

TSPC Conference Call Minutes
January 17, 2008

Attendees:

Emmett Denny (FAMU); Linda Sobey (FAMU Law); Janice Donahue, Maria Barenbaum, Deb Hoban, Teresa Abaid, Helen Laurence (FAU); Mary Ann O'Daniel, Jean Phillips, Josh Greben, Michele Newberry (FCLA); Catherine Gardiner (FGCU); Elaine Winske (FIU); Ruth Ziegler, Charles McElroy (FSU); Carolyn Klatt (FSU-Med); Lyn Case, Kimberly Montgomery (UCF); Betsy Simpson, Priscilla Williams (UF); Jean Bostwick (UF-Law); Ya'aqov Ziso, Chair (UNF); Susan Heron (USF); Dan North, Lynn Shay, Bob Sun (UWF).

Minutes: No changes to the minutes for December.

OPAC Visioning Summit: Ya'aqov outlined the seven round tables for our Jan. 25th meeting.

TSPC charge: how do we represent all areas? To be discussed in the future.

Ya'aqov asked that we send him issues and concerns to be addressed this year.

ACTION: each TSPC, Authorities, and Metadata representative needs to create a list of issues for his/her institution and send them to Ya'aqov, who will compile them and report at the next meeting.

FCLA update:

Book icons/tab_type config.: still under discussion. The major icon issues are whether to limit the number of icons and how to identify computer software. Limiting to a single icon will challenge those libraries which have used the one record approach, e.g., combining print and microform or print with a URL for an additional digitized version. OPAC is addressing this.

Each library has a tab_type_config and it can be customized for each library. No one has changed it since the STP. The tables are visible for all if anyone wants to look at them.

The records for Early English Titles are merging incorrectly with microform records. FCLA is working on this.

Indexing: the Authorities Subcommittee has done the initial work; now the full TSPC needs to be involved. FCLA will email TSPC as issues arise. All the libraries should be involved in the coming testing.

Common ("core") indexes are more important than ever with Endeca.

ACTION: We should review the core index document on the WIKI.

TSPC/RT queue: ready for use. Ya'aqov can initiate reports for issues to be tracked and all of us can view them. Do we need to change this so that any of us

could create reports? Should TSPC be copied automatically on each one? We will test the efficacy of the TSPC RT in the next few months.

ARC 2.0: Project coordinators were supposed to send Jean a list of all the reports they needed. ExLibris was approached about presenting a demo to TSPC or the directors.

ACTION: Dan N. and Ya'aqov Z. will continue to discuss with Jean P. Those of us who have not sent Jean our list of reports should do so.

OPAC liaison: Ya'aqov is stepping down. Elaine W. and Susan H. will both be liaisons.

FCLA representative to TSPC: Mary Ann O'D, Jean P. and Daniel C. are the usual attendees; others will come as needed.

Authorities: LCC/LCZ indexes are small enough to have both types. Should we establish a core list of authority indexes?

ACTION: talk about this on the authority list.

List of Endeca/Aleph issues for TSPC:

- Add foreign languages articles to the list that tells the system to skip initial articles?
- Author facets often show up added entries for entities like NetLibrary. Should X00 and X10/X11 entries be in different facets?
- Keyword indexes were fixed in December.
- Revising and rebuilding the indexes: no timetable. Go to the WIKI for details of the work done so far.
- Suppressed records are showing up in Endeca browse headings. FCLA has no solution at this time.
- If online location displays are different between Aleph and Endeca, sublibrary/collection tables for Aleph and Endeca need to be synchronized.
- Relevancy ranking: do we want to get involved? No, for the moment we will leave it to the OPAC Subcommittee.

Next Meeting:

Conference call on Thursday, January 31 at 2:00 p.m.

Send agenda items to Ya'aqov.

Submitted by:

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