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NO
GUILT
as a service

books on libraries

news, news from ALL
sources, can place ~~SAME~~
news about same
event in same place

interesting/
new / contemp.

INTERSECTIONAL
TECHNOLOGY
(sth. critical
studies?)

children
books

PULP
NOVELS

great
science-
fiction

URBAN
RESILIENCE

EXISTENTIAL
NOVELS

COMIC
BOOKS

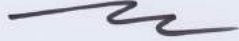
annotation
services

Some
basic
annotation
→ keep, take,
archive.

a few
research
librarians
with a good
sense of
smell + search
analytics

A

COFFEE
MACHINE



food
(not recepies)

radio
Station

crap. books
"trashy stuff"

free
downloads

workshops

photocopier
+
printer
+
bindings

PORN

BOOKS
THAT SMELL
INTERESTING

category
~~at~~ inventors,
change category
("intermittently")

TIMESLOTS
to meet
peer readers.
but let's
be clever with
it.

articles/books
on how to work
differently
with categories
& classification

We are a company that provides access to academic research. To access the material there is a fee, charged to individuals or research institutions.

Examples: Elsevier, Springer, JSTOR

By organizing knowledge in adequate systems, we are making knowledge more accessible, enhance system performance, therefore benefiting humanity.

One of the advantages includes support of full-text keyword searching across all content, making it easier for researchers to look up content.

We digitize and make available books online, that otherwise wouldn't have online access.
We help publishers reach new audiences.

We lower costs for academic libraries and increase shelf space.

Academic Journal Database makes research easier for researchers. Our advanced information system makes the researcher's life much easier.

Academic Publishing Business

We are producers of knowledge, and are heavily reliant on research literature. We come from countries with different economic backgrounds, some are from higher income countries, some from lower income countries.

Examples: University researcher, researcher in a pharmaceutical lab, independent researcher

To be updated on my field of research, I always have my database alert open, so I receive alerts when there are updates in the field. It's a way to be updated about what are the other researchers doing.

source: youtube video showing associate professor at Utrecht University, titled "A Day in the Life of a Researcher"

I use a search tool developed to do chemistry research. I put in a reaction, starting material and end product, the search tool will come up with papers that have the reactions.

source: youtube video showing synthetic Sciences' PhD researcher, titled "A Day in the Life of a Researcher"

To boycott closed access, expensive journal database, we will put papers in open access places.

source: youtube video showing physicist during a conference, titled "Elsevier is evil"

Academic research platforms is a social space that I allow me to be connected to other researchers, I am always willing to meet them and collaborate!

source: youtube video showing professor at Eindhoven University of Technology, titled "A Day in the Life of a Researcher"

As researchers our project is funded by research grants. We don't receive compensation from academic journal database.

Submitting papers to academic journal publishers was considered necessary to advance in academic careers.

Researcher

I deal with all the information and operations inside a library. I follow the copyright laws, acquire books through legal channels and use traditional forms of cataloging.

Examples: librarian in a university, librarian of a research institute, librarian of a public library

Libraries are obligated to shut down the hackers and if we don't do it, the publishers can cut off key research material for professors and students.

source: Edward Sanchez, head of library information technology at Marquette University

At the Institute of Mathematical Sciences in Chennai (IMSc), for example, the total annual budget is around \$2 million, of which \$400,000 is spent on subscriptions to academic journals, more than the entire budget for faculty salaries.

source: Karaganis, Joe(ed), "Shadow Libraries", MIT Press 2018

More than 60 scientific institutions had already terminated their contracts with Elsevier, in forms of boycotts for the expensive fees and support for open access information.

As a librarian I should archive all meaningful electronic files, but they are behind paywalls at no accessible costs.

I want a poor student to have the same means as the richest man in the kingdom, as far as books go.

source: Anthony Panizzi, British librarian in 1836

My biggest concern about piracy is how it obtains access to library databases when they enter our system to download files.

Researcher Librarian

I am an infrastructure that accumulates and distributes files illegally. My motivation is to make knowledge open access. Since the past few years there have been lawsuits from academic journal database against shadow libraries.

Examples: Library Genesis, Sci-Hub, Aaaaarg, Monoskop

The maintenance of Library Genesis, a major shadow library site makes the infrastructure as transparent as possible, so that other communities can mirror the infrastructure freely.

Researchers from developed countries use our shadow libraries more often than other countries, in addition to the legal resources they already have.

Shadow libraries aim to provide free access. If a mirror site is operating for profit, the main community has the right to disconnect the mirror site from open access community.

Researchers from both developed and less developing countries use shadow libraries.

Shadow libraries accumulate journals by accessing accounts in universities with subscription to database. It is a way to share knowledge from the more privileged to the less privileged.

Shadow libraries operate outside of U.S. and European jurisdiction area since the servers are hosted elsewhere, such as in Russia.

Shadow Library

I am the person stealing, scanning, uploading files but also downloading.

I do it because I believe knowledge should be accessible for all, because I don't have the means to pay for the original files, or just because I don't want to.

Examples: a student, Aaron Swartz, Alexandra Elbakyan, your neighbor, a teacher

We have the means and methods to make knowledge accessible to everyone, with no economic barrier to access and at a much lower cost to society.

source: In solidarity with Library Genesis and Sci-Hub

Infringing on copyright, unlike theft, does not deprive the victim of the original item.

source: Against Intellectual Property by N. Stephan Kinsella, Esq.

Those with access to these resources — students, librarians, scientists — you have been given a privilege. (...) You have a duty to share it with the world.

source: Guerilla Open Access Manifesto

I provide free access to academic resources. Knowledge should be free for everybody. Underprivileged researchers have greatly benefited from my help.

We see how a freer flow of information enables thoughts, cultural creation and the economy to grow.

source: The Pirate Party's 4th declaration of principles, a political party founded in 2006

Pirate