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#### **CARLI OPAC Meeting Minutes**

#### 8 September 2010

In attendance: Paige Weston, Amanda Pippitt, Belinda Cheek, Jana Brubaker, Karen Becker, Lisa Gonzalez ,Paul Go

#### CARLI Update (Paige)

- New issue with "?" in data. Affects both WebVoyage/Tomcat and VuFind.
- Now maintaining a pool of servers, which should dramatically improve VuFind performance.
- VuFind hands down winner in "local OPAC" survey. Followed by Classic. Tomcat a distant third and Worldcat fourth.
- New titles list discussion
- Advanced search worked on to make it more accessible for screen readers. More work to do.
- Renaming VuFind discussion.
- At IGLOO, ExLibris announced that Classic won't *necessarily* stop working with the release of version 8 of Voyager.
- Development time now shifting from VuFind to XC.
- Paige will be out for nearly a month but will attend next meeting.

#### VuFind Issues

- Accessible navigation on Advanced Search page/navigating away from VuFind advanced search --DONE
- No favorites wording message for user accounts NO CHANGE
- Text me feature on results page NO ACTION
- Linking to Amazon reviews (Lisa is sponsoring) NO ACTION
- Cite this feature (Jana is sponsoring) SOME PROGRESS
- Local/all toggle in union catalog IN PRODUCTION
- Add a limit by publication date on advanced search NO PROGRESS
- Link to WorldCat identities for authors NO PROGRESS
- Indexing MFHDs, to allow searching and browsing -- MAYBE
- Course reserve searching IN PRODUCTION
- Request first available option IT'S COMPLICATED
- Content limit NO PROGRESS

#### Tomcat Issues

- ? issue
- Output formats CHANGED

#### Programming Ideas

- Usability
- Work with Instruction Team on VuFind training ideas. Joint programming?

# IUG Update

• IUG working on annual plan

### Other

- XC info will be sent out
- People in general liked the new webinar style meeting

Meeting adjourned