

# Ukrainian Libraries in the time of war : losses and challenges

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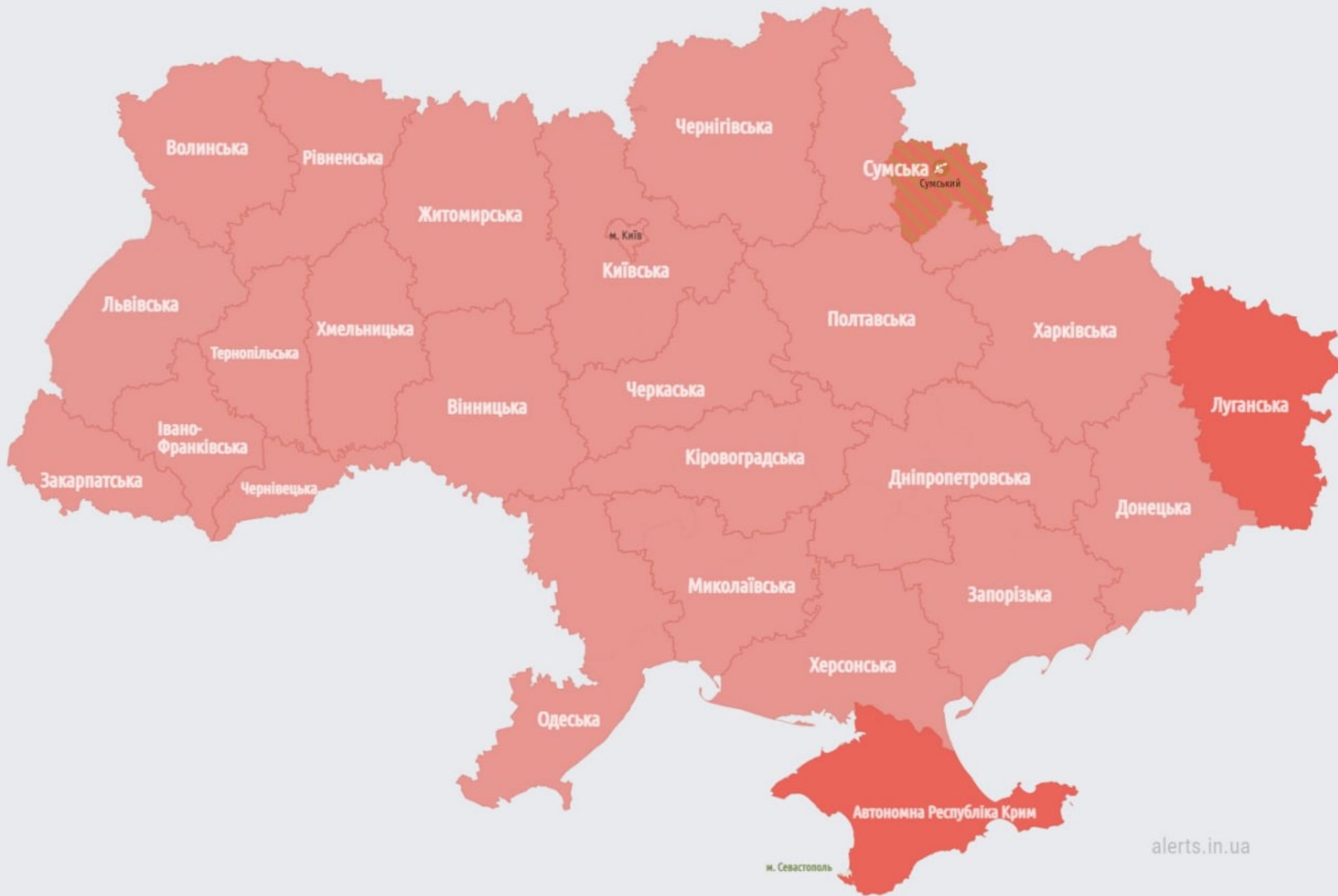
The National University of  
Kyiv Mohyla Academy Library

**Libraries in the Time of War, March 16, 2023**

**Uppsala, Sweden**

ruddian missile







February 24, 2022





376th day of the war  
more than

9 000 killed

500 children



**over 1500**

Objects that were destroyed and  
damaged







# Educational institutions, schools - 2789

Huliaipole School



Kharkiv National Technical  
University of Agriculture





# Archives

Archive-Library of V. Chornovil  
Foundation



Forest Research Station





# Museums & Galleries - 63

Museum of History and Archeology in  
Mariupol



Hryhoriy Skovoroda Memorial  
House





# Libraries

Korolenko Chernihiv Regional Universal  
Library



Kherson Regional Universal  
Scientific Library of Oles Honchar



# Public Libraries

Destroyed and not subject to restoration	47
Partially destroyed, in need of major repairs	158
Suffered minor damage, in need of repair	276
<b>Lost all library collections</b>	<b>42</b>
Lost part of their library collections	178
Lost all material and technical means	81
Lost part of their material and technical means	131



# National and state libraries damaged

Vernadsky National Library of Ukraine

National Scientific Medical Library of Ukraine

Kharkiv Korolenko State Scientific Library

Scientific Library  
named after M.  
Maksymovych,  
Taras Shevchenko  
National  
University of Kyiv











# National University of Kyiv Mohyla Academy Scientific Library





Library collections  
more than  
750,000 volumes,  
72 personal collections,  
90,000 rare books





# Digitizing rare books



# Library services

- Online registration
- Inter Library Loans
- Electronic delivery of documents
- Online training
- Course materials digitization
- Remote access to e-resources

















# National Digital Library of Ukraine (NDLU)





# Saving Ukraine's libraries: what to do and how to help?

## Save Ukrainian Culture

Since February 24, 2022, more than 400 objects of material cultural heritage in Ukraine have been seriously damaged or destroyed by the troops of the Russian Federation. UNESCO World Heritage sites in Ukraine are under threat of destruction.

The Ministry of Culture and Information Policy of Ukraine created a special account to collect funds for the reconstruction of destroyed cultural objects.

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# How to support Ukrainian libraries?

Ukraine Library Relief Fund

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