2017–2018 CARLI Resource Sharing Committee: Annual Report of Activities

Members

Belinda Cheek, 2017-2020, North Central College
Eric Edwards, 2016-2019, Illinois State Library, Co-Chair
Kelly Fisher, 2015-2018, Eureka College
Rand Hartsell, 2016-2019, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign
Lisa Horsley, 2017-2020, Abraham Lincoln Presidential Library and Museum
Thomas Mantzakides, 2016-2019, Morton College, Co-Chair
Sarah McHone-Chase, 2017-2020, Northern Illinois University
Amanda Roberts, 2017-2018, University of Illinois Springfield
Jennifer Stegen, 2015-2018, Loyola University Chicago
CARLI Staff Liaisons: Debbie Campbell and Lorna Engels

The Resource Sharing Committee met in person at the CARLI Office on Friday, July 28, 2017. All other meetings took place via conference call on the third Wednesday of every month (10:00-11:30 AM), with the exception of the December meeting, which was held via conference call on Wednesday, December 13 (10:00-11:30 AM).

Activities

- Sent out questions on the following topics to the CARLI Resource Sharing email list
 - o Training student employees
 - Most common resource-sharing-related questions received from students around the beginning of the school year
 - o Adjusting and reducing services during holidays and breaks
 - o Promoting interlibrary loan services on campus
 - o Changes in circulation policies over the past year
 - Workflow in reporting, and searching for, missing items
- Hosted two webinars
 - "New Tools in Resource Sharing: Keeping Up with the Changes"—presented by Kevin O'Brien, University of Illinois at Chicago Library of the Health Sciences, on November 9, 2017
 - "Using Data to Assess and Communicate Improvements in Resource Sharing" presented by Andy Meyer, North Park University, on March 29, 2018
- Presented on the Committee's 2016-2017 annual project ("ILLINET Interlibrary Loan Traffic Survey Analysis: FY2012-FY2016") at the Illinois Library Association Annual Conference (October 12, 2017) and the CARLI Annual Meeting (November 17, 2017)
- Planning a Fall Forum, on resource-sharing topics, that will take place at the Abraham Lincoln Presidential Library and Museum in Springfield on October 25, 2018; distributed survey to Resource Sharing email list to gain feedback on what topics would interest potential attendees

- Annual Project: "Ways in Which ILL Usage Influences Collection Development Policies and Practices in CARLI Libraries"
 - o Incorporated results of a survey, on how libraries use interlibrary loan statistics to inform collection development that the Committee distributed to the Resource Sharing listsery
 - o Included three examples of individual libraries' workflows
 - Compiled an annotated bibliography, consisting of 29 articles and six books, for further reference
 - The final version of the annual project is available on the CARLI website: https://www.carli.illinois.edu/products-services/i-share/circ/ILLUsageCollDevel

Completed Terms

Kelly Fisher, Amanda Roberts, and Jennifer Stegen will rotate off the Committee on June 30, 2018. Also, Lisa Horsley, whose term lasts until 2020, has chosen to leave the Committee at the end of June, since she is moving to a position that does not involve resource-sharing responsibilities. The Committee will select a new Chair or Co-Chairs at its final meeting of the year, on June 20.