3/21/2011 LTAG Meeting Notes

Library Technology Advisory Group (LTAG)

Monday, March 21, 2011

Conference Call – 1:00-2:00 PM

Attending: Adrian Petrisor (UCI, Chair), Ann Dobson (UCSF), Dan Suchy (LAUC), Dale Snapp (UCD), Declan Fleming (UCSD), John Ober (CDL), Terry Toy (UCR), Todd Grappone (UCLA), Tom Bustos (UCM) , Lynne Grigsby (UCB)

Absent: Donald Barclay (SOPAG), Eric Mitchell (UCSC), John Ajao (UCSB)

Note taker: Ann Dobson

1. **Review of action items from 1/21/11**
   List of notetakers issued. Calls will be recorded; cost is low. Adrian will download the recordings and they will be available to use as needed (e.g. continuing conversations over multiple meetings).

   Offsite data backup project: Adrian waiting for responses. Pilot project will happen over next couple of months.

   Last month's meeting notes are published on LTAG's we b page.

   Interactions with other committees:

   DLSTF: Kathleen Cameron is chair, John Ober is CDL representative. Todd is also on the group. Final report due on 4/18/2011. No time for us to make significant contribution. John and/or Todd will send email if they need feedback.

   NGTSTF: Waiting for group to be better-defined.

   Adrian will send email to chairs of other groups; they will join future LTAG calls to discuss concerns. Terry will send three items for HOTS to the mailing list.

   Use of social software topic will be added to F2F.

2. **Shibboleth updates from the campuses**

   UCOP Hathi Trust: need to change IdM data store to make required data element available.
   UCI: Did not have values in LDAP. Hope to be done in a couple of weeks.
   UCR: Not in there yet.
   UCD: Waiting for answers from CDL about which attributes to pass. John O. will check into this.

UCB: Waiting to hear back from campus programmers.

John O. pointed out that CDL is not in a good position to broker between campus ID providers and vendors to initiate, setup or test Shibboleth-based authentication.

3. **Discuss memo to SOPAG asking permission for face-to-face meeting (see attachment). We have a date for the meeting: Monday, May 16 is the only time that worked for everybody.**

   Adrian will send memo and proposed agenda items to SOPAG:
   - Investigate common needs in areas of repositories, help desk, mobile, content management
   - Brainstorm solution
   - Refine and prioritize solutions that have been found

   John and Lynne will send phrasing for first agenda item. Adrian will resend memo and agenda for final review then to Diane.

4. **Discussion about how MyILL should work, and possibility to have it shibbolized**

   Joined by Bob Brandiff from CDL.

   Concern about seeing MyILL information about people by knowing their campus ID number. Most campuses are using 14-digit bar code with no PIN (thus if someone knew a user's bar code number they could theoretically pose as the user). If campus ID is used, then a pin is required. Reports from LTAG member discussion with ILL staff revealed relatively little concern with privacy issues in the current set up. However, due to the potential for improved user experience,there is a lot of interest in single-sign on and shibbolizing MyILL.

   Bob reports that shibbolizing this app has been on the list for quite a while. The way MyILL is architected it is quite a bit of work to shibbolize it.   AuthN is glommed in with AuthZ. The project somehow got put on the bottom of the list. The vendor supports shibboleth. Project is in maintenance mode. If AuthN can be separated from AuthZ it may be possible as a first step. Adrian will send an email from LTAG regarding this project.

5. **Announcements & agenda building for next meeting**

   Data storage