



### **Resource Sharing Advisory Committee Meeting**

SCRLC Office; GoToMeeting  
Thursday, October 18 10:00 a.m.

#### **Minutes:**

**Present:** Caitlin Finlay, Cornell University; Ben Hogben & Virgilio Pinto, Ithaca College; Elise Thornley, Binghamton University; Mary-Carol Lindbloom & Molly Brown, SCRLC

**Excused:** Lorie Brown, STLS; Sarah Shank, Ithaca College; Gregg Kiehl, Tompkins Cortland Community College; Noah Roth, SUNY Broome

**Notes from August 3 RSAC Meeting** - any changes before publication of minutes? None

#### **Users' Group Meeting Review:**

– Ideas for next User Group meeting?

1. Bring back "Librarian with an Interesting Job" session.
  - a. Idea: inquire about a librarian from the Rock and Roll Hall of Fame to speak at a future UG meeting.
2. Hand out surveys rather than send them electronically after the conference, as we only had 8 responses to the Survey Monkey poll we sent out. Might get a better response rate.
3. Idea: include several large "Post-It" boards onsite for attendees to write their thoughts/comments/ideas about the conference before leaving – though they may not feel as comfortable saying less positive things in a more public space. If adding this feature, should also have print or online survey for them where they can be more anonymous.
4. Committee agreed to host a User's Group meeting once a year, but perhaps a full day session, rather than a half-day.
5. Between late September and mid-October seem to be the best time for people to attend.

#### **RS Subsidy Report & Discussion:**

- **Molly will investigate** why data from several institutions appears "off"/reporting higher than usual numbers, in relation to previous years.

- Once we understand if all the numbers reported are correct, the committee can determine if we wish to change the subsidy from “no lending cap” to “1,000 lending cap” for requests, in order for the distribution to be more equitable for all member libraries. An Excel sheet showing the two different options was examined, but more discussion is needed to make a decision.

### **Region-wide Reciprocal Borrowing: Next Steps**

- Suggestion: it would be interesting to have a conversation regarding reciprocal borrowing with those who are doing the work daily, and not just library directors, who may not “be in the trenches”.
- What are other reciprocal arrangements that are working? **Molly will investigate and report to committee.**

### **Other:**

- The All Committee Meeting will be in late November/early December and Ben will chair. Mary-Carol reported that she is attempting to contact Cornell Woodson as a speaker. Additionally, this meeting will be an opportunity to ask for wider input on Continuing Education opportunities and other programs members would like to see in the future. Reciprocal Borrowing could be a topic discussed.
- Molly showed the LibGuide on Resource Sharing she has begun to compile. Got great feedback on changing some tabs around and adding information. When it is ready, **she will “publish” it for five days and send URL to committee members to look at the layout and content and give suggestions for edits.**

### **Around the Table:**

**Elise** – Binghamton has nothing new to report. Still working on ALMA and they have made some small changes to their lending strips.

**Caitlin** – Business as usual at Cornell.

**Virgilio** – Ithaca College computers undergoing replacement cycle. They will be updating to ILLiad 9, Ben will be in charge of this.

**Virgilio** also brought up the OCLC products insights webinar from October 17<sup>th</sup> – the [recorded session](#) is available for people to listen to.

Additional resources that **Virgilio** shared:

1. There is also a FaceBook page for ILLers:  
<https://www.facebook.com/groups/172179662942180/>
2. ILLiad UserVoice forum to post and upvote ILLiad development ideas: <https://uservoice.atlas-sys.com/forums/581665-illiad-ideas>
3. More information about ILLiad 9 and plans for ILLiad 9.1 are available in today's Access Services Newsletter, found here: <http://createsend.com/t/t-3F7EA0CF24DD9EC92540EF23F30FEDED>

Notes taken by Molly Brown and Mary-Carol