ENGLISH
COLLECTION DEVELOPMENT POLICY STATEMENT

I.PURPOSE AND PROGRAM DESCRIPTION

      A.   Library Collection Development Objective

The library supports curricular and some research needs in areas of English studies including world, English, and United States literature, linguistics, rhetoric and composition, journalism, creative writing, writing for the professions, literary theory and criticism, and critical theory.

      B.   Description of User Groups Supported

User groups supported include undergraduates, master's students, and faculty.
Courses supported are both traditional and online. Teachers, which includes advanced courses
      rhetoric, second language learners, creative w
      English and B.S.Ed. in Secondary Education
      program.

      C.   New and Expanding Areas of Interest

      The new program   D. Areas of Established Specialization

Our areas of established specialization include all areas of literary studies, including traditional periods/genres/figures of British and American literature, world literature, theory and criticism, print journalism, creative writing, professional writing, and language studies (including linguistics and history of the English language).

II. TREATMENT OF SUBJECT DEPTH

A. Treatment of Depth

SUBJECT DIVISIONS	COLLECTING LEVEL
American Literature—20th Century	3
—19th Century	3
—Colonial period	3
—African American authors	3
—Criticism and interpretation	3
Business writing	3
Creative Writing	3
Criticism	3
Drama	3
English language	3
—Composition and exercises	3
—Grammar	3
—History	3
—Rhetoric	3
—Study and teaching	3
—Style	3
English literature—20th century	3
—19th century	3
—18th century	3
—Early modern, 1500-1700	3
—Middle English, 1100-1500	3
Linguistics	3
Literary form	3
Literary Research	3
Poetics	3
Poetry	3
Popular Culture	3
Rhetoric—History	3
Technical writing	3
[World] Literature	3

B. Specific Delimitations

Formats collected: Journals and Mongraphs: extensively. Media and Reference tools: selectively. Maps and Microformat collections: excluded.

Imprint dates collected: Current: extensively. 20th century: selective. 19th century and Earlier: excluded.

Chronological focus: Current, 20th century, 19th century, Earlier: extensively.

Languages collected: English: extensively. Translations of world