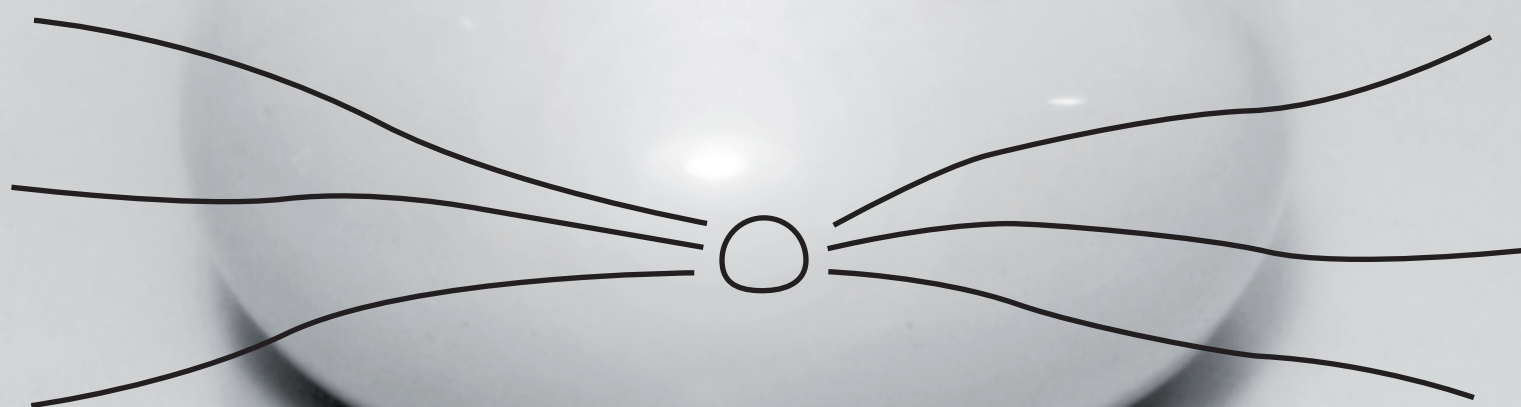


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IN A WORLD WHERE ACCESS TO KNOWLEDGE IS MORE AND MORE IMPORTANT FOR PERSONAL AND PROFESSIONAL EDUCATION, LIBRARIES ARE A SOURCE TO BE DISCOVERED AND EXPLOITED. SBA - SISTEMA BIBLIOTECARIO D'ATENEO (THE ACADEMIC LIBRARIES SYSTEM) OFFERS MANY PLACES WHERE TO CONSULT TEXTS AND STUDY, BUT EVEN MORE. IT IS A NETWORK WHICH OFFERS ADVANCED ONLINE SERVICES, A REFERENCE POINT WHERE TO DEEPEN STUDIES AND HOLD A DIALOGUE WITH PROFESSIONAL STAFF ABLE TO LEAD YOU AMONG DIFFERENT SOURCES EFFICIENTLY AND WITH COMPETENCE. THE ACADEMIC LIBRARY SYSTEM OPENS THE NEW ERA OF BOOKWORMS, WHOSE SYMBOL IS THE MOUSE AND WHOSE OBJECTIVE IS TO BE LINKED TO KNOWLEDGE.

*The academic libraries system coordinates all libraries of the University of Bologna which are responsible for conversing handling, brings out and develops the libraries offer. It favours a high quality education system and professional staff.*

*Together with CIB – the interlibrary centre – which handles libraries automation and promotes the use of new technologies, the academic libraries system (SBA) ensures users advanced and innovative services, as well as participation in national and EU projects and initiatives.*

## THE LIBRARY NETWORK

The academic library system (SBA) of the University of Bologna offers a collection of books, journals, textbooks and databases both on traditional and on electronic form. It also ensures advanced bibliographic services, specialised for each research field to support teaching and research.

### The network includes:

65 libraries  
6.000 seats

### With a collection of

3.500.000 volumes  
43.000 paper journals  
21.000 online journals  
250 databases  
20.000 e-books



## LIBRARIAN

This professional staff has changed and acquired new broader competences. The librarian today is an information broker. He helps students in finding books, he offers reference services, he locates bibliographic material not available in single libraries, he holds seminars and is responsible for teaching users how to use services and bibliographic resources. The service **ASK THE LIBRARIAN (CHIEDI AL BIBLIOTECARIO)** permits to receive quick answers to e-mail requests of bibliographic information.



## SERVICES

**CONSULTING AND READING** Academic libraries offer reading rooms where to consult bibliographic resources, study and use PC for online researches.

**LOAN** Users can loan books or make reservations if they are already on loan.

**INTERLIBRARY LOAN** Libraries can request interlibrary loans to Italian or foreign libraries for their users.

**PORTAL** Libraries portal of the University of Bologna [www.biblioteche.unibo.it](http://www.biblioteche.unibo.it) offers an integrated access to the following information services:

- SBN Bolognese union catalogue (SBN stands for National libraries system) where to find books and other materials such as musical CDs, videos, photos and geographic maps. Users can save their researches on their web space.
- Italian union catalogue of serials (ACNP) to search serials.
- Databases and online serials: electronic resources for advanced searches.
- Complete list of libraries, of their services and link to their web sites.



## OTHER SERVICES

**ALMA DL** Digital library of the University of Bologna. It collects, preserves and make available online digital collections to support teaching and research.

**CIL (TUTORIAL)** Online tutorial to locate, evaluate and use information and learn how to use information resources available on the Internet.

