Public Libraries of Sao Paulo and Inclusion in City’s Future

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The city of Sao Paulo and its Municipal Public Libraries

• Sao Paulo – 12 million inhabitants;

• 96 districts with inequality between regions;

• 107 Municipal Public Libraries

99 Reading Services

✓ 2 million users
✓ 1.2 million loans
✓ 5 million of copies
Reference centers - adults

Reference centers – children

Neighborhood

13 Thematic
Cultural extension reading services

Reading points

Reading services at parks
Strategic Inclusion of Mobile Libraries

- HDI
- Number of libraries by district
- Size of the population in districts

Bus Routes

- 72 Fixed points
- Customized design
- 3,500 copies
- Loans and local reading
- Cultural programming
Informational challenges for municipal public libraries in Sao Paulo


Services Provided by Sao Paulo libraries up until 2030

- Catalogue, website and equipment's accessibility
- Connectivity
- Access
- E-books/Platform
- Digital and Inf. Literacy
- Physical spaces
Continued inclusion, discussion and exchange with the community

Ethnic background

Gender equality

Reading agents

Cultural productions

Reading services/Community libraries
Conclusion

• Services available to all citizens
• Same levels of quality
• ICTs available at the time
• Partnerships
• Digital and information literacy
• Participatory management systems
References


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