Membership

Xiaotian Chen 2013-2016 Bradley University
Lauren Jackson-Beck 2013-2014 Aurora University
Max King (vice-chair) 2015-2018 Illinois Institute of Technology
Joanna Kolendo 2014-2016 Chicago State University
Jeffrey Matlak 2014-2017 Western Illinois University
Andy Meyer 2014-2017 North Park University
Steve Oberg (chair) 2013-2016 Wheaton College
Cindy Scott 2015-2018 Univ. of St. Mary of the Lake
Peter Tubbs 2015-2018 Rush University

CARLI: Paige Weston (part-year), Denise Green, and Mary Burkee

Meetings

July 9, 2015 In-person meetings at the CARLI office. Monthly meeting held on the second Wednesday of the month, from 1:00pm – 2:00pm. Also held SFX Interest Group Open Conference Calls on a quarterly basis (16 September 2015, 8 December 2015, and 2 March 2016).

Activities

The primary focus of activity this year was to create a set of handouts for SFX administrators about how SFX can integrate with other services. We selected the following services to highlight:

- 360 Core (ProQuest)
- BrowZine (Third Iron)
- CrossRef
- EBSCO Discovery Service
- EZProxy (OCLC)
- Google Scholar
- ILLiad (OCLC)
- Primo (Ex Libris)
- PubMed LinkOut and Outside Tool Service (NLM)
- WorldCat Local (OCLC)
- WorldCat.org (OCLC)

The committee also approved a change in process for the weekly SFX KB updates such that CARLI staff began to activate free and open access titles in the shared SFX instance following previously approved selection guidelines. This additional service was well received by CARLI members.

We discussed survey results from SFX administrators whom we asked to provide feedback about open conference calls, which informed our planning for additional open conference calls. The results indicated that the SFX administrator community found value in the calls.

Max King volunteered to serve this year as vice-chair and will assume chair responsibility for FY17.
Some additional progress was made on the instructional webinars the committee has worked on for the past 2-3 years, although the bulk of the work has been completed.

Discussions

- Enhancements to the “Report a Broken Link” feature
- Handling of problematic SFX KB update that affected many high use EBSCOhost databases
- Auto-update Elsevier holdings process

Deliverable

Please see https://www.carli.illinois.edu/products-services/link-resolver-sfx/sfx-integration-other