

10/15/2012 LTAG Meeting Notes

Library Technology Advisory Group (LTAG)

Monday, October 15, 2012

Conference Call – 1:00-2:30 PM

Present: Lynne Cameron (CDL), Adrian Petrisor (UCI), Gary Thompson (UCLA), Terry Toy (UCR), Declan Fleming (UCSD), Dale Snapp (UCD), Emily Lin (SOPAG), Richard Trott (UCSF), John Ajao (UCSB), Tom Bustos (UCM)

Absent: Lynne Grigsby (UCB)

Notes: Adrian Petrisor

1. Action items from September

- Adrian checked for missing reports from the LTAG web page – did not find any on the web server.

2. Videoconference with Adobe Connect

- Good resolution
- Complicated setup; might be quite difficult to implement across the system without extensive support
- Cumbersome way of transferring control of the screen sharing role

3. Videoconference with Google Hangout

- Much simpler and intuitive interface than Adobe Connect
- Does not meet our minimum participants requirement (it accepts up to 10 video feeds)

Note: After the meeting, it was brought to our attention that Google+ is not available with any UC-campus Google account (or to other .EDUs) due to privacy/confidentiality issues. This means that UC employees with Google EDU accounts would be forced to create separate accounts (or use their personal ones) in order to use Google Hangout for work purposes.

4. Campus Updates

- Gary: whomever is interested in VDI implementation-related info can contact Gary for information/advice
- Dale: UC Davis Library will use Hannon Hill's Cascade (the campus-wide CMS) as their CMS
- Tom: UC Merced Library is using Joomla; also finished evaluation of public scanning solution
- Declan: UCSD Library is using Confluence only for static web pages, and Drupal for all dynamic content. The campus CMS is still Hannon Hill and our public page is based there.

5. Announcements & agenda building for next meeting

- Revision of LTAG goals

ACTION: Adrian will clean the Confluence wiki page