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Wednesday, April 21, 2010

Conference Call

Members present: Ellen Corrigan (Chair; Eastern Illinois University), Chris Day (School of the Art Institute of Chicago), Eben English (Illinois Institute of Technology), Ginger Frere (Newberry Library), Meg Miner (Illinois Wesleyan University), Laurie Sauer (Knox College)

Members absent: Betsy Kruger (University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign), Julie Patton (Northwestern University)

CARLI Staff present: Jessica Gibson (DCUG liaison), Amy Maroso (DCUG liaison)

1. Confirm Ellen as minutes taker.
2. Approved minutes from the March 17 meeting with changes.
3. Subcommittee reports:
 - a. Interface subcommittee: Ellen will be calling a meeting soon to discuss usability testing.
 - b. Standards subcommittee: Eben reported that a draft of the video digitization guidelines has been completed. The draft will be emailed to the DCUG email list and posted to the wiki for comment.
4. Forum planning: Ellen will be sending out a survey for members to vote on the forum title by Friday. Ginger will draft the forum description early next week; committee members will discuss and edit the text on the DCUG email list and will submit a final version to Jessica and Amy by Monday, May 3.
5. Report from the Midwest CONTENTdm Users Group meeting: Chris, Laurie, Jessica, and Amy attended the meeting April 8-9 in Iowa City. Jessica and Kerri Willette's presentation on the new CARLI Digital Collections interface was well attended, and the redesign received positive feedback. News from OCLC included information about the CONTENTdm End User Experience Redesign sandbox available through the User Support Center to preview coming user interface changes and reduced prices for the OCLC Digital Archive digital storage service.
6. New business: Ellen reminded the group of the program on digital and electronic copyright to be held Wednesday, April 28 at the I Hotel in Champaign.
7. Next meeting (conference call): Wednesday, May 19, 2010, 10:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.