Multiple silos of data—Information has been created, formatted and stored in many forms: microform, newsletters, journals, and books. Now, digital resources compete with print materials for the researcher’s attention. All resources and formats require efficient location and searching with relevant results returned.

Proprietary control of tools—Libraries can no longer can rely on closed technological dead end systems, completely dependent upon on a single vendor’s solution. In an age of increased technological openness, libraries must be able to connect disparate systems easily for a best-of-breed solution.

Strained budget requirements—Technology in libraries is designed to streamline and reduce costs for the entire system. However, with increasing strains on funding, libraries need a measurable way to show that their investments are the best value solutions for their patrons and staff.

Bibliovation

Bridging results—Bibliovation’s Discovery Layer provides a solution to locate, search and organize results containing electronic content, eBooks and other digital formats, while preserving easy access to more traditional print materials and physical assets.

A proven open development platform—Bibliovation ‘future-proofs’ the library by providing ‘plug and play’ functionality that allows the library to seamlessly deploy the best tools available to support its workflows.

Web services hosting—Bibliovation is installed in a distributed computing hosting facility designed to funnel computing resources to point of need. The facility is SAS 70 and ISO 270001 security certified. We have been hosting library management systems for over eight years. This hosting offering is tailored to allow the library to divert current IT/hardware resources to collection development.
Library Experience

For over 20 years, PTFS-LibLime has provided award-winning library software and service solutions to public, academic, and special libraries with an emphasis on IT-free hosting solutions. LibLime-PTFS employs librarians and technologists who understand library workflows and the challenges librarians face juggling emergent data sources with external applications, such as proprietary databases, educational technology systems, ASRS applications, and accounting information programs. Components of the Bibliovation platform are currently in production at more than 600 libraries nationwide. Customers include:

- Westchester Academic Library Directors Organization (WALDO) Libraries
- South Central Library Consortium
- DoD Libraries
- Pioneer Library Consortium
- National Science Foundation
- U. S. Fire Administration
- Wyoming State Library Digital Collections
- Carnegie Mellon University University Libraries, Digital Collections
- Utah State Library’s Utah Government Digital Library
- Southern Oregon University’s Digital Archives
- Whittier Public Library Digital Archives

Our implementation team provides superior services related to data migration, union catalog creation, onsite and web-based training, PMP-certified project management, and complete system configuration. We have successfully migrated customers from a variety of legacy proprietary systems, including Voyager, Horizon, Destiny, Unicorn, Dynix Classic, Symphony, EOS Web, and Millenium. Our team consists of veterans of the library industry who have brought their experience at programming, implementing, training, and supporting multiple legacy systems to the Bibliovation platform.

About LibLime-PTFS

LibLime, a division of PTFS, is the pioneer of web-based, cloud-hosted library management services. Our Library Services Platform, Bibliovation, combines traditional bibliographic management services along with support for GEOMARC, RDA, digital content searching, and visual retrieval. Working closely with our library customers, we are able to provide the most relevant technology tools in the Bibliovation platform – a solution built by librarians for librarians.

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