

ABSTRACT

UNESCO data indicates that the reading interest in Indonesia stands at a mere 0.001%, underscoring the urgent need to enhance the role of libraries. This article specifically focuses on university libraries, with a primary emphasis on the Universitas Pendidikan Indonesia (UPI), which serves as the main information hub for students, particularly Generation Z. Despite implementing several technological facilities, the UPI library has yet to fully meet the needs of students. Given that Generation Z is set to dominate higher education in the next six years, there is a crucial need for the library to leverage technology optimally. Therefore, a redesign of the Universitas Pendidikan Indonesia (UPI) library is essential to address these needs and challenges. The proposed concept is "A Fusion of Modernity Delight" involving a transformation from a traditional reading center to a dynamic learning center, aligning with the preferences of Generation Z and the theory of place attachment. The chosen theme is the "Library of the Future," employing a Smart Library approach.

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