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I oppose the plan to eliminate the Academic Libraries survey. I am a member of the American Library Association and am a university librarian in Connecticut. The unique longitudinal data of the Academic Libraries survey provides crucial information about changes and trends in college and university libraries. It makes it possible for libraries and librarians to understand budget, staffing, and service data across the country's academic libraries. It enables us to benchmark against peer and aspirant institutions, which allows to grow. Please do not eliminate the ability to collect this vital information.