

Bachelor of Science in Operations Management Degree Proposal

Library Resources

The proposal dated September 20, 2005 from Gene Fliedner states that \$5000 for the first year and \$1000 per year thereafter is requested for library holdings. No other details are presented regarding library holdings.

It would be more effective to split this \$9000 into **\$1800 for each of the five years**. Therefore, these funds could be used for acquiring and providing journals for the POM degree program. If the proposal outlined a graduate program, possible titles to acquire could include:

- European Journal of Operational Research \$5,034/year
- International Journal of Production Research \$4,887/year
- International Journal of Production Economics \$2,218/year

All of these titles have been experienced recent interlibrary loan requests.

Additional titles could include:

- Computers and Operations Research \$3,099/year
- Computers and Industrial Engineering \$2,853/year

However, since this proposal outlines an undergraduate program, perhaps a more feasible list of titles would be:

- Academy of Management Journal we have print; print + online \$175/year
- Academy of Management Review we have print; print + online \$135/year
- Production & Operations Management we have print; get online price?
- IIE Transactions print + online \$796/year
- Production and Operations Management we have print; get current online price?
- From POM Society
- Harvard Business Review we have print; get online?

Instead of \$9,000 over 5 years starting with \$5,000 the first year, we suggest \$1,800/each year to fund journals. Perhaps another \$1000 could be included the first year for book purchases.

\$2,800 first year

\$1,800 remaining four years

\$10,000 total request for library resources

Source for journal information: Barman, Hanna, & LaForge, "Perceived Relevance and Quality of POM Journals: A Decade Later," Journal of Operations Management 19 (2001): 367-385.

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