Vireo User Profile

The following profile can benefit institutions currently using Vireo or considering its use. This information can be used to identify institutions with similar characteristics, to identify best practices in Vireo use, and to raise awareness of potential challenges when considering new initiatives, so please provide as much information as possible. This profile will be kept on the Vireo Users Group site, and we encourage you to update it as often as necessary to maintain accuracy.

Institution

Name: University of Houston
Is this Part of a System: Yes ☒ No ☐ (if so, please note which system below)
Other:

Web Sites

Thesis Office: Does not apply -> no thesis office
Graduate Studies: http://www.uh.edu/gs/index.php
Institutional Repository: https://shibboleth.lib.uh.edu/idp/Authn/UserPassword
ETDs not yet available through institutional repository

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Institution Statistics

• Enrollment
  Undergraduate: 29343
  Masters: 4208
  PhD: 1596
  Professional: 1900
  Total: 37047

• Number of colleges and departments
  Colleges: 11
  Departments: 47

• Number of degree programs
  Undergraduate: Unknown
  Masters: 133
  Doctoral: 62

• Degrees granted per year
  Undergraduate: Unknown
  Masters: Unknown
  Doctoral: 200

• Thesis, dissertations and papers submitted per year
  Undergraduate:
  Masters:
  Doctoral:
  Total: Unknown
**Campus Infrastructure**

Institutional Repository: No response
Student System: No response
Course Management: No response
Library Automation: No response
Search or Discovery: No response

**Graduate/Thesis Office Information**

Head of Office: No response
Reporting Structure: No response
Number of Employees: No response
Operations: ETDs are reviewed in individual departments through a decentralized mechanism
IT Environment: No response
Training: Do you offer training to students: Yes ☒ No ☐
If yes, please describe: Video with screen shots and narration

**Vireo Information**

Version: The latest version (?)
Hosted by: TDL ☒ Local IT ☐
Number of ETDs in System: 15
# Embargoed: Unknown
Collection Information: Dissertations only at this time
Stage of Implementation: Pilot with 5 programs
Interaction or Links to Other Campus Systems

Student System: No response
Library: No response
Operations: Because we are still piloting the project, we don’t have university-wide procedures established. These tasks are still handled by individual colleges.

Current Initiatives

• No response

Current Challenges

• Our Shibboleth implementation is a nightmare