

Marmot Union Cataloging Committee
 Wednesday, April 22, 2020
 Minutes

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X	Nina Darlington	Bud Werner		Carol McArdell	Pitkin
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	Becky Kramer, Chris Cook	CMC Glenwood	X	Sarah Nordholm	Summit Co
	Liz Miller	CMC Leadville	X	Jo Norris	Vail
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	Jill McKinney	Gunnison Co		Brandon Cole	Marmot
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Announcements

- March UCC meeting focused on issues of working at home. This google doc has ideas for projects catalogers could do from home that we discussed:
<https://docs.google.com/document/d/1FewiEOpZ0SA6peZ41eW2MWYG3mrDGSNf91WbKwLbDLY/edit>
- Lloyd is continuing to do trainings on various topics on Fridays at 1:00. This week is “Cataloging in Marmot.” We don’t know how long we will continue doing these extra workshops. Please suggest more topics. Here are the recordings of the workshops we have already done:
<https://docs.google.com/document/d/1xrZfIZ9UaGEWo4HIwtkBSPPUrvafKfBzg6YbmkYmswY/edit>

Completed action items

Meet with Discovery Committee about Illegal Aliens headings	Lloyd	<p>This topic was discussed at Discovery Committee. That group liked the idea of implementing something like what Villanova did with VuFind. This would function within Pika. It means that a search for Illegal Aliens brings the same results as Undocumented Immigrants. It would display as Undocumented Immigrants. We would not have to do anything in our records. Pascal says that would not be difficult to do the same thing in Pika. Each discovery partner would have to have a system wide setting for it, but different discovery partners could make different choices. This will go on the Pika development plan. We don’t know when it might happen.</p> <p>ACTION ITEM>> Lloyd to work with Pascal to develop the full list of terms that need alternates.</p>
Check more weird Ingram records	Lloyd	<p>Lloyd investigated this issue. Nina had found that sometimes we had a good record in Sierra with an OCLC number for record that was very minimal in OCLC. The fear is that someone might overlay our good Sierra record with this bad OCLC record in some automated process. We realized at the last UCC meeting that this was a result of the way Ingram functions to create and sell MARC records. Based on this Lloyd searched for examples. He looked in Sierra for records from Ingram and then looked at the same record in OCLC. The results were that while they were different, they were both good records almost all of the time. Lloyd checked 60 examples before finding one where the OCLC record was very bad. His conclusion is that this is not that common a problem. It is a problem if it makes people spend a lot of time double checking everything they do.</p> <p>Nina says she wanted to be sure it’s not going to be a big problem. They are fixing them as they find them. It doesn’t look like it is really a big problem.</p> <p>We think that all the records that potentially have this problem will have the code TnLvILS in the 040, unless there are other vendors with the same issue.</p> <p>Lloyd still wants to organize a meeting of Ingram users to think about how we can use their records better. << ACTION ITEM</p>

Discussion Topics

- 386 field in public catalog
 - These are new MARC fields that have information about the author's demographics (nationality, gender, profession, etc.). They display in the classic catalog, but they are not labeled clearly.
 - Jamie thinks this information is not useful to users and these fields should not be displayed.
 - Lloyd remembers that Marmot did once get a complaint from a public library user who only wanted to read books written by men. So there is at least some demand for this information.
 - Lloyd suggests that we could improve the display so it is clear that this is information about the author.
 - Mary asks if this information is searchable.
 - The field is not indexed but it is in the keyword index, so it is not easy to search.
 - Nicole chats that it looks messy.
 - ASU has no need for it.
 - The basic question we have to answer is should we suppress it or make it display better?
 - Chat suggests we change the label to call it "creator" and move the whole block down below subject.
 - Lloyd suggests we call it "creator information", and get rid of the code fields and move it down in the record display.
 - Mary says she would be fine with it if we changed the display.
 - Sarah agrees.
 - We look at the Pika display.
 - **ACTION ITEM** >> Bring 386 in Pika question to the Discovery Committee.
 - **ACTION ITEM** >> Ask Brandon about fixing the display in Classic Catalog.
- New load profile for video game order records
 - Lisa with Mesa County suggested a new load profile for video game orders. Our current order record loader will create a dummy item to allow requests from other libraries. However, none of our libraries allow a requests on video games, so these dummy items on video games allow requests for things that can't be requested leading to unhappy patrons. Lisa would like an order record loader that will not create a dummy for that reason. Does anyone see a problem with this plan?
 - There are no objections, so **ACTION ITEM** >> Lloyd will create a video game load profile.
- New MARC field with authority information from Marcive
 - We get information from Marcive about unauthorized fields in our records. They send us two files listing bad fields. One list is fields with no matches in the National Authority File and the other lists fields with multiple matches in the NAF. We have never had a good way to make use of this information.
 - Lloyd realized that he could load these into notes in the records with the bad fields in Sierra. This would allow people to search for those bad fields in records for their items. This would make it possible for people to perform authority work for effectively.
 - These notes are in 933 fields. People could search for records with 933 fields and limit to your items to find things that need authority work.
- Option to join the Mountain West Authority Funnel
 - We currently have no means of getting a new authority record created if we wanted one. Lloyd previously worked with Nancy Kall at Douglas County to create authority records. Nancy was running an informal authority funnel, but she has retired. Our option now would be to join the official NACO Mountain West Authority Funnel run by Linda Roholt out of Salt Lake City. This would require Lloyd to get basic authority training, so he can create authority records that Linda would check. Members could gather information about people they want authority records created for and Lloyd could create a record and get it approved by Linda for entry in the NAF.
 - Mary supports this idea.
 - This would allow people to get authority records created for local authors. This would only be names, not subjects. They could be personal names, corporate names, meeting names, or titles. They would probably mostly be local authors, but could be local corporations or other names.
 - Nina says that would be great.
 - Mary says she has a name she wants a record created for. Nina also has a few.
 - Lloyd says he did this occasionally at Fort Lewis. He found that local authors like it.
 - This can involve contacting authors to get information from them.
 - **ACTION ITEM** >> Lloyd will pursue joining the authority funnel.

- Robin says his whole staff at Bemis library is being furloughed.
- Lloyd mentions that Aims Community College is joining Marmot next year.
- CMU is offering curbside pickup of books.
- Montrose is going back to work at the library. The staff will be spilt one week on and one week off. The library will be closed to the public. Working from home on the week off.
- Shelly says at SD51 everyone is working remotely.
- CCU says classes are all online. They are not opening the library for the few remaining students.
- CMU considered a system where each tech services staff person came to the office one day a week, but opted for total shut down.
- Western is on line for the rest of the semester. Library is closed. Some staff still working in the building.
- Summit is offering curbside pickup at three locations.
- Summit is working on weeding/pruning
- Vail is filling holds and offering pickup outside. Most staff is working from home.
- Pitkin is recuttering the DVD collection.
- Sarah Nordholm says this is her last UCC meeting. She is retiring from Summit County.

New Action Items

Pursue joining Mountain West NACO funnel. Get authority training, set up process within Marmot.	Lloyd
Create video game order record load profile.	Lloyd
Discuss display of 386 field in Pika with Discovery Committee.	Lloyd
Ask Brandon if the Classic Catalog can change the 386 display.	Lloyd
Work with Pascal to determine the details of the Illegal Aliens term changes in Pika	Lloyd
Meeting with Ingram users to think if we can improve record loading for their weird records	Lloyd

Ongoing Action Items

Action	Responsible parties
Look for ways to find music with no language in list 21 language problem list.	Lloyd
Investigate creating lists of records from list 21 language problems, for OCLC members to overlay in batch, maybe using title check on the load profile	Lloyd
Experiment with creating a file for EDS extract without the OCLC prefix.	Lloyd
Figure out how we can control Prospector display with ITYPE	Lloyd
Develop cataloging training materials	Tammy/Lloyd
Develop flow chart for how to use the volume field	Lloyd
Figure out a process for authority control for FLC's discovery records	Lloyd
Investigate a new Tableau utility for finding bad volume field use	Lloyd/Brandon
Develop documentation for Marquis macro	Lloyd/Tammy
Create training for the duplicate checker	Lloyd/Tammy

Next Duplicates Sub-committee meeting: May 13

Next UCC meeting: May 27