SCP AC Conference Call
Minutes
March 21, 2011

Present: Valerie Bross, Jim Clark, Becky Culbertson, Sarah Gardner, Elaine McCracken, Trina Pundurs, Sarah Sheets, Adolfo Tarango, Holly Tomren (recorder)

1. Announcements
   - Denise Stephens, new University Librarian at UCSB, starts 7/1/11
   - Bruce Miller, University Librarian at UCM, will be leaving sometime in May. Donald Barclay will be Interim UL.
   - Annie Ross, part-time cataloger at SCP, is now in a permanent rather than temporary position.

2. NGM Update
   - John Riemer was unable to attend the conference call but submitted the following report:

   There is one item that improves the user experience in the Next Generation Melvyl (NGM) Pilot, as a result of OCLC’s Sunday, February 13, 2011 install. OCLC is now displaying MARC fields 508 (Creation/Production Credits Note), 511 (Participant or Performer Note) and 518 (Date/Time and Place of an Event Note) from the master bib record on the detailed record. These fields impact records describing films, music, performers, theater performances, etc. and provide the user with fuller information about an item.

   Other enhancements have a positive impact on Local Holdings Record (LHR) displays and links and LHR Data display. The UC libraries have not yet implemented these in NGM, but will in the future. Details are available on the software update, on the NGM public site: http://libraries.universityofcalifornia.edu/about/oclc_docs/Feb2011LocalInstallNotice.pdf

   Last Monday (March 14) OCLC offered a webinar: “WorldCat Local: New features and functionality.” A recording of the session is available at: https://oclc.webex.com/oclc/lr.php?AT=pb&SP=EC&rID=47060292&rKey=891bb8b6a2bb2803 and the Powerpoint and other details accompany this report.

   A new WorldCat Local User Support Center site is available at https://www.oclc.org/support/worldcatlocal It will eventually take the place of the current listserv for the WorldCat Local users group.

   OCLC is making plans to store local data, to be attached to WorldCat master record, and index it in late spring 2011.
Local system ID number can be used in lieu of OCLC# as WCL’s method of connecting to local information in the ILS via Z39.50.

ProQuest EEBO records are going to be stored in a parallel environment in WorldCat Local, so that the content can be included in WCL searching.

The ability to limit to full text that the library has access to will be developed in FY12. This coming May we will have the ability to limit by peer-reviewed material.

An initial solution OCLC is considering for known-item search problems is letting institutions add up to 5 more records to the relevance-based search results normally retrieved.

In FY12 OCLC plans to make it possible to email a set of records, without first having to create an account and to log in.

3. SCP Update

- Follow up to last month’s discussion of perpetual rights: Adolfo submitted SCP’s recommendation to Ivy as well as communicated to her comments from CDL Acquisitions staff. Everyone agreed it was not a good idea to track this information using bibliographic records. Ivy will report this back to JSC and indicate that while we all recognize that this information is important, our systems do not have an efficient way of tracking it at this time.

- SCP has been asked by CDL to leave HathiTrust links in SCP records. Google Books links will still be removed. UCSD is having a discussion with their Public Services staff about whether to remove these locally or to include some kind of disclaimer text such as "Full text may or may not be available." SCP may also want to include this text; SCP-AC members can consult Public Services at their institutions and report back with their preferences.

- SCP will be sending out a few RDA records. Becky will let us know to look for them so that campuses can check the public display.

- UCSD’s Unicode conversion is still in process, but note that even when completed, SCP records will continue to be output in MARC8.

Next meeting:

April 18, 2011
3:00-4:30pm