

GEPA



CSUC - Consorci de Serveis Universitaris de Catalunya

A collaborative **storage facility** to keep low-use documents, guaranteeing their **accessibility** and future **preservation**



Since 2008 GEPA has stored collections from Catalan universities and member organizations, to free up room in the libraries that can be allocated to new uses.

In Lleida, near Barcelona, in Catalonia (Spain), a military barracks before it was remodelled.



GEPA is the Catalan name for hump, used by camels to store fat. Just like humps, GEPA stores documents for future use.



Facts & Figures



3,600 m²
for storage



23,500 m
of total shelves capacity
of which

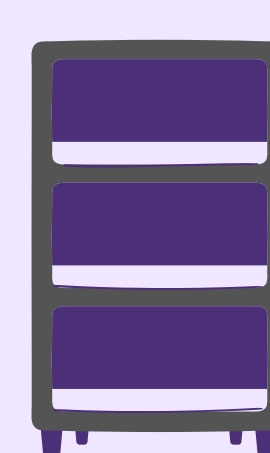


Savings
thanks to the cooperative
management of collections

20,000 m
are already taken up
the equivalent to almost



Good
environmental and security
conditions



40 km
of documents stored
in libraries

