

SCO Conference Call Notes
Dec 5, 2007

Present: Phillips (UCB); Yokote, recorder (UCD); Tanji (UCI); Farb (UCLA); Barclay (UCM); Schader (UCR); Hruska (UCSD); Dale (UCSC); Candee (CDL); Carter (LAUC)

Absent: Persily (UCSF)

Announcements:

- SPEC Kits (299 & 300) on Scholarly Communications now available

UCOP Faculty Attitudes Survey Results

- Candee will handle questions regarding the survey and requests for interpretations

UCOP copyright management "policy" discussion results

- next steps depend on UCOLASC actions
- campus libraries interested in sponsoring programs to discuss UCOP faculty survey results as well as the copyright management policy: UCB, UCLA, UCSC, UCSD, UCR
- ACTION: SCO members share plans for programs since we may be asking the same individuals to speak by using the SCO listserv to describe proposed programs

Candee Update

- UCOP proposed "open access" policy
 - possible for campus libraries via SCO actions and OSC to assist with tool development that help faculty manage their copyright?
- eScholarship program = Catherine Mitchell, manager
 - managing publishing products, operations link to vendor (bepress)
- SCO would like to be informed when BePress tools are implemented (prefer pre-release information, so that librarians are prepared to assist faculty users)
 - ACTION: communications plan for eScholarship program shared with SCOs at its next conference call (Catherine Mitchell)
- distributed approach to UC scholarly communication activities

- what issues to tackle by SCOs? Visibility for scholarly communications within UC, open access, UL support?
- UCOLASC support handled by Gary Lawrence, including content for Reshaping Scholarly Communication web site (faculty -> faculty)
- Candee would like regular communications with SCOs via a monthly call with Eden, Yokote, Anderson (CDL), Lawrence (UCOP)
- SCO web site for librarians and others (tool kits, etc.) support handled via CDL
 - coordinate with Lawrence to ensure content between OSC web site and SCO/CDL scholarly communication web site are synchronized
- UC scholarly communications links to SPARC, and ARL Scholarly Communications Committee handled by Ober until Nov 2008
- follow-up to UC Value-based Pricing report handled by Ivy Anderson
- UC copyright issues linkages to UC committees (SLASIAC, UCOLASC) handled by Gary Lawrence