL Standards for Libraries in Higher Education to help librarians learn about the new standards

***4. Develop and deliver responsive professional development programs that build the skills and capacity for leadership and local data-informed and evidence-based advocacy.***

Summer workshop as listed in #3, plus preconference for Fall Conference regarding Open Access and Copyright

### **Research and Scholarly Environment: Librarians accelerate the transition to a more open system of scholarship.**

***1. Model new dissemination practices.***

Preconference workshop on Copyright and Open Access

***2. Enhance members' ability to address issues related to digital scholarship and data management.***

Preconference workshop on Copyright and Open Access

***3. Influence scholarly publishing policies and practices toward a more open system.***

Preconference workshop on Copyright and Open Access

### **Enabling Programs and Services**

***2. Publications***

Fall conference proceedings are published in an open access journal, starting with the 2010 conference and continuing annually