

## Resource Sharing Committee Annual Report 2015-2016

May 24, 2016

The Resource Sharing Committee met for the first time at the CARLI Offices on August 6, 2015. Following that initial in-person meeting, the committee met via conference call on the third Thursday of each month, beginning in September.

The Resource Sharing Committee consisted of:

- Bryan Clark (Illinois Central College)
- Susan Duncan (University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign)
- Sandra Engram (Illinois College of Optometry)
- Kelly Fisher (Eureka College)
- Sarah Mueth (University of Illinois at Springfield)
- Amy LeFager (National-Louis University)
- Marcella Nowak (College of DuPage)
- Jeff Ridinger (Illinois State University)
- Jennifer Stegen (Loyola University Chicago)

Jeff Ridinger was elected as chair for the 2015-2016 term.

Lorna Engels and Debbie Campbell served as the committee's CARLI liaisons.

### Committee activities

- Hosted the webinar "Copyright for Resource Sharing" by [Janet Brennan Croft](#). Presented November 10, 2015, and archived at <https://www.carli.illinois.edu/products-services/i-share/circ/secure/CopyrightResourceSharing> (66 registered). The webinar provided information to participants on Copyright Basics (a quick review of the history, philosophy, law, and guidelines); Interlibrary Loan: Law vs. License (including electronic sources and delivery); Copyright and the Classroom: K-12, Higher Education, and Media.
- Organized and hosted two resource-sharing themed "Open House" events for CARLI members. These events were a continuation of a format utilized the past two years to great success. A mix of centrally located institutions of varying sizes were chosen to best provide a glimpse at the wide-breadth of libraries that make up CARLI membership.
  - Illinois Wesleyan University/Illinois State University – April 8th (15 registered)
  - Illinois Institute of Technology/Illinois College of Optometry – April 21<sup>st</sup> (21 registered)
- The Annual Project for the Resource Sharing Committee is the development of a webpage that provides resources for Interlibrary Loan units that are interested in utilizing Open Access resources to enhance service levels. Content includes a brief introduction of the opportunities Open Access resources provide Interlibrary Loan, an annotated bibliography, and Open Access Resources list.
- Decision reached that the committee will recommend a \$15 cap for processing fees, and presented a draft recommendation to CARLI for further review.

- Generated and contributed regular discussion topics for the CARLI Resource Sharing Interest Group (ResShare-ig) email list. Having committee led discussion topics continues to have the benefit of bringing timely topics to the larger community over the past two years. In addition, it has served as a perfect forum for the collecting of information from our state colleagues in order to promote topics covered in our webinar and annual report. Committee generated topics this past year included:
  - Accessing articles for Interlibrary Loan that are subject to embargoes
  - Interlibrary Loan Copyright Costs
  - Open Access and Interlibrary Loan
  - Keeping track of ILL requests filled with Open Access resources.

Rotating off the Resource Sharing Committee in July 2016 are Bryan Clark, Susan Duncan, and Jeff Ridinger. Three new volunteers will be added for the terms beginning 2015. The chair for the 2016-2017 term will be elected at our final meeting, scheduled for June 16, 2015.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Jeffrey Ridinger".

Jeffrey Ridinger,  
Chair, Resource Sharing Committee, 2015-2016