

Library Leadership Challenge  
(Management Development Institute of Singapore)

**Title:** To increase library footfall at MDIS@Changi as compared to MDIS@Queenstown

**Challenge Description:**

In the first quarter of 2027, the Management Development Institute of Singapore will be relocating to 190 Changi Road. This will mark the beginning of a new chapter for MDIS Resource Hub.

Although the new campus is strategically located and well-connected via public transport such as buses and MRT,<sup>a</sup> I believe there is still a need to provide value-added services to draw the MDIS community into Resource Hub. Taking into account our institution core values of Lifelong Learning and Excellence in customer care, I propose the acquisition of 2 e-newspaper kiosks powered by PressReader<sup>b</sup> and 1 Bloomberg terminal for MDIS members to access and analyze real-time financial market data.<sup>c</sup> These amenities will no doubt result in explicit cost incurred, but I feel that given adequate management, governing council and stakeholder support, the dream of creating a one-stop nexus for lifelong learning can be realized.

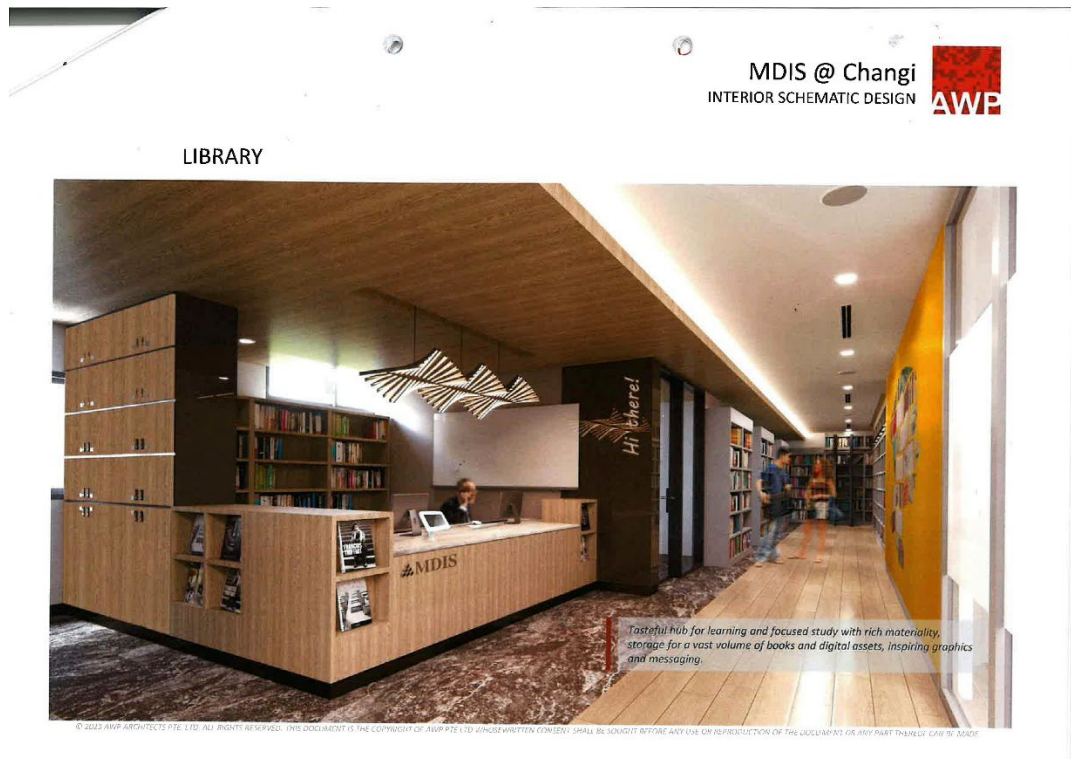


Fig.1: Mock-up of reception counter of new library at MDIS@Changi.

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<https://www.mdis.edu.sg/storage/1/folder/landingpages/mdis%20singapore%20campus%20relocation%20to%20190%20changi%20road.pdf>

<sup>b</sup> <https://www.pressreader.com/>

<sup>c</sup> [https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Bloomberg\\_Terminal](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Bloomberg_Terminal)