

## Shared Cataloging Program Advisory Committee

**Conference call: Monday, October 17, 2011, 3:00-3:45pm**

Present: Trina Pundurs (UCB, recorder), Sarah Gardner (UCD), Wanda Jazayeri (UCI), Valerie Bross (UCLA), Jim Dooley (UCM, for Sarah Sheets), Jim Clark (UCR), Becky Culbertson (UCSD/SCP), Adolfo Tarango (UCSD/SCP), Elaine McCracken (UCSB, chair), Yi-Yen Hayford (UCSC)

Absent: none

### 1. Announcements

LAUC-Berkeley's annual conference, "Fiat Flux," is this Friday, October 21.

### 2. NGM Update (John Riemer, UCLA)

submitted via email:

Update on Melvyl activities for SCP AC  
October 17, 2011

The series of 3 Melvyl webinars was completed last week. The recordings, slides, and other related materials will all be found at [http://www.cdlib.org/services/d2d/melvyl/melvyl\\_webinars.html](http://www.cdlib.org/services/d2d/melvyl/melvyl_webinars.html).

The next virtual meeting of the WorldCat Local Users Group will be held Wednesday, November 30, from 9:00-10:00 Pacific.

The new Melvyl governance structure is still being put into place. Two of its components:

- WorldCat Local Ops Team members, at CDL:
  - ✓ Patti Martin
  - ✓ Lynne Cameron
  - ✓ Leslie Wolf
  - ✓ Michael Thwaites
  - ✓ Margery Tibbetts
  - ✓ Sherry Willhite
  - ✓ Alison Ray
  - ✓ Ellen Meltzer
  - ✓ Jayne Dickson
  
- Melvyl Advisory Group (MAG): every library functional area will have representation through ex officio membership of the ACG chairs. SOPAG will write a formal charge for the group soon. Members of MAG recently held a first

conference call to launch public services testing of the View Now and the Central Index features, prior to implementation.

A high-level discovery strategy document from SOPAG/ULs should be released soon.

Jim D. reports that View Now and Central Index initially will be implemented for freely available resources, not licensed resources. Testing of Central Index will begin within the next few weeks.

### **3. SCP Update (Becky and Adolfo)**

Still awaiting JSC approval for the cataloging priorities spelled out in the most recent monthly update. SCP operates as though they are accepted until informed otherwise.

EEBO update: there were some problems with the records, which were reported to ProQuest. Becky will follow up in the next couple of days; if there is no response from ProQuest, the Advisory Committee will need to discuss whether or not to use the records as-is (with the possibility of needing to replace them later). Adolfo will send some examples.

Materials Research Society: they have digitized and put online pre-1998 proceedings. SCP will distribute records for these soon.

Duplicate LHR issues are being discussed and resolved for the campuses that had problems.

Reminder: MARC field 588 is now used for e-monographs; see the PCC website for more information.

### **4. Vice Chair nomination/appointment**

Trina was accepted as new Vice Chair by acclamation. Elaine and Sarah G. will review Advisory Committee administrative documentation for any needed updates.

### **5. NGTS Updates (Jim D., Adolfo, others)**

Adolfo: POT 5 (Maximize effectiveness of Shared Cataloging) is working on two charges. One is for a lightning team to consider whether SCP should continue distribution of records. The other is a complementary charge to CAMCIG, which will focus on costs: what are the current costs of SCP distributing records? what would it cost campuses to obtain the same services some other way? Another lightning team will be set up to study the process by which cataloging priorities are set.

Jim D.: POT 7 (Transform Collection Development Practices) is charged with work very similar to the Collection Development Committee (CDC). On Friday's CDC call, they will discuss coordination between the two groups.

Becky and Elaine have been appointed to a lightning team studying backlogs. There is a wide variance among campuses, generally with most backlogged material not in English.

## **6. Other items**

Elaine: John will continue to update the Advisory Committee, henceforth on behalf of the Melvyl Advisory Group.

Wanda: reports having problems with Chinese diacritics, beginning with the 9-26 file. She will send examples for all to check their own ILS. Adolfo will follow up within SCP.

Yi-Yen, new representative from UCSC (replacing Tasha Keagan), introduced herself. She is a cataloger and CJK selector.

Next conference call:

Monday, November 21, 3-4:30pm