News Feed Messages Events Find friends

libraries

Newcastle Libraries

The original social network

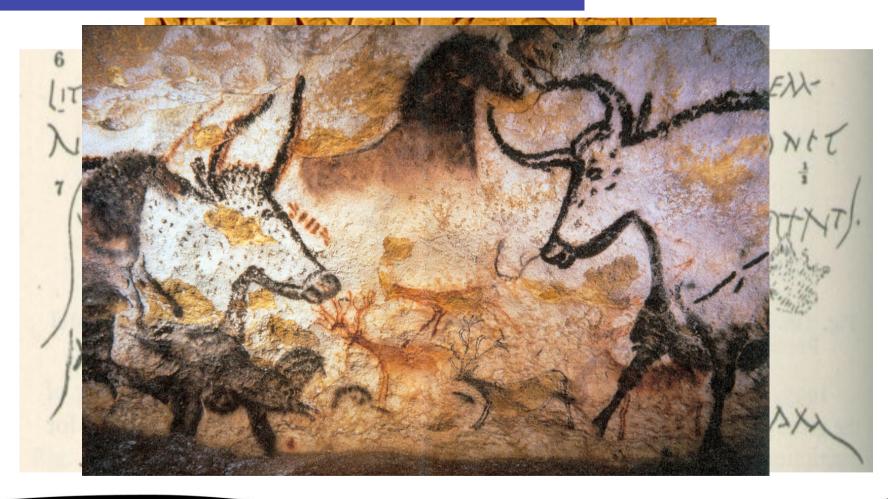
David Fay, City Libraries' Manager Newcastle Libraries





Social networking?





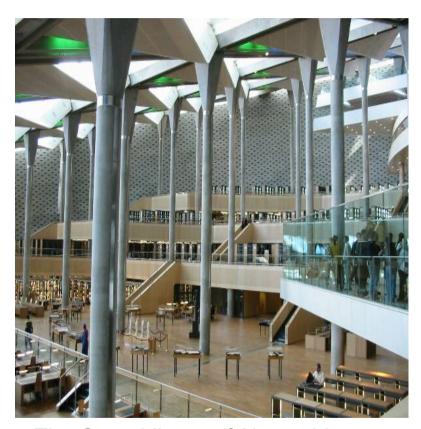


Then and now...





The Great Library of Alexandria then



The Great Library of Alexandria now



Libraries for the masses

















Swinging through the Sixties







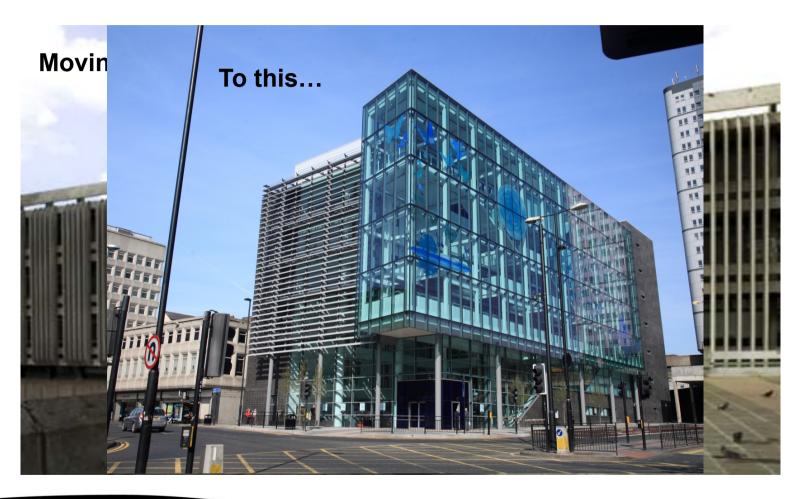






Updating the brand







Inspiring spaces

















Working differently



- New ways of working
- Customer standards





Liberating staff



- Meet and greet
- Enquiry handling
- Floor walking
- Generic working
- Team working
- Reflective practice



Achieving change



- Information and digital
- ICT
- Marketing and publicity
- Customer service
- Staff and training
- Stock



Training



- Training needs identified by working groups
- Customer service group created guidelines for staff working in new ways
- Many specific training programmes
- Tourist Information Board training
- Welcome host
- Information literacy
- Bespoke 12 week training programme for professional staff



Brave new world





