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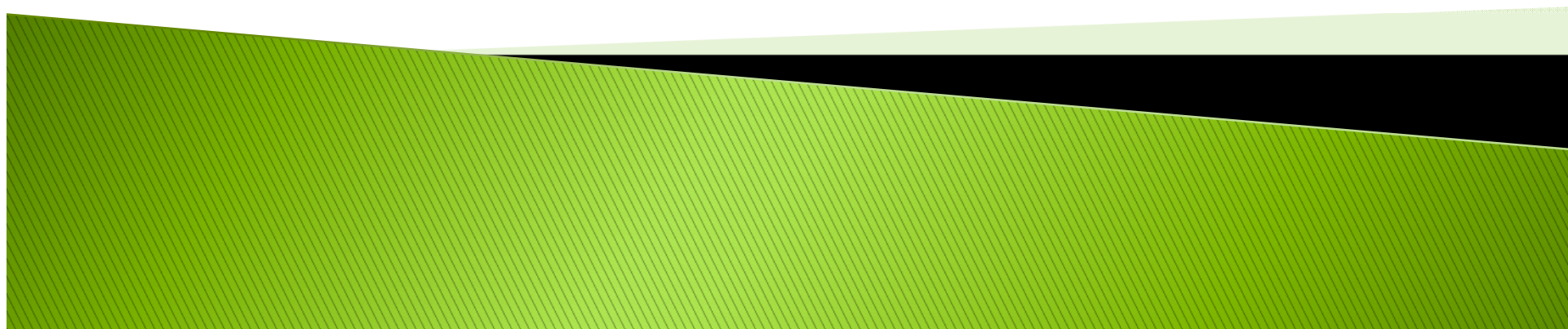
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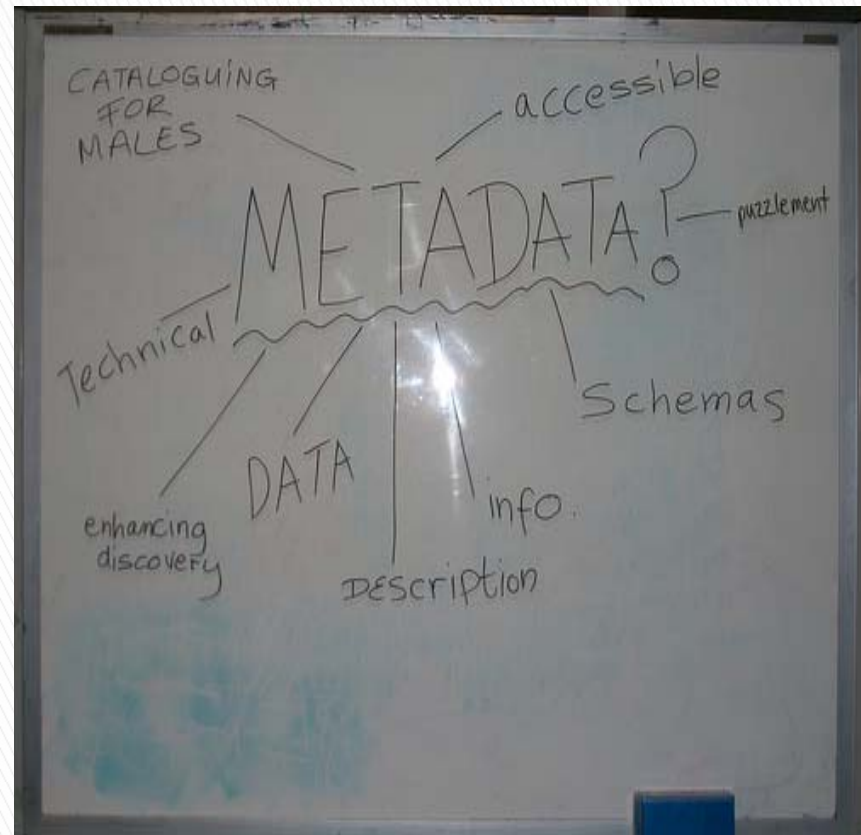
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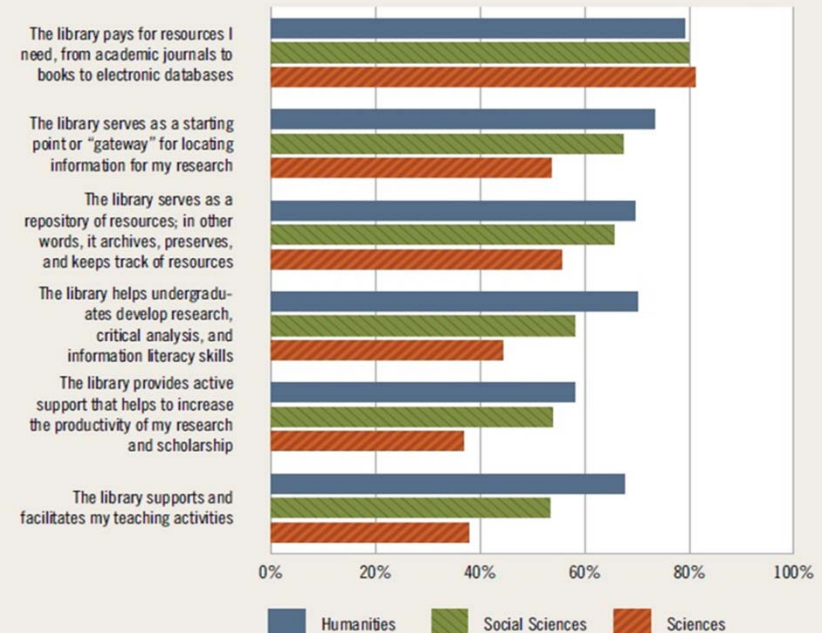


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- ▶ Resource Provision
- ▶ Repository Access
- ▶ Discovery via Library Portals
- ▶ Especially important for secondary scholarly literature

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# Comparisons

- ▶ **Thoughts from Carl Grant**
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# Advantages of Next Gen Systems

- ▶ EDIteur ONIX standards
- ▶ Upfront FRBR-ization
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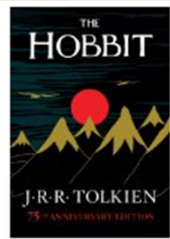
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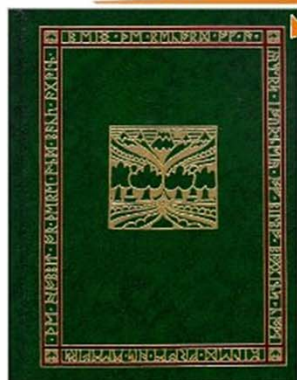
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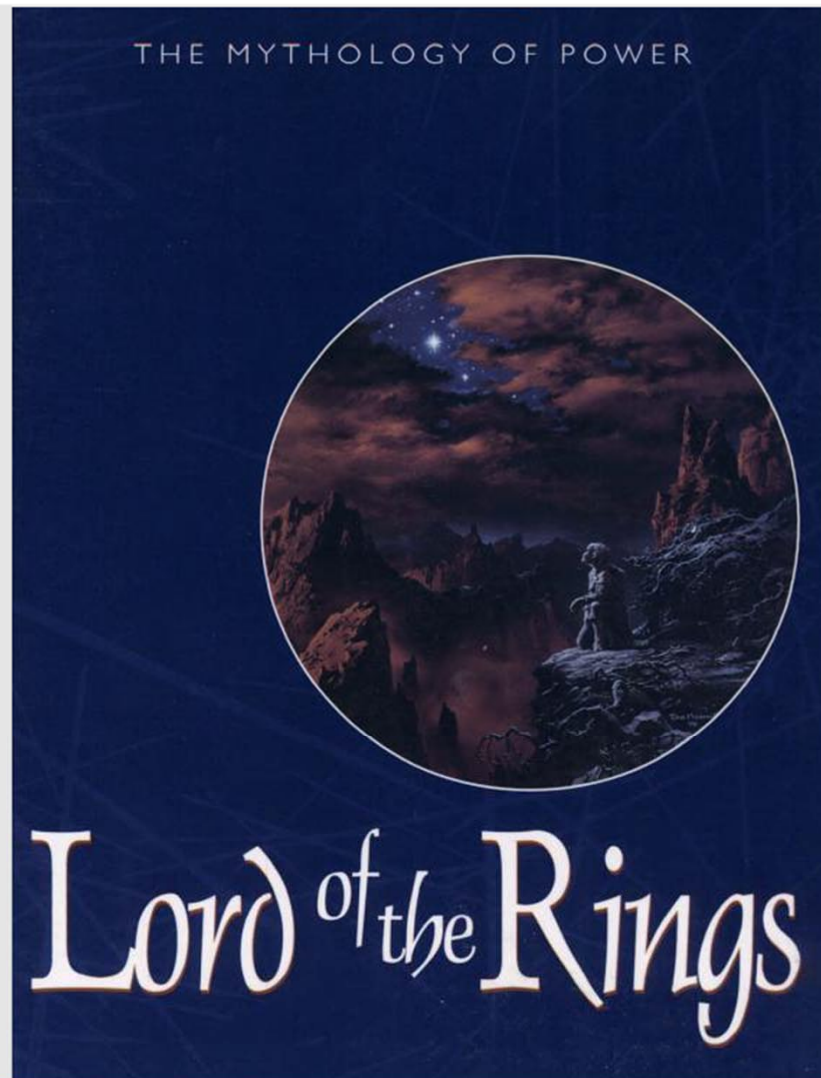
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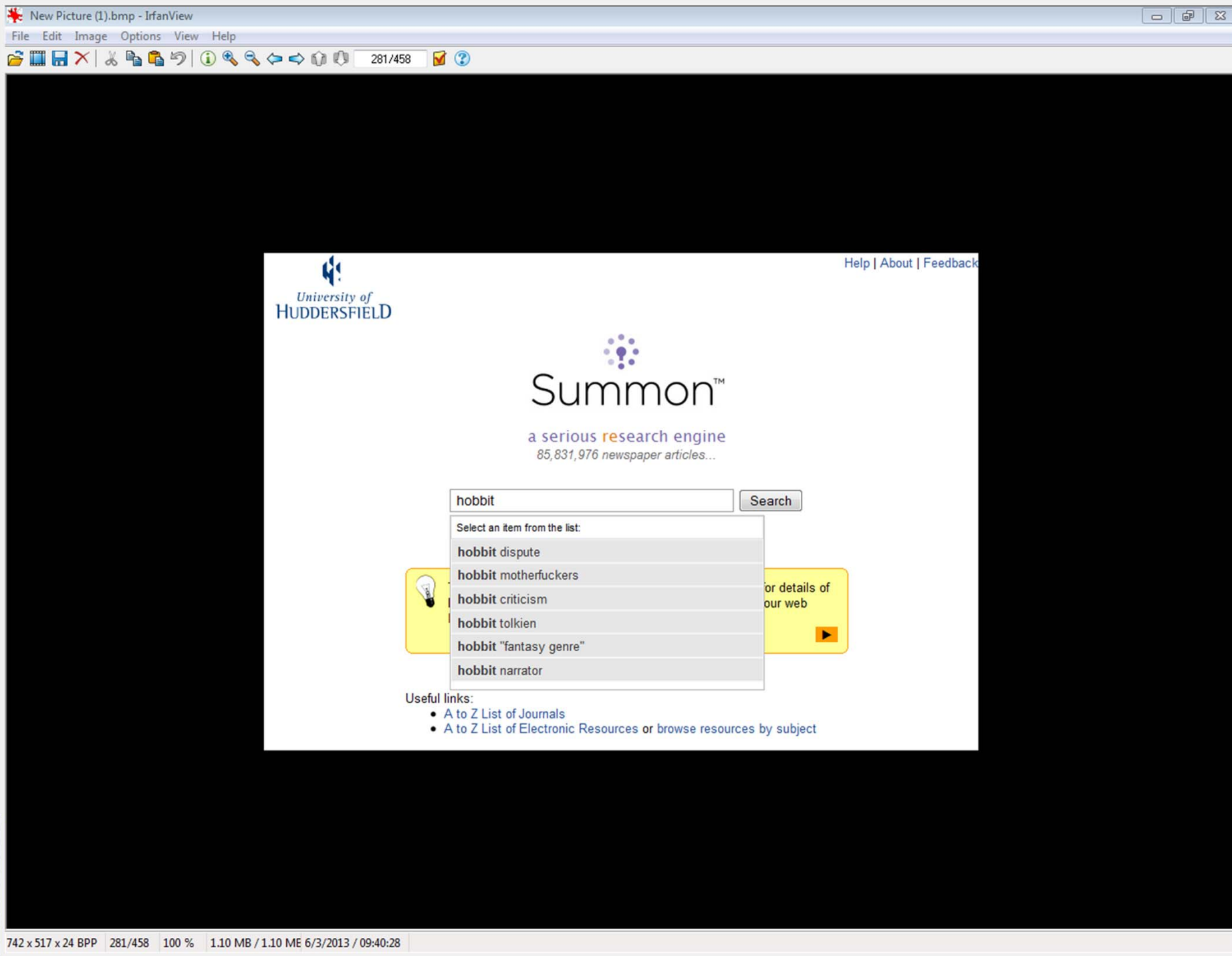
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