**Program at a glance:**
Build collections and provide services for academic programs in African Studies, East Asian Studies, Latin American and Caribbean Studies, Russian and East European Studies, and South Asian Studies.

**Performance Metrics:**
1. Collection Budget: $245K (75% Encumbered 5/1)
2. Cataloging Statistics - to be compiled
3. Consultations – to be compiled
4. Outreach: Area Studies liaisons have reached more than 60% of our faculty.

**Objectives:**

1. **Instruction and Consultation:**
   Connect and integrate information resources into teaching, learning and research in area studies.

2. **Collection Building:**
   Build, maintain, and assess collections in area studies
   2.1 Select materials in all languages
   2.2 Acquire materials in the vernacular: identify foreign vendors; process orders; manage foreign approval plans.

3. **Assessment:**
   Determine current needs and challenges of faculty in their teaching and research

4. **Outreach:**
   Communicate news, developments, and other information to faculty and students

5. **Cataloging:**
   To catalog library materials in the vernacular that support research and study in area Studies

6. **Process improvement:**
   To work with other units in improving key acquisitions processes.

**Milestones and Successes:**

**Instruction and Consultation:**
LibGuides: See Fall/Spring statistics for Division
Consultations: See Fall/Spring statistics for Division

**Collection Building:**
- **Latin American Studies:** Phil has conducted 3 book buying trips (Bogota, Guadalajara and Buenos Aires); started 7 approval plans in Latin America.
- **East Asia:** Purchased Duxiu – a search engine of Chinese resources; Chinamaxx – platform for ebooks in Chinese
- **Eastern Europe:** Purchased Central and East European Online Library (CEEOL)
- **African Studies:** Purchased the African portion of CRL’s World Newspaper Archive; revised South African Approval plan; continued aggressive building of African film collection; evaluated the large donations from faculty.

**Two reports:**
- **Development Studies:** Liz was the co-author of a report reviewing growth of development studies at Emory & need for library support. Presented report to the Dean of Graduate School.
- **Islamic Studies:** Hikmat was the author of a report assessing the library collection to determine if it could support a proposed PhD program in Islamic Civilization.

**Chinese Culture Corner** - Guo-Hua worked with Charles Forest and the Confucius Institute for a successful application to Hanban of PRC for establishing a Chinese Culture Corner in the Woodruff Library.

**Grant: Korean Studies** - Guo-hua worked Dr Juliette Apkarian, chair, on a grant renewal to Academy of Korean Studies

**Title VI Grant** – Phil completed the library portion of the application on behalf of the Emory and UGA Latin American and Caribbean Studies Consortium

**Catalog materials in 11 languages:** Sanskrit, Hindi, Arabic, Hebrew, Farsi, Russian, Chinese, Japanese, Korean, Tibetan and Yiddish

**Effort:** 25-50% of time for 5 staff; compiling team statistics

**Process improvement:**
Worked with Acquisitions and the CM/Acquisitions Task Force on related work processes