Catalog Enrichment: Your Existing Catalog Made Extraordinary

1. Ratings and reviews

Let your patrons rate and review directly within your catalog.

Comes with 1,300,000 hand-vetted user reviews. Share your library's reviews with over 360 other libraries.

Sign in with and post to Facebook and Twitter. Feature recent reviews on your library's Facebook page with a dedicated, interactive tab.

2. Similar books

Offer readers' advisory directly in your catalog, with integrated recommendations to what's available in your library.

Similar books comes with optional sections for "More by this author," "Similar authors" and "Recommendations from readers." Click any section to see expanded coverage.
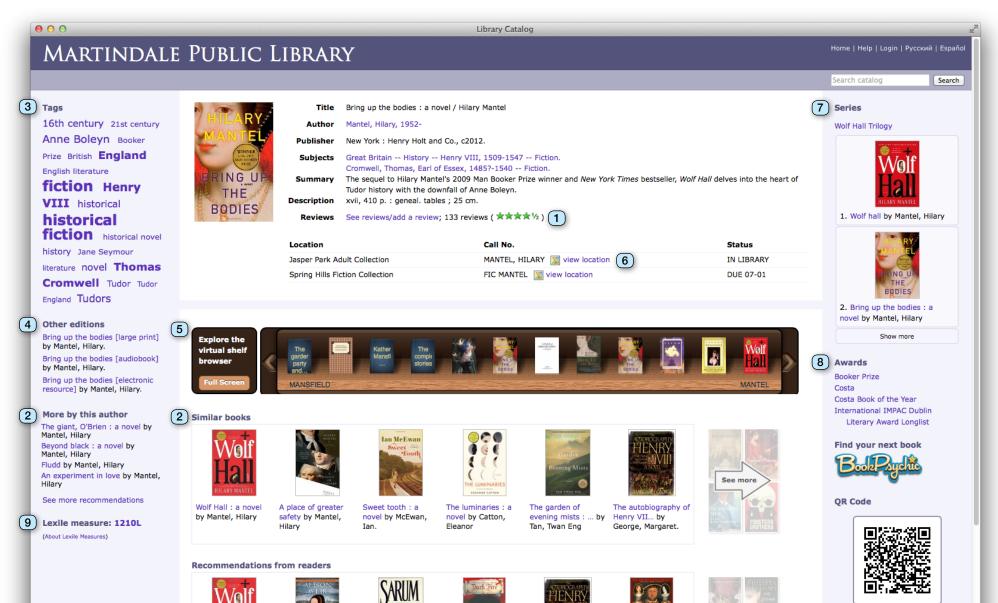
3. Tag-based discovery

Users can explore your holdings in a new way, with tag clouds on book pages and a tag browser for discovery.

Tagging only works on a large scale, so we draw from over 114 million tags on LibraryThing.com.

All tags are hand-vetted for quality—"regency romance," "cyberpunk" and "African American History" are in, "read this summer" is out.

4. Other editions

Don't let users leave empty-handed when the record that came up is checked out. Other editions links your holdings together: paper, audiobook, ebook—even translations.

5. Shelf Browse

A visually striking way to give your users the context and serendipity of browsing physical shelves. Show one shelf or expand to see a fullscreen shelf. Works with all shelf-ordering systems.

6. Stack Map

Direct your users to exactly where an item is held in your collection with attractive, customizable maps. Works with all shelf-ordering systems, as well as with branches and special collections.

7. Series

Tap into over 50,000 series added by LibraryThing members and approved by staff—the most comprehensive and lovingly-maintained coverage available. Includes order, related series and descriptions.

8. Awards

Covers 25,000 awards and honors, from the National Book Award and Booker Prize to the Massachusetts Book Award and the Iowa Children's Choice Award. You can also spotlight awards of local interest.

9. Lexile measures

Put MetaMetrics' The Lexile Framework® for Reading in your catalog, to help librarians and patrons find material by reading level.

LibraryThing Catalog Enrichments are available one-by-one or together. They are easy to install and can be added to every major ILS/OPAC system and most of the minor ones. Enrichments can be customized and styled to fit your catalog. Detailed usage reporting lets you know how they're doing.