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- The main challenge is the lack of access to many – if not most – pertinent journals, let alone having a full subscription to Scopus or ScienceDirect. Achieving the department's strategic goals is contingent upon addressing this primary challenge. Thus, a formal request to the college deanship for a full subscription to Scopus is of high importance if we aim to move toward producing research that meets quality requirements and KPIs suggested above.
- Lack of access to databases: we benchmarked our available databases to the top 150 shanghai ranking universities and found a severe lack of accessibility to subscribed databases. The following list is a must to improve our research action plan:
 1. AuditAnalytics
 2. BoardEx
 3. Bloomberg (access available through the finance department)
 4. Capital IQ
 5. The Center for Research in Security Prices (CRSP)
 6. China Securities Market and Accounting Research (CSMAR)
 7. The CNKI China Statistical Yearbooks
 8. Compustat
 9. Datastream
 10. FAME or Orbis
 11. FitchConnect
 12. IBISWorld
 13. Mintel
 14. Passport
 15. S&P Global Market Intelligence
 16. Thomson ONE
 17. Thomson Reuters Institutional Holdings (13F)
 18. Wharton Research Data Service (WRDS)
 19. Kinder (KLD)
 20. Dow Jones™ Sustainability Index databases

Each top 150 shanghai ranking university has at least 13 available databases from the above list.

- Lack of access to analytical software packages: again we benchmarked our software packages using the same methodology above, and we came up with the following list:
 1. Stata
 2. NVivo
 3. SAS (available only on an old version of windows 7)
 4. SPSS
- Lack of access to journals through our subscription to the Saudi digital library (accessed Dec 2022). These are not subscribed to and are a must to implement our action plan:
 1. Sciencedirect
 2. Scopus
- Outdated equipment and facilities and the lack of a research support centre that provides the following: i) proofreading and editing services or funding, ii) research assistants, and iii) financial support for publication fees.
- It is recommended that faculty members are allocated to an appropriate career track, whether with a research or teaching focus. That said, consideration of faculty members' research hours and contributions to their academic load and assessment is suggested.

