Appendix A

Data Collection Forms

Data Collection Form—User Profile

1. Date of interview: __________
2. Place of interview: ____________________________
3. Sex: _____
4. Level: (circle one)
   freshman    sophomore    junior    senior
   graduate    faculty    other__________
5. Name of institution you attend (or faculty where you teach): ______________________________________
6. Major field of study: ____________________________
7. Type of institution (circle one):
   community college    primarily undergraduate college
   research university    other (describe)______________
8. Thinking back over the past two semesters, how often did you go to the library (circle the one that most closely resembles your use)?
   never    every day    other (describe)______________
   less than once/semester    1–3x/semester    4–6x/semester
   more than 6x/semester

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9. For what purposes do you use the library? Please circle.
   a. studying   d. return books   g. use AV or computers
   b. research   e. library instruction   h. meet friends
   c. borrow books   f. class in library   i. other (describe):

   _____________________________________________________

10. Thinking back over the past two semesters, how often did you ask a reference librarian for information or help?
   never   every day   other (describe)______________________
   less than once/semester   1–3x/semester   4–6x/semester
   more than 6x/semester

11. Age: _____

Data Collection Form—Librarian Profile

1. Date of interview: __________      __________

2. Time of interview: __________________

3. Place of interview: _____________________________________
   _____________________________________________________

4. Sex: _____

5. Degrees held, major field of study, and institution awarding:
   B.A. ______________________________________   year______
   MLS ______________________________________  year______
   other______________________________________  year______
   other______________________________________  year______

6. Present position: ______________________________________
   _____________________________________________________

7. Name of institution of present position:
   _____________________________________________________
   _____________________________________________________
8. Hours per week in present position in interaction with users:  
at reference desk _______ other (describe)___________________

9. Type of institution of present position (circle one):  
community college   primarily undergraduate college  
research university  other (describe)___________________

10. Number of years experience in academic reference: __________

11. Number of years experience in reference other than academic (please describe): ________________________________

12. Age:____