



Transforming Libraries into Inclusive Spaces: The Contributions of Living Collection in Academic Library of Indonesia

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BACKGROUND





INCLUSIVE LIBRARY

The International Federation of Library Associations (IFLA) defines inclusive libraries as spaces that should be accessible and welcoming to all community members, regardless of their backgrounds, abilities, or circumstances (Beyene et al., 2023)

HUMAN LIBRARY

Living Collection adapted from Human Library, Denmark. Human Library creates a safe space for dialogue where topics are discussed openly between our human books and their readers (humanlibrary.org).



RESEARCH METHOD

DESCRIPTIVE QUALITATIVE WITH CASE
STUDY APPROACH

Data Collection Technique

- We use Observation, Interview, and Documentation to Collect the Data

Data Analysis Technique

- Reducing, Presentation, and Drawing Conclusion of the Data



RESULT AND DISCUSSION



THE CONCEPT
*of Living Collection UIN
Sunan Kalijaga Library,
Indonesia*



THE CONTRIBUTIONS
*of Living Collection UIN
Sunan Kalijaga, Indonesia*



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CONCEPT OF LIVING COLLECTION

UIN Sunan Kalijaga Library, Indonesia

Living Collection as Library
Collection in a Human Form

The Living Collection is
Voluntary

The Issues: Inclusive and
Knowledge Management
(Unique Knowledge)

The Criteria
to be a Living
Collection:

- Following the main theme
- A qualified educational background and experience
- Good communication skill

THE CONTRIBUTIONS OF LIVING COLLECTION

The Living Collection presents its contribution as a new collection in the library through the functions of an academic library

No	Functions	Contributions
1	Education	The Living Collection addresses knowledge needs related to inclusivity through existing figures, transferring knowledge directly to users through interactive dialogues.
2	Information	The Living Collection provides information to help users understand complex social and cultural realities and increase their awareness of inclusive issues.
3	Preservation	The Living Collection ensures that these resource persons' valuable, inclusive knowledge and experiences are not lost to be used for future generations.
4	Research	As an innovation in the scope of academic libraries in Indonesia, the Living Collection allows users to research inclusion and diversity.
5	Recreation	Accessing the Living Collection by engaging in dialogue with inclusive figures allows for cultural recreation.

CONCLUSION

The Living Collection is a collection in human form and provide the access to dialogue with readers. The issues can provide about inclusive approach with knowledge management (unique Knowledge). The Living Collection contributes to inclusive spaces through academic libraries' functions, including education, information, preservation, research and recreation. The Living Collection seeks to build awareness of the campus academic community to appreciate the existing differences and diversity



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