Discovery: information seeking behaviors

- For general searching, our faculty rely more on the Web and less on our databases than peer faculty.

- As search complexity increases, databases overtake search engines as a preferred search tool. Local faculty search behaviors align with their peers.
Discovery:
How important to you is each of the following methods for staying current with scholarship in your field? (1—not at all important; 10—very important)

- Materials suggested by other scholars
- Attending conferences or workshops
- Following the work of key scholars
- Reading or skimming key journals
- Reading or skimming key journal contents
- Reading or skimming book reviews
- Reading or skimming publisher catalogs
- Reading items highly rated by repository
- Recommendation of blogs or social media
- Setting keyword alerts