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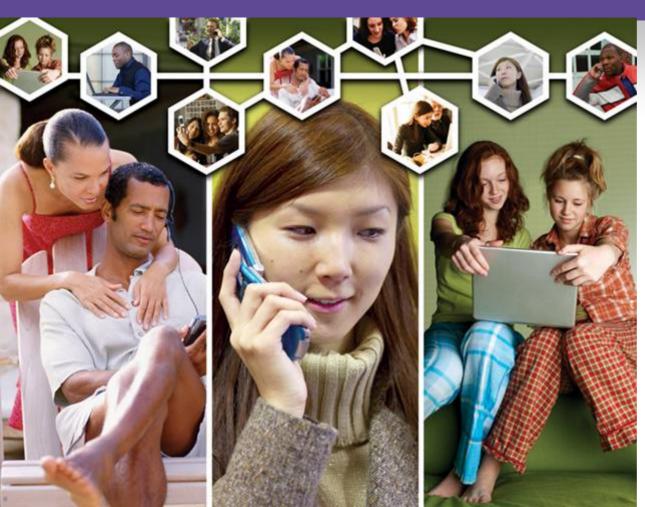
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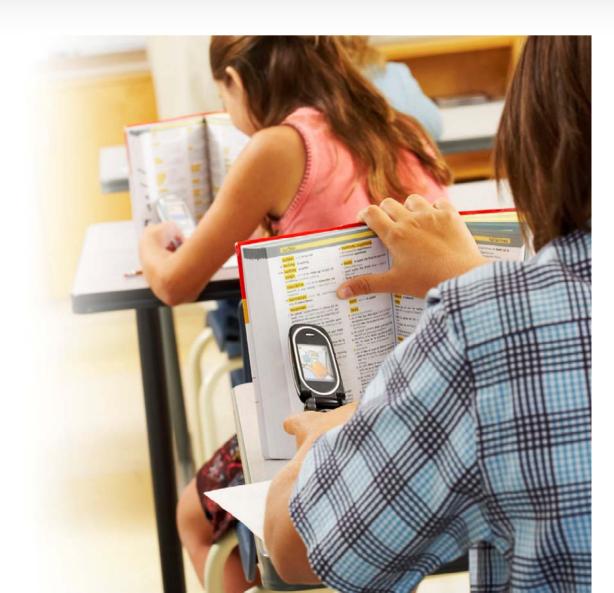
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# What is the **primary** reason for you to attend this LIBER conference?

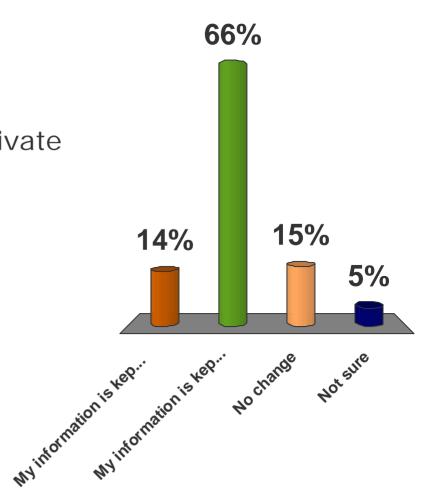
- 1. To listen to the papers
- 2. To network with your peers
- 3. To visit Poland
- 4. Some other reason

## Networking with Peers



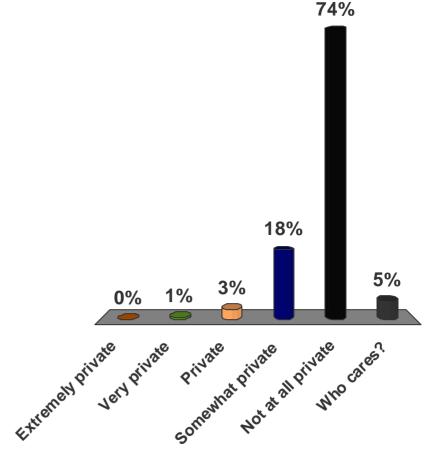
#### How would you rate the privacy of the Internet compared to two years ago?

- 1. My information is kept more private than 2 years ago
- 2. My information is kept less private than 2 years ago
- 3. No change
- 4. Not sure



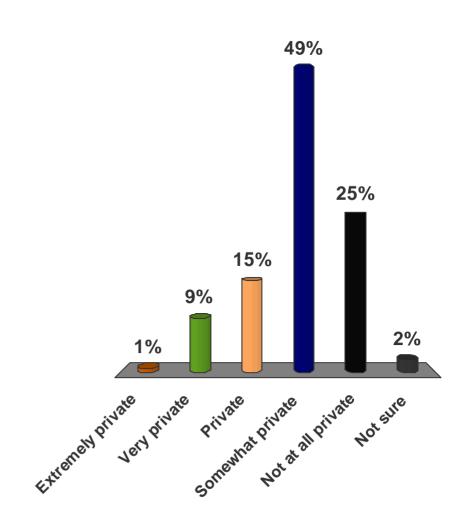
# How private do you feel your activity is while using <u>search engines</u>?

Extremely private 1. Very private 2. 3 Private Somewhat private 4. Not at all private 5. 6. Who cares? 0%



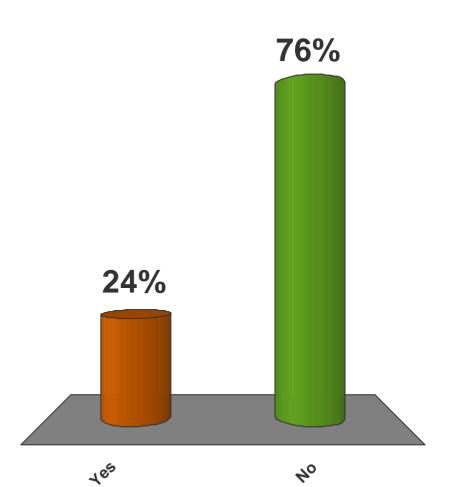
# How private do you feel your activity is while using a <u>library Web site</u>?

- 1. Extremely private
- 2. Very private
- 3. Private
- 4. Somewhat private
- 5. Not at all private
- 6. Not sure



# Has someone improperly used your personal information online?

- 1. Yes
- 2. No





#### Sharing, Privacy and Trust in Our Networked World

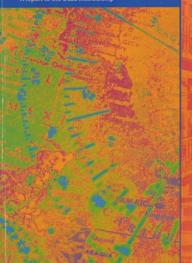
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## Sharing, Privacy, Trust ....and librarians

#### Social Spaces –

who's sharing; what's being shared online?

#### Books –

what's being shared offline?

#### Privacy -

what are we willing to reveal; what's changing?

#### Trust –

how do we determine trust?

#### Librarians –

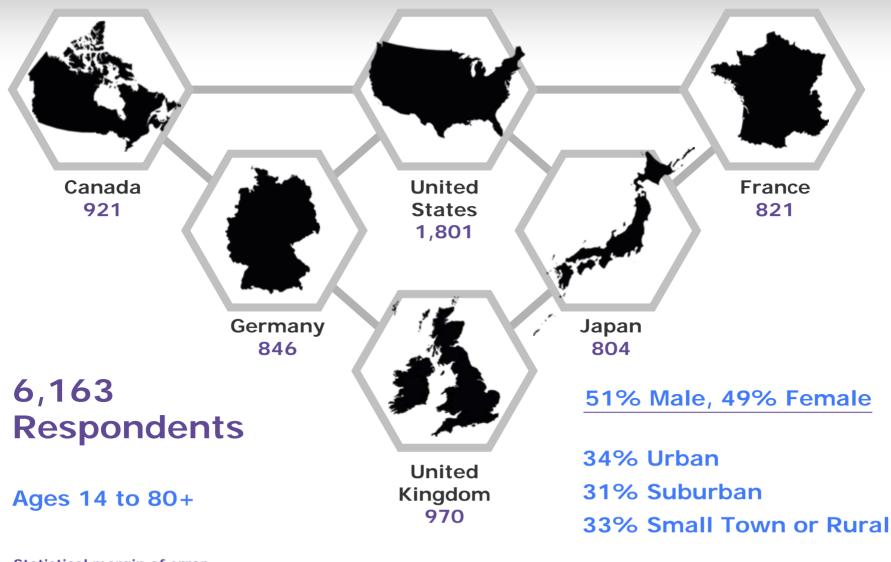
how different? sharing, privacy, trust; implications and opportunities



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Statistical margin of error +/- 1.3% at the 95% confidence level

382 U.S. Library Directors

### Sharing, Privacy, Trust in our Networked World

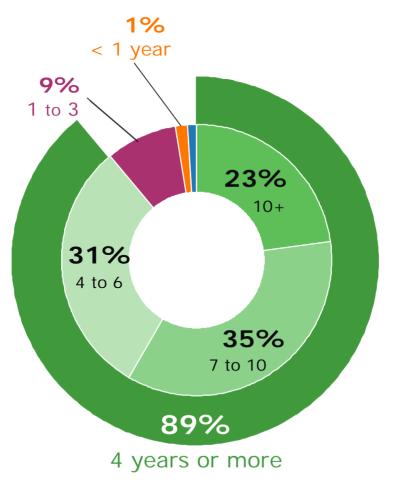
- **Social Spaces**
- **Books**
- Privacy
- Librarians

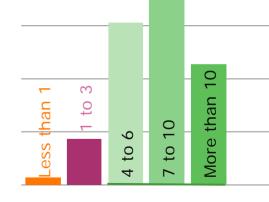
## Perceptions to Sharing 18 Months Later





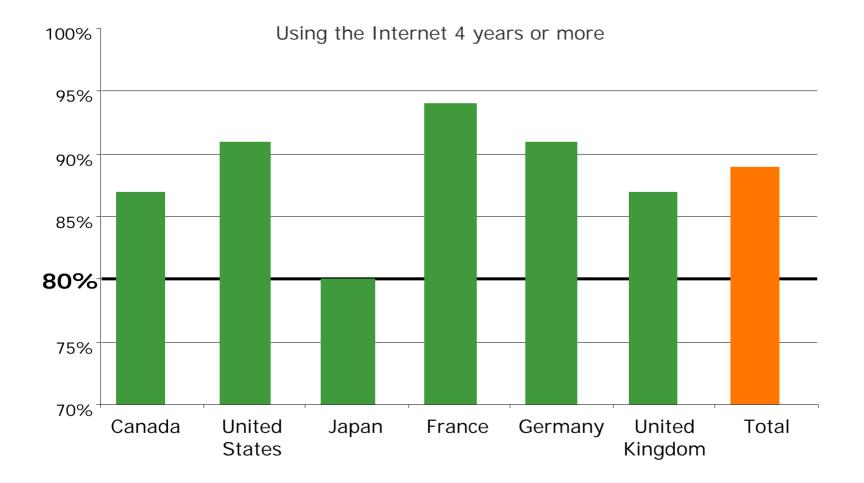
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## **Social Spaces**

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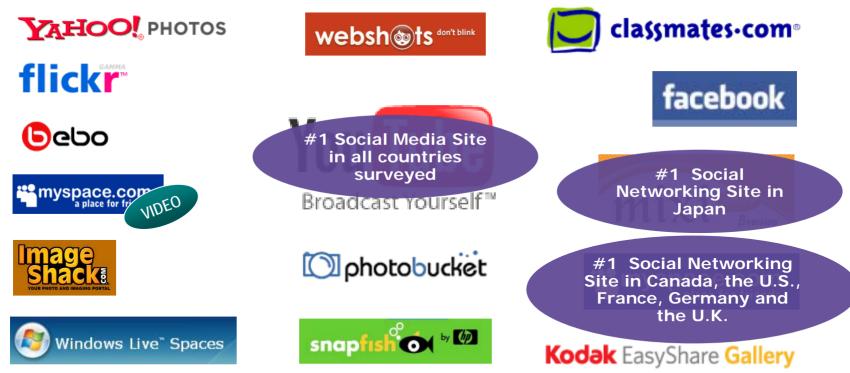
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**Social Spaces** 



## Top Social Networking and Social Media Web Sites



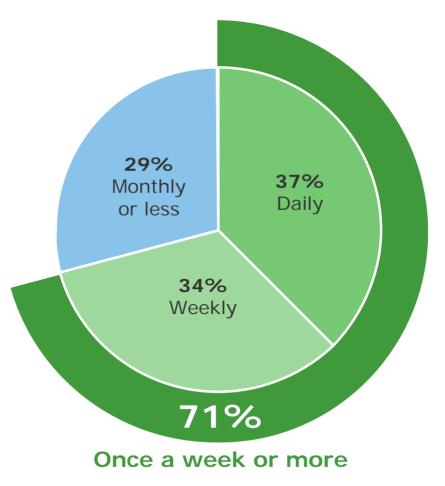
formerly MSN spaces

28% use social networking sites28% use social media sites

**Social Spaces** 



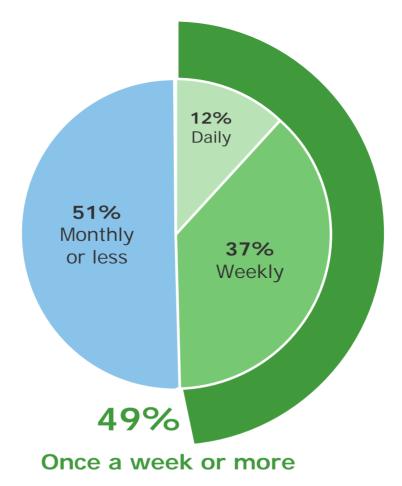
### Frequency of Visits to Social Networking Sites



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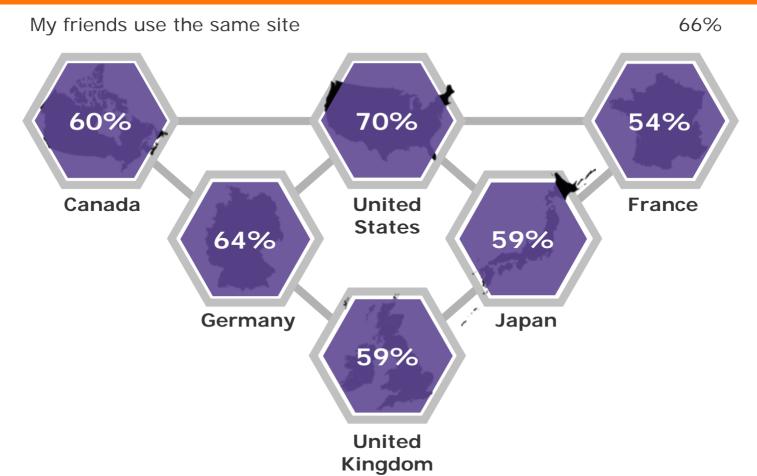


## **Social Networking Spaces:** Why We Go There

Ages 14-21	
My friends use the same site	80%
The web site is fun	56%
To network or meet new people	39%
Ages 22-49	
My friends use the same site	63%
The web site is fun	40%
To network or meet new people	39%
Ages 50+	
My friends use the same site	40%
To be part of a group or community	38%
The web site is useful	33%

## **Social Networking Spaces:** Why We Go There

#### **Total General Public**



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### **Social Spaces**

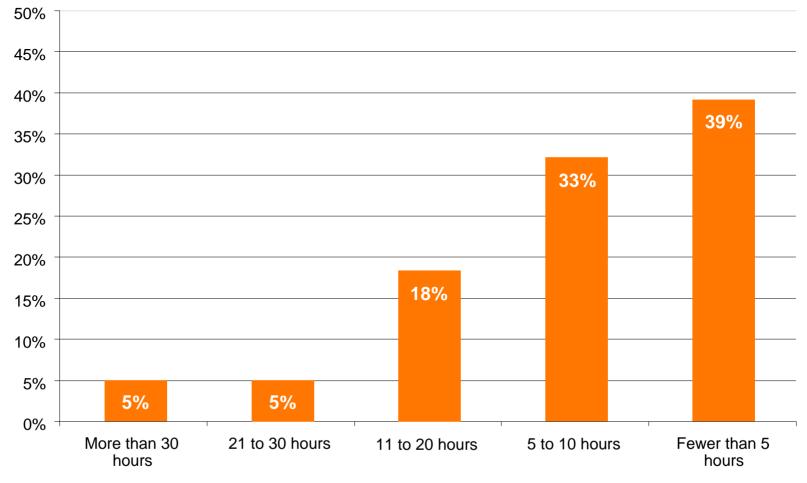
## Books

## Privacy Librarians





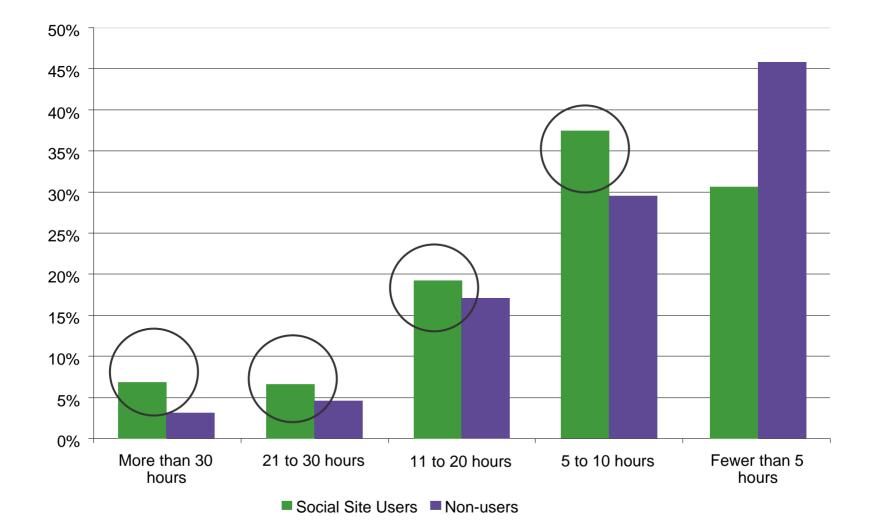
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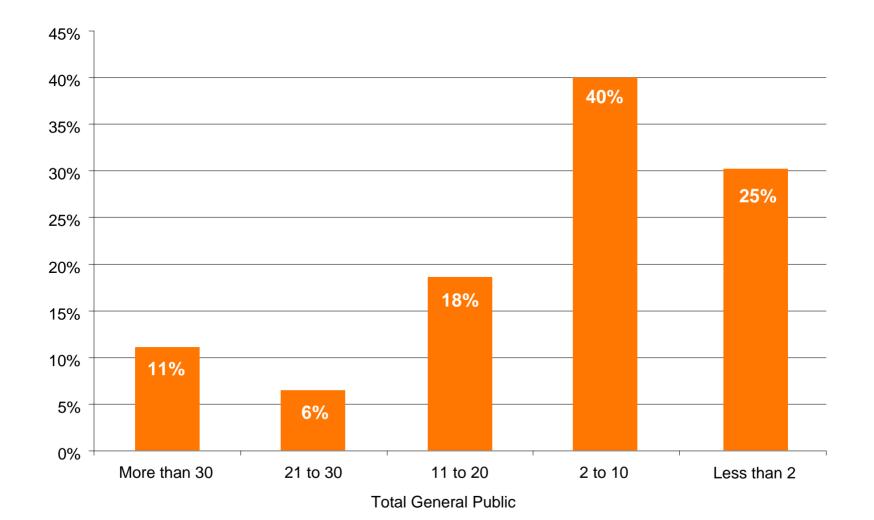
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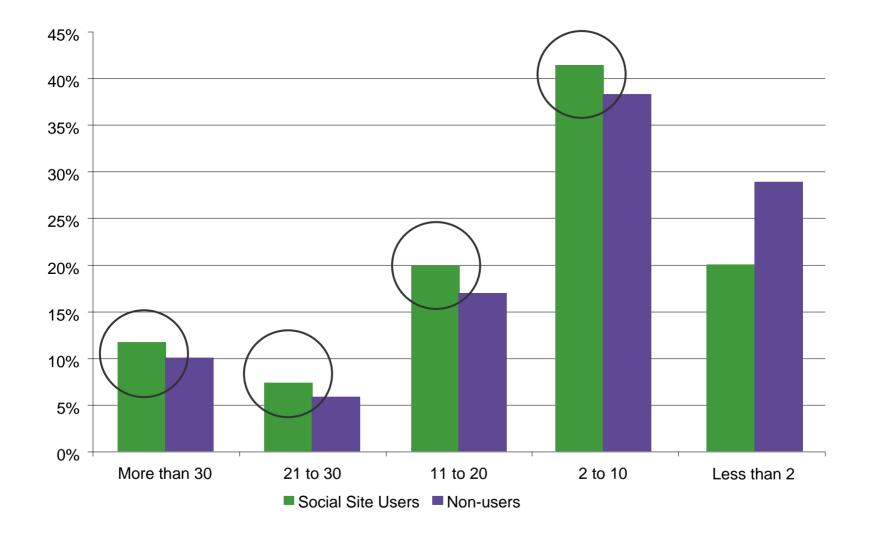
#### **Books Read in the Last 12 Months**



Books



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**Social Spaces** 

"der grund, motiv, ursache"

- Female, 57, Germany, uses social networking

"par respect"

- Female, 33, France, uses social networking

Privacy

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Librarians

"Comme tout ce que je consulte sur internet il n ya rien de confidentiel." - Male, 28, France, uses social networking

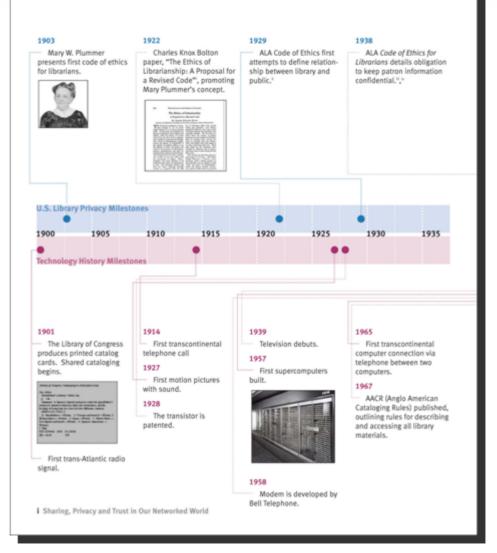
"個人的に知りたいもの を検索しているから"

- Female, 29, Japan, uses social networking

"It's my business. Just like what kind of underwear people wear. It's their business, no one elses." - Female, 19, United States, high school student **Privacy** 

## A long history of privacy

#### Comparative Timeline: Technology History & U.S. Library Privacy



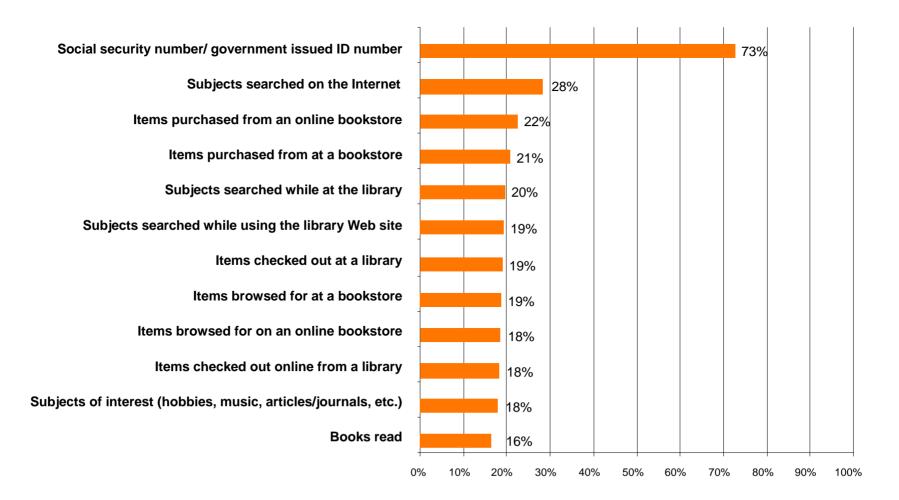
### **Current issues related to this report (1)**

- Search engine privacy practices and data protection laws
  - Google and Article 29 Data Protection Working Party.
  - May 2007 letter indicating that whilst Google's move to anonymizing server logs after 18-24 months is a valuable step it is not sufficient to meet the requirements of European legal data protection framework

## **Current issues related to this report (2)**

- Internet Anonymity
  - Anonymity is important for intellectual freedom
  - technical ability for personally identifiable addresses to be used by 3<sup>rd</sup> parties or governments
  - Requirement that individuals be notified whenever data is provided
  - Electronic Privacy Information Center (EPIC) <u>www.epic.org</u>

#### What we consider private



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**Social Spaces** 

Books

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"Maintenance of privacy encourages people to research or borrow anything they would find useful."

- U.S. Library Director, 56



#### **382 U.S. Library Directors**

- 55% in Public Libraries
- 42% in Academic Libraries
- 3% in Other Libraries
- 34% Age 49 or Younger
- 66% Age 50 or Older
- 76% Female
- 24% Male

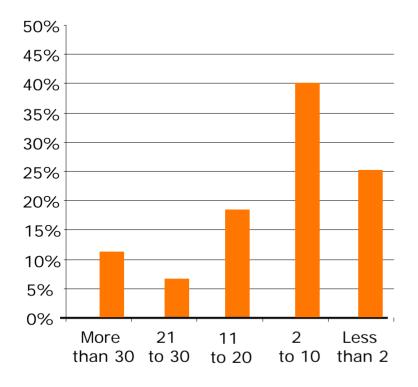
- 36% Used a Social Media Site 28%
- 22% Used a Social Networking Site 28%

## Top 10 Social Networking and Social Media Sites

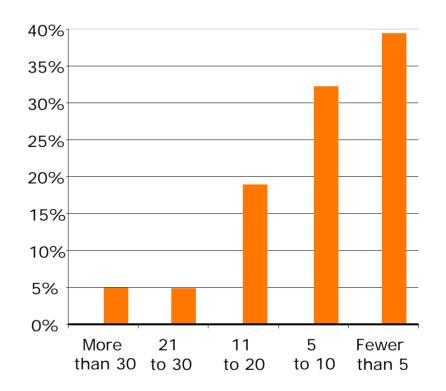
- 1 MySpace
- 2 Facebook
- 3 Classmates
- 4 Del.icio.us
- 5 Flickr
- 6 Snapfish
- 7 Kodak EasyShare Gallery
- 8 YouTube
- 9 Yahoo Pictures
- 10 Photobucket

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#### **Books per Year**



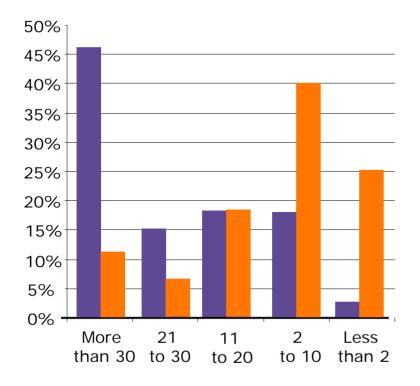
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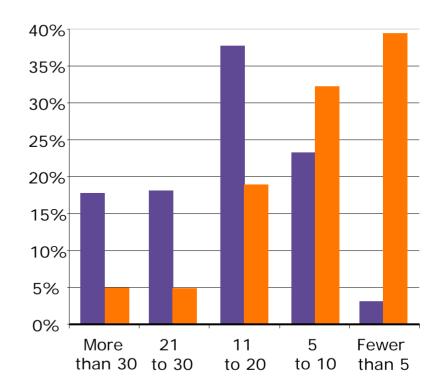
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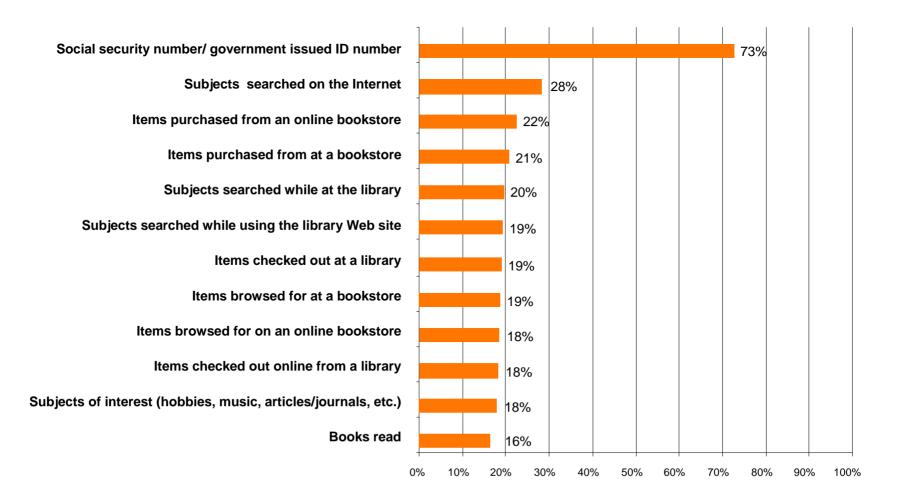


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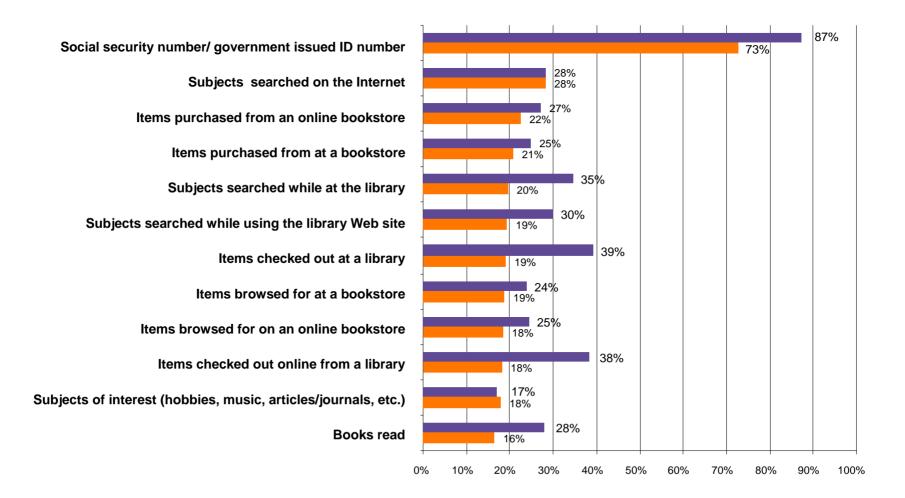


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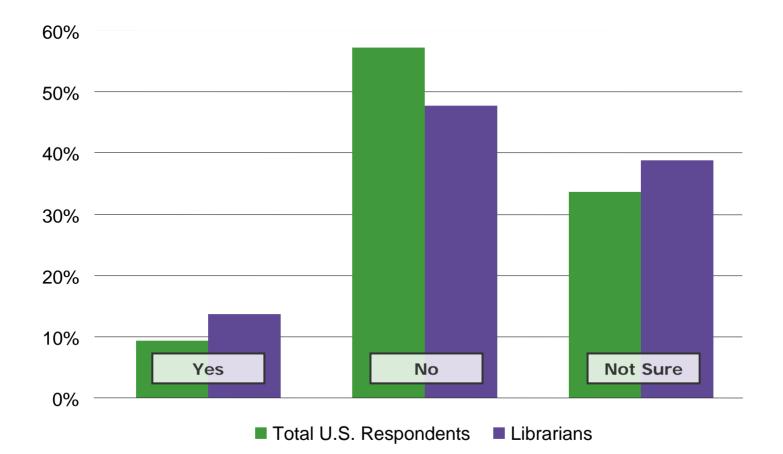
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## Is it the library's role to build a social networking site?

Base: Use the library



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