



# Don't Forget the Books! "Fund to Mission" at University of Michigan

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## The Model

- Libraries support the conversion to open access of 75% of new UMP scholarly monographs by 2023 without any author having to pay
- Receive perpetual access to the remaining restricted frontlist titles and term access to the backlist (~1,700 titles);
  - Support authors' ability to publish innovative, digital scholarship leveraging open source Fulcrum.org platform

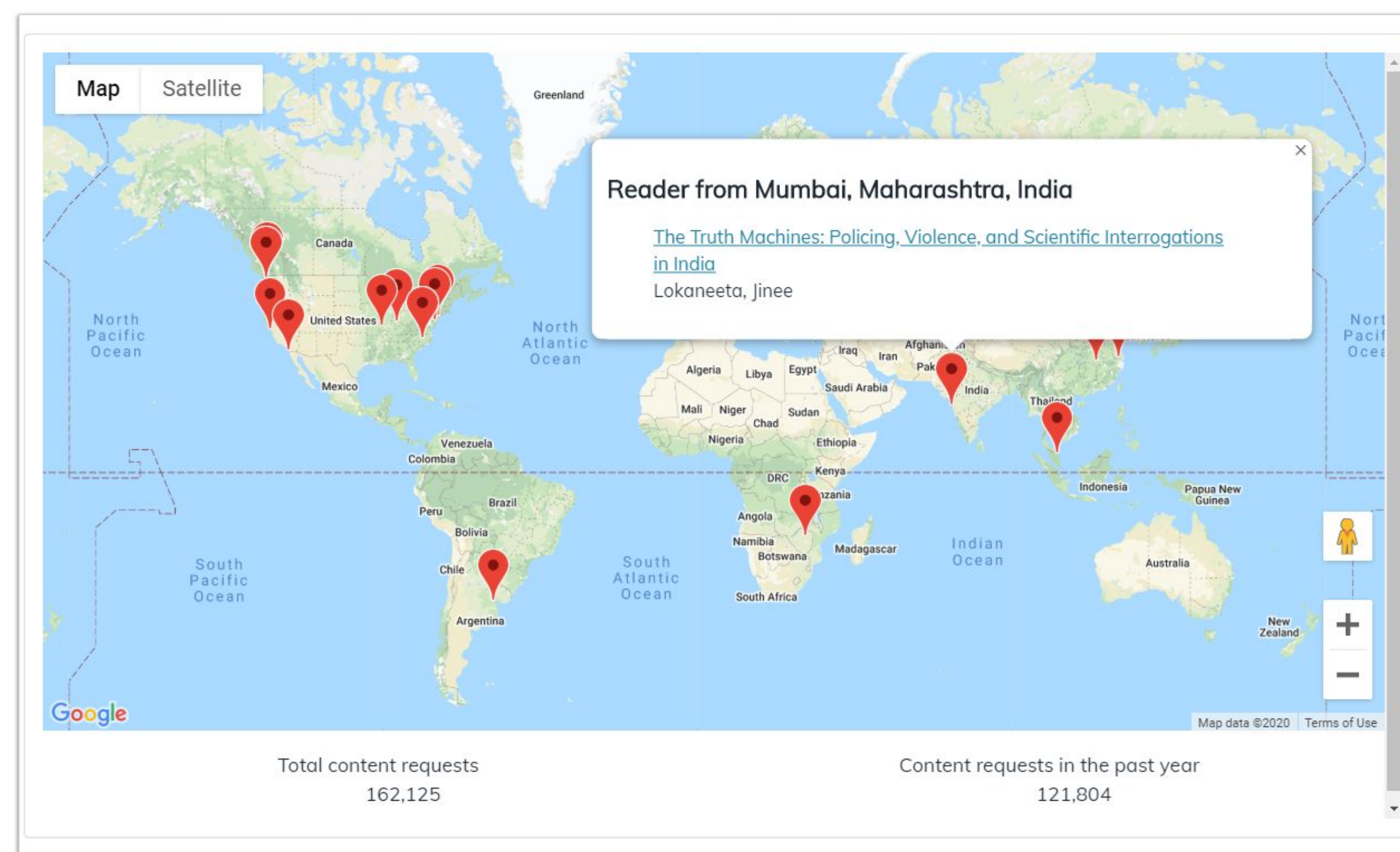


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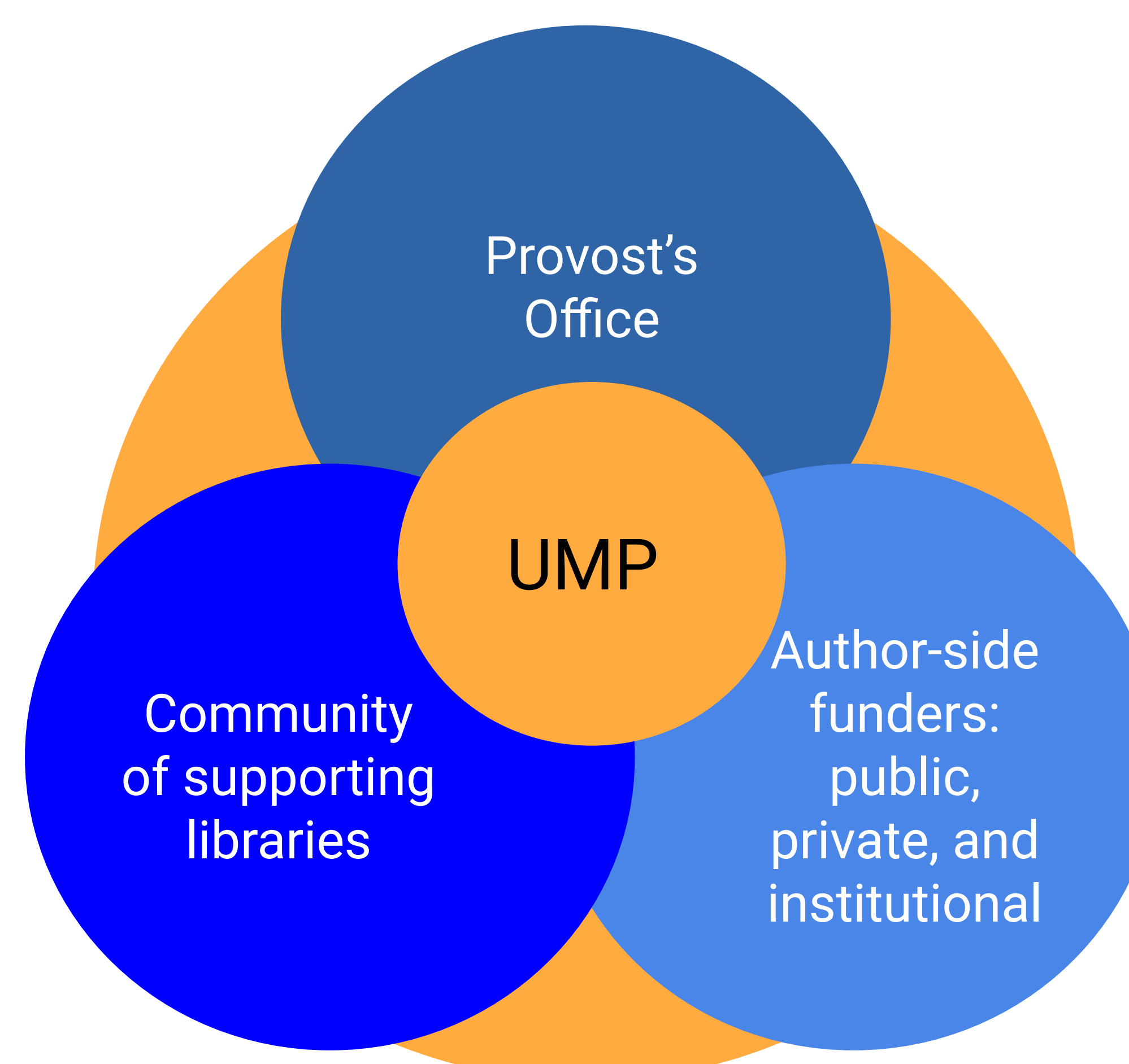
"Fund to Mission" demonstrates a return to the origins of the university press movement and moves toward a more open, sustainable infrastructure for the humanities and social sciences

## Impact and Reach



“There is no way that an ordinary lawyer such as myself could have afforded a copy of the book and appreciated its critique of systems that I engage with on a daily basis.” Reader in India

## Funding aligned with who benefits



## Furthering Diversity, Equity, Inclusion, and Accessibility

- Expand access to high-quality humanities and qualitative social science scholarship for diverse, global audiences;
- Increase the number of accessible, open learning resources for students that are instantly available, downloadable, and free of DRM restrictions;
- Expand the demonstrated opportunity for increased visibility and impact that open access provides to all authors, without the inequities of “pay to publish”;
- Demonstrate support for a non-profit infrastructure and sustainable business model



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