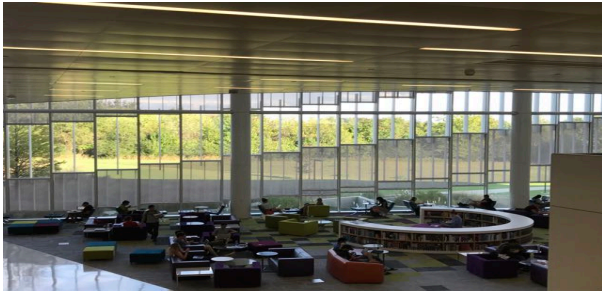


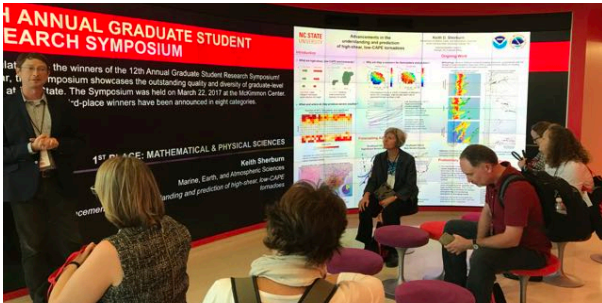
# Mines Library @150: Our Roadmap

**A world-class research institution deserves a world-class research library.**



We envision Arthur Lakes Library as a world-class STEM research library at the core of Mines' academic primacy for the next 50 years. This dynamic space will bring together diverse interests from across campus, wholly engage students and faculty, and develop the next generation of engineers, scientists, innovators, and leaders.

Already, our dedicated, expert library faculty and staff foster a rich, responsive information environment that empowers learning, discovery, critical thinking, and knowledge creation. However, *to fully realize our grand vision requires an expansion of our library.* With your support, Arthur Lakes Library will become a signature Mines experience for students and faculty—a 21st-century collaborative, inclusive, technology-infused space that promotes broad intellectual pursuits.



**Our bold goals that will promote faculty and student success include:**

1. Establish a Center for Scholarly Communications that supports open conduct and dissemination of collaborative research to ensure integrity of Mines research output and to enhance Mines research impact.
2. Create Dedicated Library Instruction Classrooms and Intentional Learning Spaces that take advantage of state-of-the-art technology to bolster research competencies and build cross-disciplinary interactions between students and faculty throughout all Mines curricula.
3. Build a STEM Business Incubator to foster innovation and entrepreneurship in Mines students, faculty in cooperation with the business community.
4. Facilitate Mines Makerspaces across campus with dedicated Makerspace librarians. Make the Library the Hub for Distinctive STEAM Programs that support the integration of liberal arts into science and engineering. Establish a Student Success Center that brings together CASA, the Writing Center, tutoring services and other essential student and faculty support services.

We, the students and faculty of Mines, are committed to work with the Foundation to raise funds to make Mines Library @150 a reality.

**More info:**



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