Enhance your collection; hands-on training-session for Library Reps

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In this Session...

Context
Collection Life Cycle

Useful Resources including:
Choice Reviews Online (CRO)
http://www.choicereviews.org/

Resources for College Libraries (RCL)
http://www.rclweb.net/
Context

- Gaps in our collection
- Feedback from faculty
- Collection development policy
MU Library Collection Life Cycle

- Weed or Deselect
- Order/Select
- Library Acquisitions
- Processing and/or cataloguing
- Repair or replace
- Borrowing
Useful Resources

**MU Library Collection Development Policy**

**Legal Deposit**
- MU library is a deposit library under the terms of the [Irish Copyright and Related Rights Act, 2000](http://www.bl.uk/bibliographic/natbibweekly.html)
- Ordering books published in Ireland - We will claim it!

**British National Bibliography – BNB**
- Published weekly by the British Library
- Organised by Subject
  - [http://www.bl.uk/bibliographic/natbibweek.html](http://www.bl.uk/bibliographic/natbibweek.html)
Useful Resources continued

Collection Development Page in For Staff LibGuide – coming soon
Publishers catalogues (print)

Databases
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