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Building Collaboration between Faculty Members and Librarians in University Education

As part of the recent massive educational reform, colleges and universities have been training students as active and lifelong learners, and becoming publicly accountable for their performance. In this context, college and university libraries have also been asked to approach their institutions about how they can contribute to these reforms. Building collaboration between faculty members and librarians is one of the main issues in making these contributions. This presentation will explore librarians' strategies to promote collaboration with faculty members, and intervening conditions inside libraries, and in the university community, based on qualitative case studies of good practices.

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