

WILO Cataloging Committee

MINUTES

August 4, 2006, 1:00 PM.

Attendees: Ted Ostaszewski (MCC), Susan Beyer (MBTS), Denis Goodyear (Avila), Logan Wright (SPST), Cheryl Couch-Thomas (WJC), Martha Grimes (Rockhurst)

- 1) MOBIUS Update – Susan reported Beth Fisher is the newly hired Executive Director at MOBIUS
- 2) IUG Enhancements Voting: Susan discussed the MCDAC committee's voting preferences for the "856 / 956" proposal, the "limit search" and a command that would allow staff to limit the number of searches that could be printed.
- 3) LC Series Authority - all full-level cataloging libraries will now have the ability to input 490 indicator 0 fields in series title authority records The 440 and 830 fields will remain unchanged.
- 4) LC Personal Name Authority Death Dates – Susan and the members of the committee discussed adding death dates when appropriate and as time permits to name authorities. It was mentioned that the catalogers should check the LC postings in the NAF for headings with added death dates. Additionally, Susan will request that the MARS reports that reflect these changes be distributed amongst the cluster members. Susan also mentioned all MOBIUS members can access a training page that Jim Dutton led on this topic. <http://mco.mobius.missouri.edu/home/training/>
- 5) The MOBIUS Webpage – St. Louis University is now its own cluster. The MOBIUS webpage now reflects that change. The order for correct/authoritative bibliographic records in the MOBIUS database is now as follows: MERLIN, SLU, and Washington University. There was a brief discussion about how to handle "pop-ups" in the OPAC. Susan led a lively debate over the issue of suppressing volume holdings (for Reference locations) at the MOBIUS or central display level. If an institution has five or more volumes of a given title, a summary holdings display should be created in the Serials module of Millennium.
- 6) New Fonts in the OPAC
 - a) Go to CSDirect > Downloads> Fonts > font properties 1.4.2_08
- 7) Next WILCO Cataloging meeting set for 10 November at Penn Valley at 9:30am. Martha Grimes suggested we invite other Technical Services staff members who might be interested in attending, such as acquisitions and serials.