Progressive Trends in Electronic Resource Management in Libraries

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As physical collections go digital, the organizational procedures, budgets, and usage patterns of libraries must evolve to meet this change by identifying the various issues that are essential in understanding the management of e-resources.

Progressive Trends in Electronic Resource Management in Libraries provides relevant theoretical and practical details from an international perspective on the current e-resources landscape. Through a detailed discussion of the specific aspects of e-resources management, this book is a useful source for library science faculty and students, academic librarians, research scholars, and IT professionals aiming to improve their understanding of the theoretical details, history, selection, acquisition, fair use and management of e-resources.

Topics Covered:
- Electronic Resources
- Collection Development Perspective
- Cost Benefit Analysis
- Digital Copyright and Licensing
- Electronic Resource Management Systems (ERMS)
- E-Resources Emerging Dynamics
- Life Cycle of E-Resource
- Open E-Resources
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