Macro trends in the development of the university libraries of Latin America.

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Abstract:

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An overview of the great subjects of this movement of the libraries of the Universities of Mexico, Costa-Rica, Nicaragua, Venezuela, Colombia, Argentina, Uruguay, Peru and Chile. An account of the different approaches for the development of the capacities in information literacy, vinculation of libraries to the processes of educational innovation, management of learning objects and its repositories. A review of the strategies of the information management in use, consortia for the purchase of information, development of virtual libraries, integration of services, metacrawlers and repositories of scientific information. It shows publishing experiences of scientific journals, projects of digitalization of theses, and initiatives that promotes the use of Creative Commons, Cross Ref, OAI. Evaluation of the libraries and processes of the accreditation of services.