Minutes of meeting: Local History and Genealogy Section, 15 February 2022
Local History and Genealogy Section Standing Committee

15 February 2022, 10:00 PM-11:00 PM Tokyo Time (Japan). Via Zoom

1. Meeting was called to order at 10:00 PM Tokyo Time (Japan), 15 February 2022.
2. Roll Call – Member present were: Cherie Bush (Chair), Takashi Nagatsuka (Secretary), Alexandra Clemence, Cecilia Salvatore, Cristina Ioana Roiu, Dragan Milosevic, Jennifer Brannock, Joyce Jelks, Keven Liu, Liz Rechebei, Petro Coreejes-Brink, Wei Jingzhu, Yukiyo Hasegawa, The number of attendees is 13.

3. Minutes from our last meeting on 13 January 2022 were approved.

4. The WLIC 2022 Satellite Meeting of our section.
   • It has been decided that our committee will not have an in-person satellite meeting as currently only 3-4 (maybe) committee members will be attending in-person
   • Satellite meeting will be a two day virtual event (14-15 July); will not interfere with IFLA
   • The plan is to use some or most of the 2019 satellite program.
   • Jennifer Brannock and Cristina R will help put the program together (along with others on the committee as invited)
   • The deadline for submission of Satellite Meetings is on February 25th.

5. The WLIC 2022 Open Session in Dublin.
   • The committee will submit a proposal for the in-person IFLA conference (Cherie and Takashi will work on this proposal, involving the committee as needed).

6. The WLIC 2022 Section Meeting in Dublin.
   • The Local History and Genealogy section meeting will be virtual on Monday, 25 July 2022.

7. The WLIC 2022 Poster Session in Dublin.
   • Watch for announcement about poster sessions:
   • The theme for posters will be ‘Inspire, Engage, Enable, Connect, especially in uncertain times’.
   • The call will go out during February and will close on March 18th. We are looking at the possibility of posters being available both onsite and remotely. More to come on that

8. The Third Section Webinar 2022
   • Jennifer Brannock and Cherie Bush are finalizing the third Section Webinar in May about the US 1950 Federal Census

9. Notes from the Division A meeting:
   • IFLA handbook being updated, watch for more information coming
   • IFLA funding is being updated to reflect more current practices
• Some units are experiencing ‘trolling,’ this is being taken care of
• 2023 conference in Rotterdam will be hybrid
• Dublin is locked in as an in-person event due to contracts and budget

10. The Joint Webinar with IFLA Rare Books and Special Collections Section - Rare Book Competencies Confirmation:
   • Thank you to Cristina and Dragan for representing our committee in a joint project with Rare Books: March event about Rare Book Competencies. Zoom event on 8 March from 2:00-3:00pm Central European Time (CET). Watch for more information at the following site.
     https://www.ifla.org/events/guidelines-for-rare-books-and-special-collections-professionals-a-discussion/

11. Others
   • Takashi is sending out a poll for our March meeting•