Resource Sharing Advisory Committee Meeting
Tuesday, April 11th, 2023; 11:00 a.m.

Notes

Present: Caitlin Finlay, Cornell University; Lucy Yang, Tompkins Cortland Community College; Sarah Shank, Ithaca College; Ben Hogben, Ithaca College; Elise Thornley, Binghamton University; Deb Geier, Finger Lakes Library System; Virgilio Pinto, Ithaca College; Christine Brown, SCRLC

Excused: Lorie Brown, Southern Tier Library System; Erin Wilburn, SUNY Broome Community College

February Meeting Minutes – approved without change

SCORA
- LibGuide Update – Christine announced that the SCORA Tab is up and running and invited everyone to check it out.
- Increasing participating colleges/universities – There was discussion on ways to improve membership including doing a short video to post online and to check with Rochester LRC to see how it is used and promoted there.

Interlibrary Loan (ILL)
- User Group Meeting Fall 2023
  - Prison Library Panel Discussion update – Christine announced that she will be on a phone conference with Corine F. Leone on Friday.
  - Exhibit - Behind the Wall: Art and Writing from Prison – This program is offered by the Durland Alternatives Library and one of their programs is correspondence and programs for prisoners. There was discussion on how this exhibit or something like it could be incorporated into our User Group Meeting. If we do a hybrid program using Owls, and exhibit could be onsite. If it’s strictly online, we could maybe tap into a different service the program provides. Christine will look into how this can be incorporated into the UGM.
  - Perhaps CDL and Internet Archive – There was discussion about how the Internet Archive case was decided and what that will mean to libraries. Some thoughts on how this subject can be addressed include bringing in a speaker from IA; finding a library that is still pursuing CDL despite the decision; finding a library that changed its mind after the decision and possibly turning it into a panel discussion.
  - “A Day in the Life…” – Looking at different types of libraries is an interest. Christine reported that she has reached out to the Lily Dale library and is waiting for a response. The Durland Alternative Library might be a possibility here.
o Delivery – There was much discussion on delivery including a suggestion that it might be a good topic for the Spring when budgets are being developed. Ben mentioned that IC stopped using ELD and switched to UPS/FedEx due to costs. Lucy mentioned TC3 dropped to 3 deliveries per week. Elise mentioned that 3 days was one of a few options for SUNY schools. We might want to bring in someone from ELD to address the price changes and Maria could provide an ELD update.

o Other – Workplace burnout is a timely topic and not likely to go away anytime soon so a presentation could be beneficial. – Bring in someone from a medical library to address how they handle ILL issues

- Spring 2024 Program
  o Topics – The Fall User Group Meeting discussion developed many topic ideas and more than can fit in a half-day session. Some of the topics might work for Spring if we can’t fit them into the Fall.

DEIJA workshop/presentation for Resource Sharing – Virgilio announced that the DEIJ Advisory Committee is now the DEIJA Advisory Committee and this change was voted on at the last meeting to include and A for Access which is an important factor for many marginalized groups.
  - Book Discussion – The DEIJA Advisory Committee will pursue this topic.
  - Diversity Audits in Library Collections – Christine shared that she attended a webinar by a medical school in Texas that performed one in their library on the topic of meeting the needs of trans people. Christine will look into this topic and provide more information.
  - Another topic – Virgilio mentioned bringing different library types together to share DEIJA activities that they are doing and provide information about how their efforts have worked. Examples include school, public and medical libraries.

Other - None

Around the Table
Christine – Mentioned the programming that SCRLC will be doing over the next month.
Caitlin – There is no news from Cornell
Sarah – Nothing new, Rapido is in process and the working group is going well. There is a timeline for Nerds with Rapido.
Ben – There are 13 graduate student workers graduating this year so they are working to fill those positions right now. Of note, there are 10 who were student managers. Interviews are taking place and it’s a busy time.
Elise – They are very busy moving a collection from annex to a facility near the Health Sciences campus. This move involves 800,000 items. They are excited about the new facility that they are moving into and resource sharing is benefiting from the move.
Deb – Nothing new is happening now. ILL has been up and running for 7 months now and the volume isn’t the same as it was pre-pandemic but that’s OK because they have part-timers so they don’t have the same capacity as before the pandemic. On a positive note, they have added libraries from Idaho and Washington State.
Virgilio – Students have been decorating for Spring and that makes the library space fun.

Next Meeting Date – We are planning for the next meeting to be at the end of June. Christine will send out a Doodle Poll.