

# Designing the Future-Proof Library: Here's How We Do It

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<http://video.google.com/videoplay?docid=-4101280286098310645&q=seth+godin&hl=en>

Tim Brown's "Innovation through Design Thing" presentation

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The Blended Librarians Web Site

<http://blendedlibrarian.org>

Designing Better Libraries (Design Thinking, Innovation, User Experiences)

<http://dbl.lishost.org>

Kept-Up Academic Librarian <http://keptup.typepad.com>

Steven Bell's Keeping Up Web Site

<http://stevenbell.info/keepup>

See also: Design/UX section of Steven Bell's website

<http://stevenbell.info/design>