MISSION

The KSU Library System is committed to providing excellent services and resources that directly support the University’s efforts to become a world-class R3/comprehensive university recognized for its excellence in education, discovery, innovation, technology, and community engagement. In dealing with both physical and virtual environments the library system carefully crafts collections and services that enhance teaching, learning, scholarship, and creative endeavors for the users at the various libraries.

VISION

The KSU Library System strives to become a premier national comprehensive library by providing excellence in services, support, innovative resources, and learning spaces to our various scholarly communities.
The KSU Library System advances professional values of intellectual freedom, intellectual property rights, user privacy and confidentiality, collaboration, and user-centered service.

To accomplish this we will:

• Resist all efforts to censor library resources.

• Protect each library user’s right to privacy and confidentiality.

• Respect intellectual property rights and advocate for the balance between the interests of information users and the rights of information holders through policy and educational programming.

• Support academic integrity and deter plagiarism through user education.

• Commit to a user-centered approach and demonstrate the centrality of users in all aspects of service design and delivery in the physical space and virtual environments.

• Collaborate both on campus and across institutional boundaries.

• Strive for excellence in customer service.

• Support Affordable Learning Georgia and the Textbook Transformation Grant efforts to support zero textbook cost.