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LACUNY Interlibrary Loan Roundtable Meeting Minutes, Fall 2014

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LACUNY-ILL ROUNDTABLE

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MEETING MINUTES

Date and Time: November 20, 2014, 2pm-4pm

Location: The Graduate Center, Library C196.05

Attendees: Andrew Leykam (CSI); Beth Posner (GC); Simone Yearwood (QC); Evelyn Bodden (CC); Jay Bernstein (KB); Gowan Campbell (HC); Sherry Warman (BC); Will Koch (BC); Silvia Cho (GC); Neera Mohess (QCC); Karen Okamoto (JJ); Judith Shwartz (MEC); Emma Raub (BB); Clementine Lewis (LG); Cailean Cooney (NYCCT).

Co-Chairs: Andrew Leykam announced that he is stepping down as the Chair of this roundtable. Silvia Cho (GC) and Simone Yearwood (QC) were nominated as co-Chairs, and after an open election, elected. We thank Andrew for his wonderful service and leadership over the years.

ILLiad 8.5: Several campuses have already upgraded to 8.5, and the transition to the new Borrowing check-in process was discussed. Silvia Cho will send the community solutions found so far to the listserv.

IDS Logic: No CUNY libraries have implemented yet. The Availability Service problem persists, but we are theoretically able to use IDS Logic for non-Availability Service related functions. The GC was having connection problems, but will report to the listserv of developments.

IDS Annual Fee: The increase in the annual fee for IDS Project participation was discussed, along with justifications and discussion of the advantages of membership in the Project, including quicker and free-of-charge borrowing from member libraries, community and mentor support, best practices and other technical resources, etc.

OneSearch: the ILL-related components of OneSearch were discussed. Some aspects of requesting ILL from within OneSearch could be better. Andrew Leykam led a demonstration and emphasized that now is the time to review and make suggestions. The Roundtable members agreed that we should review how well OneSearch works for ILL at each campus and that we should work with Public Services committees at each campus, and directly, to make any concerns and suggestions known.

IFLA vouchers: IFLA vouchers can be ordered from OCLC via a webform or by sending an OCLC request.

METRO Deliveries: recent METRO delays noted to alert the roundtable members to keep an eye out. METRO drivers carry a shipping manifest that must be signed by a person at the pickup location. Please report any problems to METRO so that they can follow up.

ILLiad Conference 2015 Bus: Next March's ILLiad conference was discussed. Currently, the possibility of hiring a bus is being explored by survey, and roundtable members were encouraged to consider this travel alternative. Preconference Tuesday 3/17; Conference 3/18 & 3/19, 2015. This is a great conference if you use ILLiad a lot!

Statistics for Collection Management: Silvia Cho (GC) asked whether/how people were collecting data for most requested titles broken down by liaison departments. Approaches/suggestions included giving access to statistics to interested parties; some Worldcat statistics; and IDS data services.

Purchase on Demand: GC has a policy to buy from Amazon, and so does the GC, under certain conditions. The GC can also purchase from ALIBRIS through OCLC IFM. John Jay, the Graduate Center, and Queens College are considering web-based GIST.

Reducing unfillable Lending requests: inaccurate WorldCat records can generate unfillable Lending requests. Catalogers should be made aware so that they can fix. There is also a CUNY-wide reclamation project planned for the future.