

# THE FIRST STEP TOWARD A REAL U-LIBRARY STARTS AT YUL

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## AGENDA

- Part I New Library & IT Project by Yongmin Lee
  - Intro: Yonsei University Library
  - Yonsei New Library Project
  - IT Consolidation Project for Yonsei Samsung Library
  - U-Library: new IT service concept

#### Part II – U-Library Services by Choemin Cho

- About U-Library service details
- Q & A

## YONSEI UNIVERSITY, SEOUL, KOREA

STARTED IN 1885 BY DR. UNDERWOOD, AMERICAN MISSIONARY

ENROLLED STUDENTS: MORE THAN 29,000 18 GRADUATE SCHOOLS AND 19 COLLEGES 131 SUBSIDIARY INSTITUTIONS

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## YONSEI UNIVERSITY LIBRARY

## Library Facts

- Average gate check-in counts: 10,000
- Peak gate check-in counts: 30,000
- Average daily checkout books: 3,000 items
- Aggregate Number of gate check-in count last year was over 5 millions



## LIBRARY COLLECTION

# Collections & Information services

- 1.8 million printed works
- 16,000 serials
- 200 academic databases
- 53,000 e-journals42,000 e-books



## THE LARGEST LIBRARY COMPLEX IN KOREA: 53,000 M<sup>2</sup> (570,300 FT<sup>2</sup>)



## NEW LIBRARY PROJECT

- Started in 2001
- Requirement Description Draft for the New Library, 2001
- A working group for preparation of the Basic Construction Plan: 2001-2003
  - Benchmarking libraries: over 50 institutions (North America, Europe and Asia)
  - Decision the Concept & Layout
  - User surveys
- Submission of the Basic Construction Plan for the New Library, 2004

## PRINCIPALS ABOUT CONCEPT AND LAYOUT(1)

- Stacks are in the Central Library building
- The new library has a repository room
  - a mobile shelving system
  - Storing more than 500,000 items
- The new library has more collaboration rooms and facilities based on IT infrastructure

## PRINCIPALS ABOUT CONCEPT AND LAYOUT(2)

- The two buildings -- both the old one and the new - should be interconnected
- We design a cutting-edge library building
- •We design the cultural space in the library
- We provide aspects lacking from old library focusing on suggestions by students

# CONSTRUCTION STARTED IN MAY 2005



## **IT CONSOLIDATION PROJECT**

- New Library Taskforce team
- Requirement
  - Following the issues & Solving problems
  - Specialists & Consultants
- Compound Project
  - Design Project Concept, Furniture, Sign System...
  - Consulting Organization, Service, IT...
  - Ordering furniture, facilities, equipment, manufacture...
  - System Integration design & development system ...

• IT Project Partner: SDS (Samsung Data Systems)

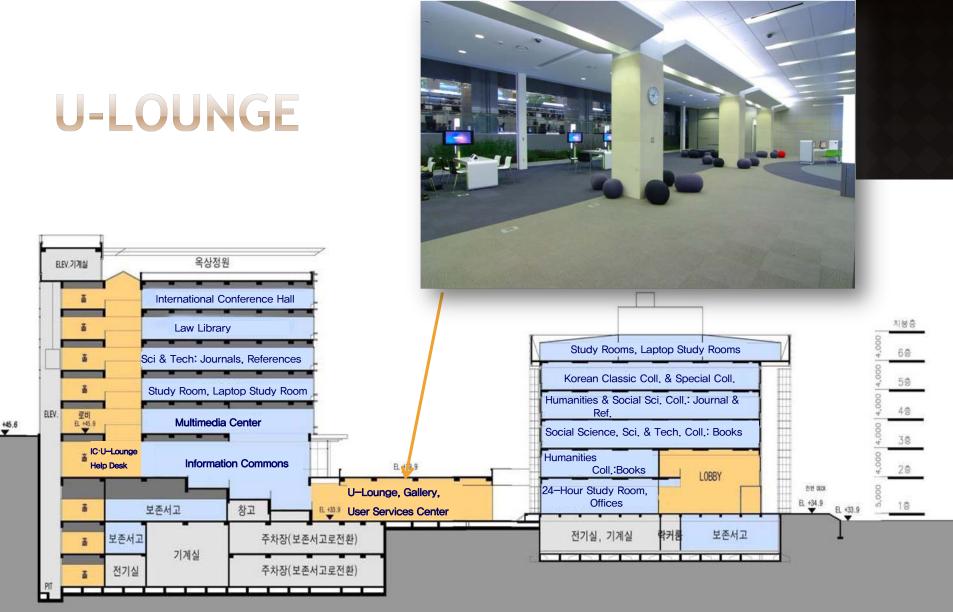
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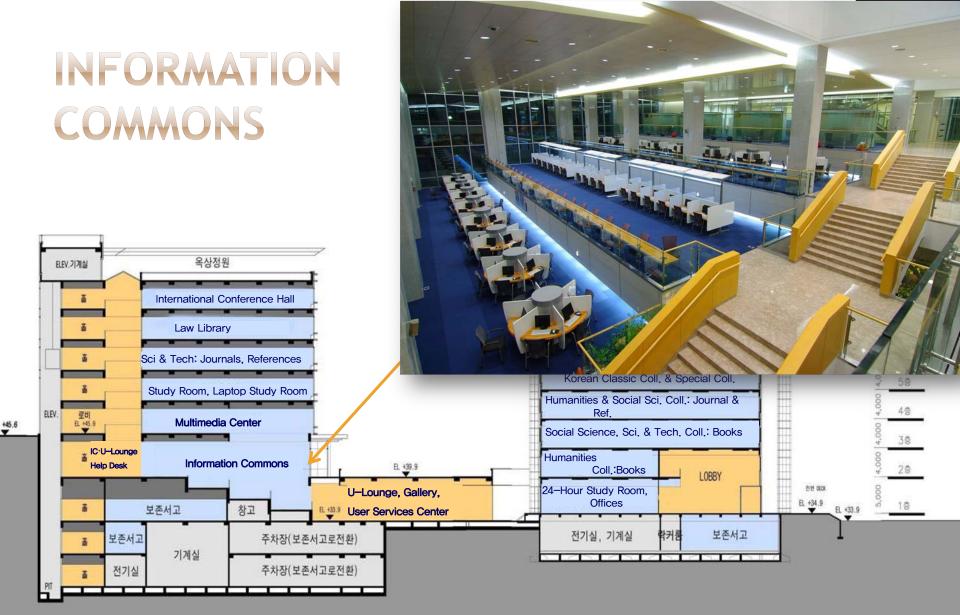
- To propose a service rebuilding plan service desks, function arrangement, staff positioning and so forth
- To complete the layout plan to connect the two library operations
- To design tailored library furniture to fit every room and corner in the new library
- To create a sign system plan for both of the two library buildings.
- To review all equipment and items specification to be installed in the building

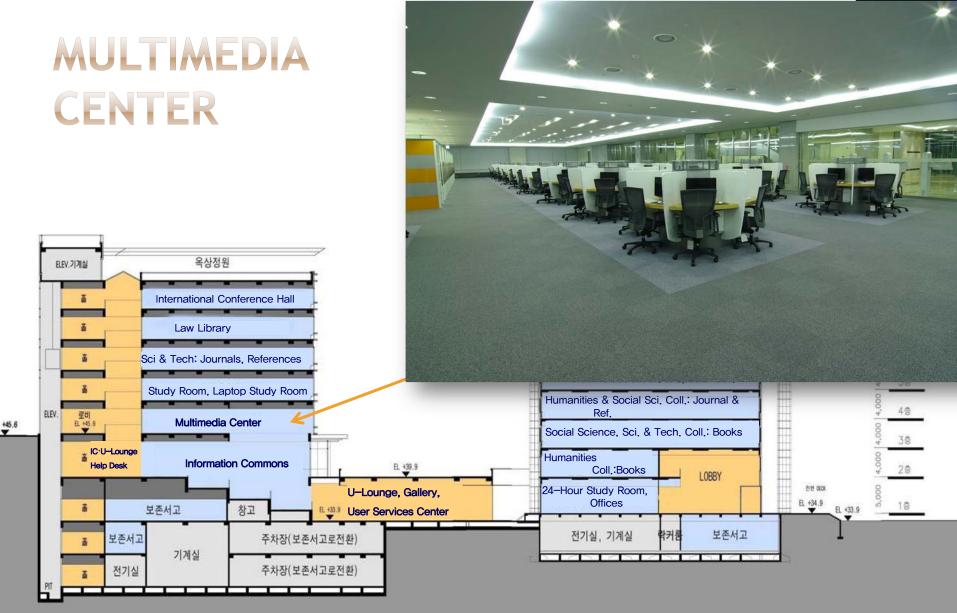
## NEW LIBRARY IT PROJECT TASKS(2)

- To suggest ideas to the New Library Construction Committee for creating a pleasant library environment
- To check the library issues in the all process of building construction
- To make an action plan to implement IT infrastructure system to improve IT services in the library
- To design the systems to administrate IT resources, and to support user's booking seat and room reservation
- To make a creative and outstanding service plan in IT area

# BRIEF LAYOUT







## **STUDY ROOM**

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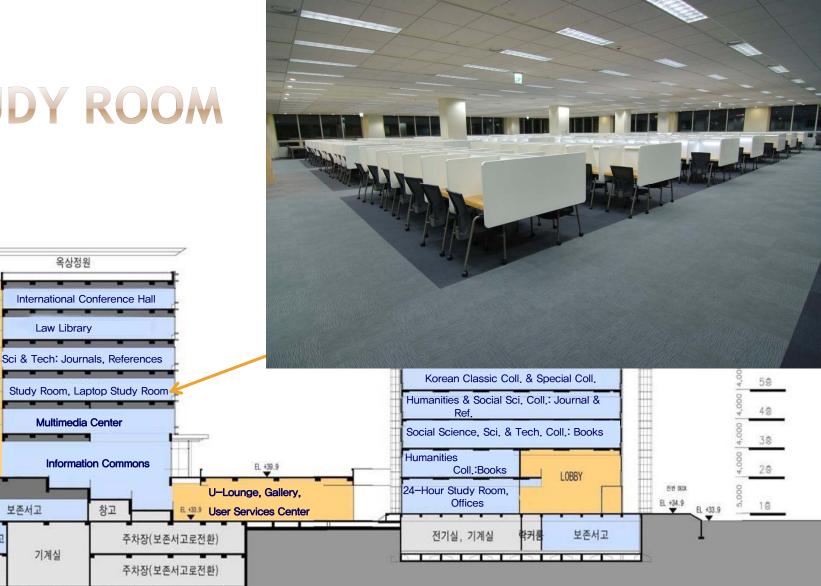
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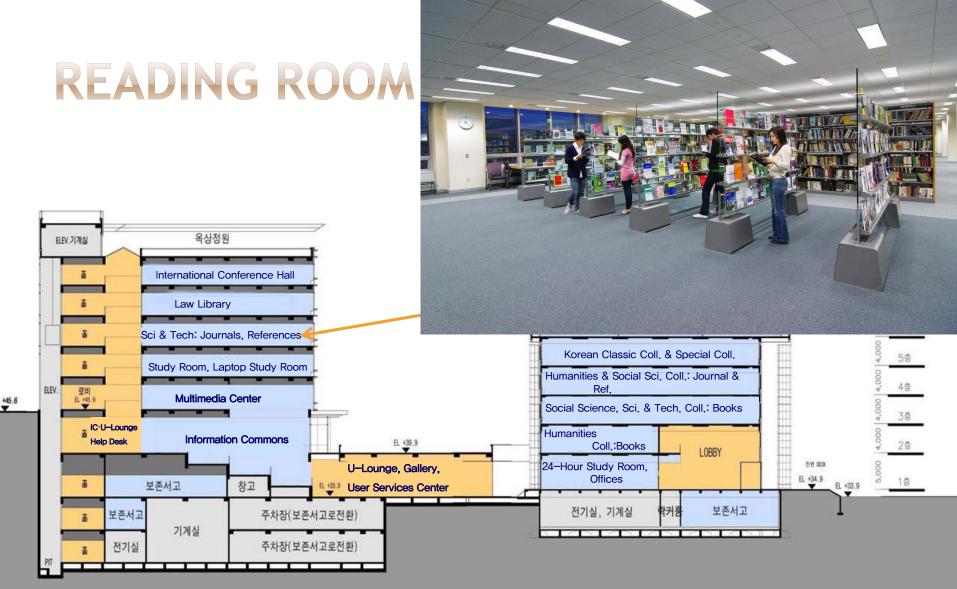
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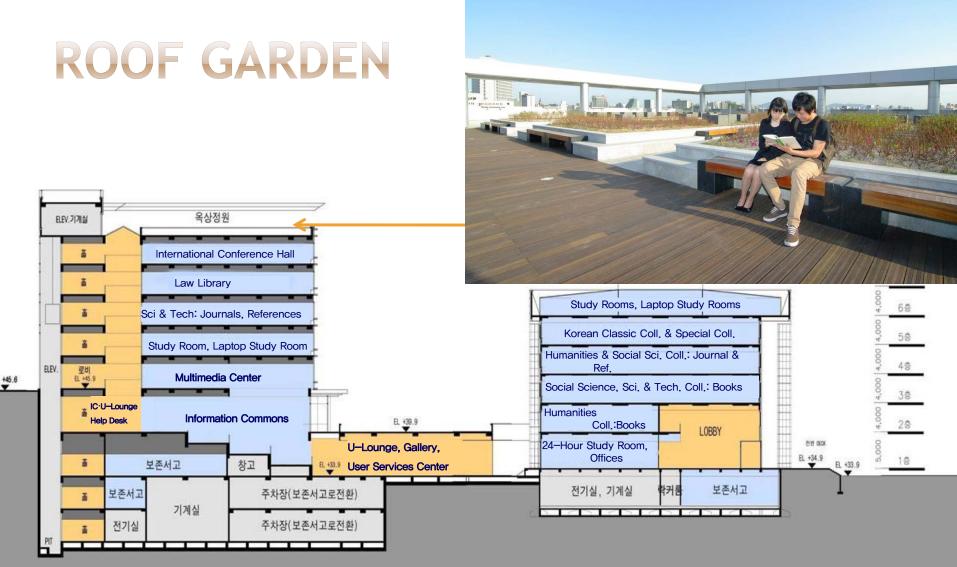


Yonsei Samsung Library

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### YONSEI-SAMSUNG LIBRARY VIDEO CLIP





## **IT SYSTEMS TO SUPPORT U-LIBRARY**

#### User support system

- Seat Booking, Room Reservation, Gate check-in, User information Administration, Statistics
- Contents broadcasting system
  - To upload, register, update, schedule contents...

#### U-Lounge support system

Displaying Contents, Recognition RFID, Real-time gathering data...

#### IT Technology

 RFID, touch LCD, computer graphics, media file conversion, integrated databases...

## **IT SYSTEMS TO SUPPORT U - LIBRARY**







## **U-LOUNGE/U-LIBRARY**

- 'U' stands for 'Ubiquitous' & 'University Culture'
- 'U-Lounge' is the physical space at Yonsei Samsung Library
- 'U-Library' stands for a concept of 'Ubiquitous computing ' as human-computer interaction service in the library.



## UNIQUENESS IN U-LIBRARY SERVICE

- Convenient, Interesting & Fun
- Human interactive interface using digital contents
- Cultural space by users



## ENJOY U-LOUNGE, THANK YOU!



#### YONSEI UNIVERSITY LIBRARY 연세대학교 학술정보원





## **U-LOUNGE IN YUL**

Informative : Convenient : Fun

Cheolmin Cho, Media Librarian Yonsei University Library, Seoul, Korea Session 20c / 10 September 2008

## U LOUNGE ...

 represents the high-tech image of the Yonsei university library

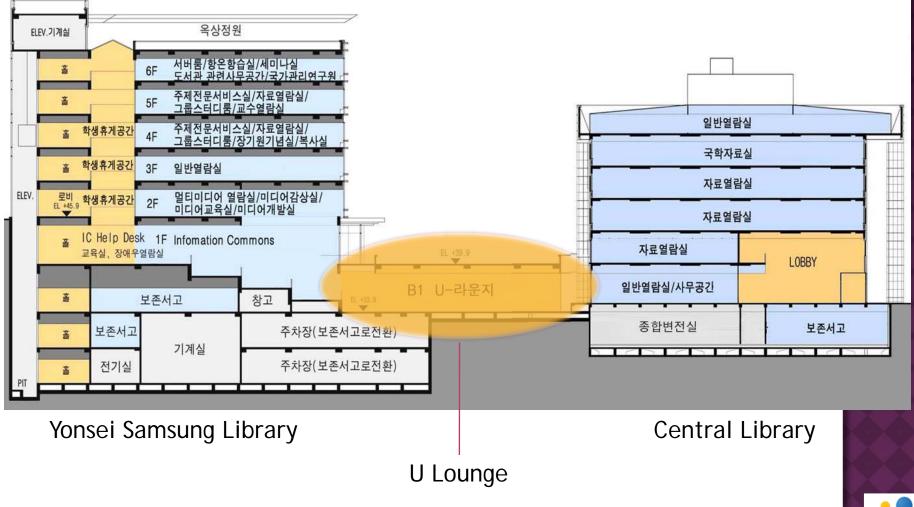
 is not a ubiquitous dream hall, but the first commercialized ubiquitous service

 sets Yonsei University Library apart from other libraries

provides unique cultural environment

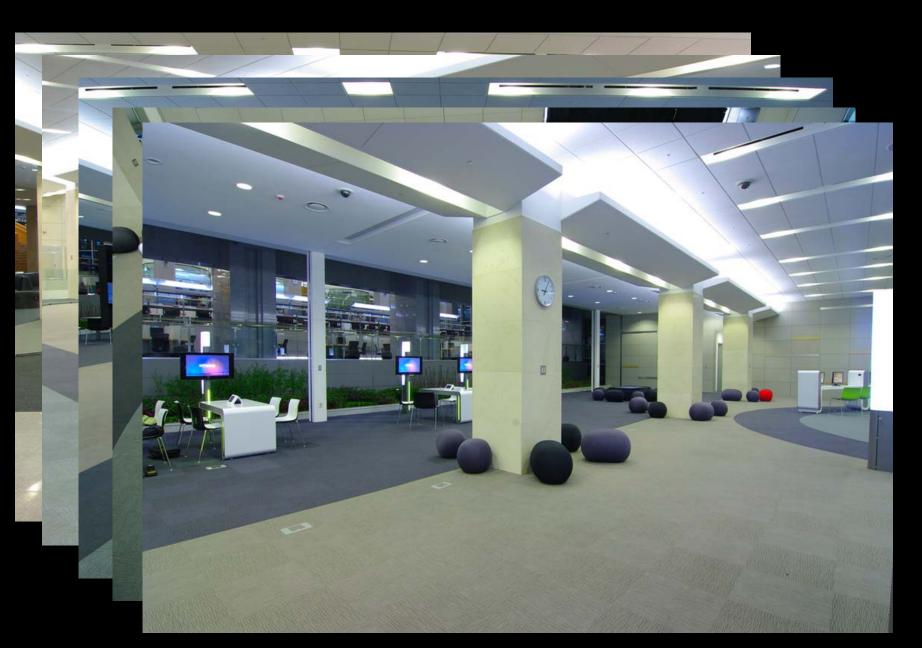


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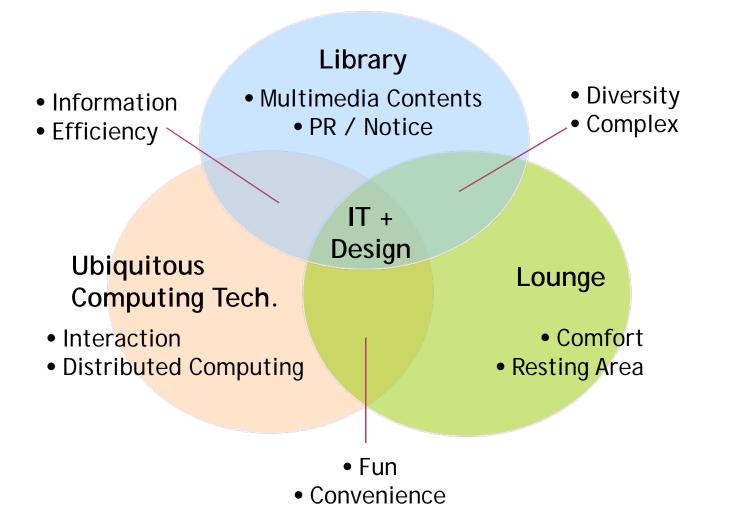




## **OVERVIEW**



## **SERVICE CONCEPT**







Creative / Functional

Modern / Simple

• Usability

• Unity / Originality





## LI (LIBRARY IDENTITY)



## YONSEI UNIVERSITY ULOUNGE



## **DEVELOPMENT FOCUS**

- User Interface : easy to use / aesthetic
- Contents Management : one source multi use
- Automation : scheduling (power & contents)
- Attraction : comfort / fun & interesting contents





#### **Information Delivery**

- Libinfo Display
- OPR sections
- Wagic Mirror

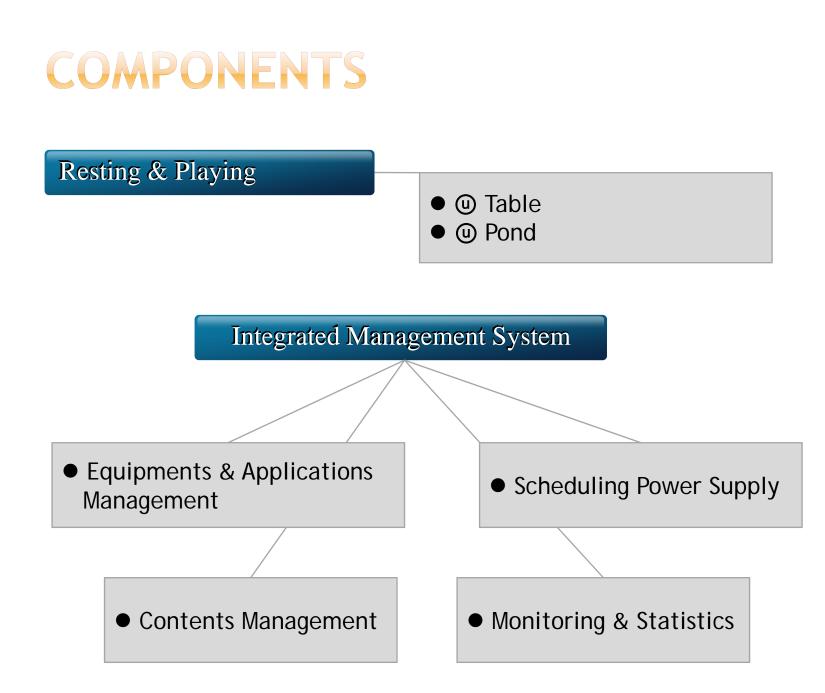
#### Interactive Contents

- Memoboard \*
- • MOD

#### Research & Books

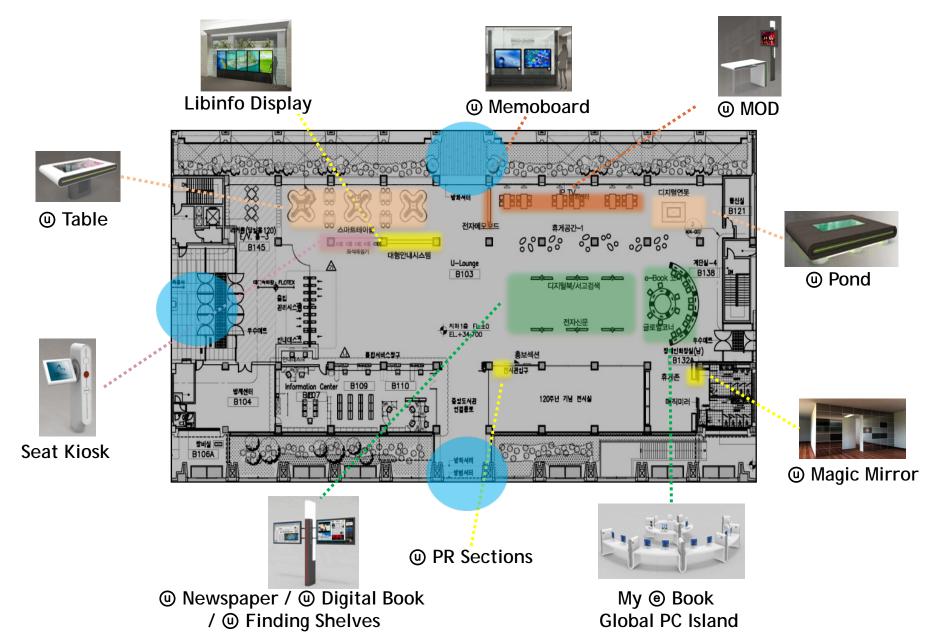
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- My 
  Book \*
- \* Personalization Service using RFID







### **COMPONENTS MAP**



## LIBINFO DISPLAY

A conspicuous information display system

• Hardware :

5 52-inch LCD Monitors (2 touch LCDs)

2 Agent PCs

Hi-Fi Stereo Speakers / Monitor Distributor



## **LIBINFO DISPLAY**

• Submenus :

- Promotional Films
- Library Floor Guide / Campus Map
- UCC Video Clips
- U Intelliboard
- Features :
  - interactive touch screen
  - flash movies streamed as a panoramic view
  - real time notices & news from library & university homepage
  - scheduled contents broadcasted during idle time







 A distributed broadcasting system throughout the library

• Hardware :

- 1 46-inch LCD Monitor (Library Gallery)
- 2 42-inch LCD Monitors (IC Helpdesk, MMC)
- 4 15-inch LCD Monitors (Elevators) 14 20-inch LCD Monitors (Each Floor) 9 Agent PCs



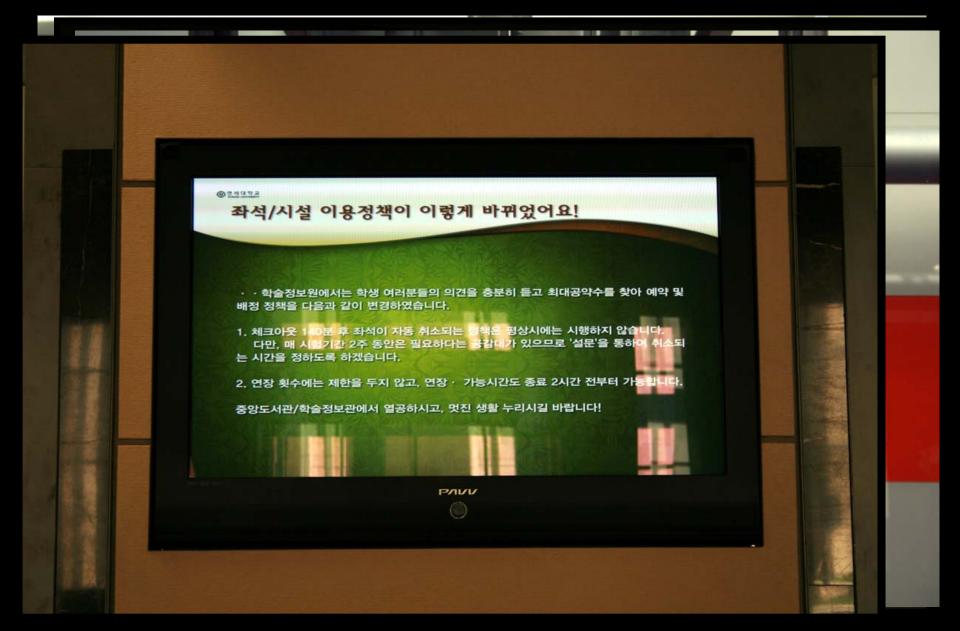


- Submenus :
  - all the contents are automatically broadcasted (no menus)

• Features :

- distributed display throughout the library
- scheduled contents broadcasting
- streaming flash movies
- slide shows of digital images
- text information
- tag line flow
- background image exchange available







An interactive digital memo board

Hardware (2 sets) :
 1 60-inch Touch PDP Monitors
 1 Agent PC

**RFID Sensor** 







- Submenus :
  - Lost & Found
  - Flea Market

- News & Event
- Part Time Job

- Features :
  - sending memos to public or specific person using web interface
  - RFID identification to check personal memo (user's own memos are popped up)
  - various communicative categories provided
  - fun & cute design



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Welcome to U-Lourge of Yonsei Samsung Ubrary ! Feel the real ubiquotous library around you~

학술정보원 디지털미디어부조 철민



 A multimedia on demand system including IPTV channels

- Hardware (6 sets):
  - 1 32-inch & 1 8-inch LCD Monitors
  - 1 Agent PC
  - 1 Mouse
  - 4 Earphone Jacks





- Submenus :
  - Movie Clips
  - Information

- Images - IPTV

- Features :
  - separate menu LCD (8") and main LCD (32")
  - various multimedia contents provided by library
  - IPTV channels like Joost, Babelgum, GomTV
  - scheduled contents are broadcasted during idle time







 A true-to-life digital newspaper system (automatically daily updated)

Hardware (6 sets) :
 1 42-inch Touch LCD Monitors
 1 Agent PC







• Features :

- appearance of real newspaper
- touch interface simulating actual newspaper
- automatically daily update
- providing 10 newspapers for 1 month
- user can magnify and read each article by touching
- commercials can be displayed and managed by agency







A true-to-life digital book system

Hardware (4 sets):
 1 42-inch Touch LCD Monitors
 1 Agent PC



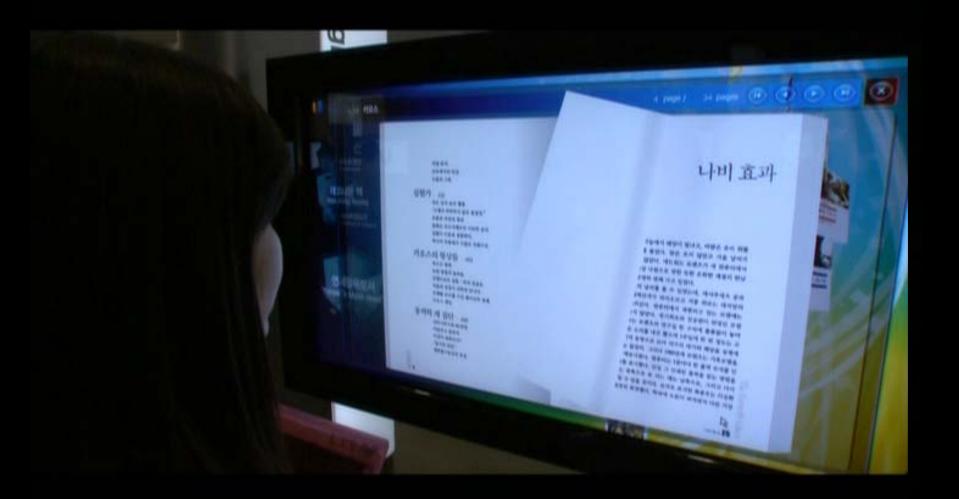




- Submenus :
  - Incoming Books
  - Librarians' Choice
- Bestsellers
  - Yonsei's Must-read's

- Features :
  - touch interface simulating actual book
  - provides the first part of books (following copyright law)
  - users can browse books for actual reading
  - can add contents within server-side storage capacity







 An enjoyable multi-useful table that allows up to 4 users simultaneously

• Hardware (4 sets):

- 1 42-inch Touch LCD Monitors
- 1 Agent PC
- 1 Stereo Speakers
- 1 Memory Card Readers
- 1 Cellphone Recharger
- 4 Headphone Jacks







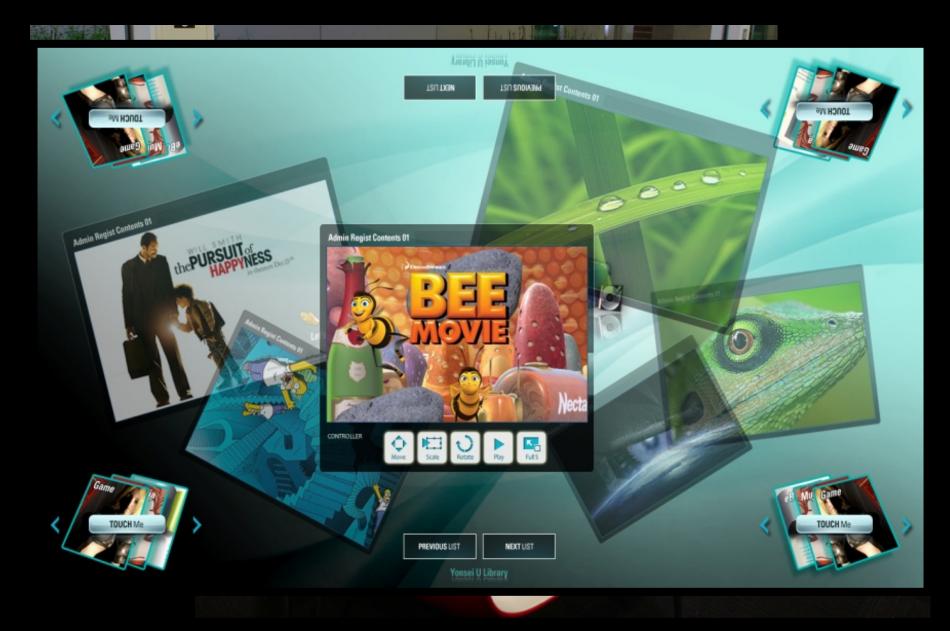
#### • Submenus :

- Movie
- Games

- Images
- Electronic Board

- Features :
  - multi touch screen
  - 4 users around can enjoy group meeting and play
  - multimedia contents can be shared by plugging user's own memory card
  - simple but funny board games
  - group study with electronic board





#### Integrated Management System

 A server application which controls all the equipments and contents of U-Lounge

Hardware
 DB & App server : HP Bladeserver BL460c
 Storage : 146GB \* 8

Software

OS : Microsoft Windows 2003 Server DBMS : MSSQL Server 2005 App : Java SDK1.6.0 + Tomcat 5.5 (Spring)



#### Integrated Management System

• It has 3 layers of contents management

- uploading flash movies, images, text (includes making meta-data, categorizing contents)
- registration contents to necessary components' submenu (enables one source-multi use)
- making broadcasting schedule set of contents to necessary components



#### Integrated Management System

 It can schedule power supply on-off of all the agents' PCs and monitors using wake-on lan and IR control technology

- Agent application can be switched if necessary - this function enables location and number of components to be redesigned
- Agent application is automatic upgraded if newer version is available on the server



# Short Movie Clip

 A movie clip excerpted from 'Arirang Special: Korea Connected'(broadcasted on 15 July 2008 by Arirang TV) which introduces U-Campus of Yonsei University



#### Questions & Answers

#### If you have any questions, please contact to us Iyma@yonsei.ac.kr chmcho@yonsei.ac.kr

