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Unit Member Contributions

Please describe the contributions of the Unit members

Role
Chair

Name of Unit member

Contributions

Please indicate any changes to Committee membership during 2022-2023 (e.g. Resignations, co-options, appointment of mentors)

Chinwe Veronica Anunobi stepped back in November 2022.

Committee Meetings

Please provide information about your 2022-2023 Standing Committee Meetings:

How many business or other meetings did you hold from August 2022- August 2023?
2

How many of these meetings were open meetings (where those beyond the Standing Committee were invited)?
2
How were the majority of these meetings held?
Virtual (Zoom/Skype/Teams etc.)

Did you hold a mid-term meeting?
Yes - virtually

Have minutes from all meetings been uploaded to the Repository?
Yes

**Successes/Accomplishments/Achievements**

Briefly describe the project, activity, or output you accomplished during the period August 2022 - August 2023

**Title or name of project, activity, output**
Coaching initiative

**Details**
In November 2022 we again offered online coaching sessions. This time there were not so many appointments as the year before.

At the WLIC 2023 in Rotterdam we again have in-person coaching sessions. Well attended

**Do you have a URL to this accomplishment to share?**
https://www.ifla.org/g/cpdwl/coaching-initiative/

**Title or name of project, activity, output**
Guidelines for CPD

**Details**
Our new poster promoting the IFLA Guidelines for CPD was launched at the WLIC in Dublin in August 2022. The poster seeks to inspire library and information professionals globally to understand the issues of quality that need to be considered when professional learning and development activities move into the online environment. The impact of the COVID-19 pandemic has emphasised the critical importance of high-quality digital learning environments which support the introduction of more innovative content, ideally underpinned by open educational resources, and stimulating interactive and engaging learning experiences for all participants.

CPDWL already knows that the poster concept is successful: our first IFLA Guidelines for CPD poster has already been translated into 36 languages. A new poster was produced to highlight this and was presented at the WLIC in Dublin. Now we are creating translations for the second poster, presented at the WLIC 2022 in Dublin.

**Do you have a URL to this accomplishment to share?**
https://repository.ifla.org/handle/123456789/2292

**Title or name of project, activity, output**
Webinars

**Details**
May 4, 2023 | Open Badges and Micro-Credentials in Libraries | Collaboration with IT Section, led by François-Xavier Boffy, supported by Edward Junhao Lim. 80+ registered, 62 unique viewers. Attendees of the live session were from France (15), U.S.A. (6), Croatia (2), U.K. (2), & 19 other regions. https://repository.ifla.org/handle/123456789/2618

Oct 25, 2022 | Fighting back the Infodemic: CPD opportunities and initiatives for LIS professionals | 200+ registered, 99 unique viewers. Attendees of the live session were from the Philippines (37), Italy (27), Singapore (10), Nigeria (9), Croatia (8), Mexico (8), Zambia (7), Zimbabwe (4), Indonesia (4), United States (4), & 20+ other regions. https://repository.ifla.org/handle/123456789/2249

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https://www.ifla.org/g/cpdwl/webinars/

**Title or name of project, activity, output**
Podcasts
Details
In 2022-2023 we continued to add interesting talks to our podcast series. Beside collecting interesting topics it is a main focus to present the podcasts in different languages with native speakers. The last year we were able to upload talks in English, Chinese/Cantonese, Korean, Arabic and Filipino. Thanks to the international membership of CPDWL SC there is more to come.

Do you have a URL to this accomplishment to share?
https://podcasters.spotify.com/pod/show/ifla-cpdwl

Title or name of project, activity, output
"This is How We Do It: One Professional Development Activity in the Lives of Librarians from Around the World"

Details
After the business meeting in August 2022 we asked our SC members and in February 2023 the Advisory group members to answer two short questions to highlight them and show, who they are and what they do.
Question 1: Why are you an advisor to CPDWL and what are you working on for CPDWL Section at the moment?
Question 2: What is one advice you have for new librarians interested in getting involved in IFLA or in their library associations for professional development?
The answers including a picture of the person were published in our blog and other social media channels. This was a good way to make the acting people in CPDWL more visible.

Do you have a URL to this accomplishment to share?
https://blogs.ifla.org/cpdwl/2023/03/05/cpdwl-standing-committee-member-highlight-ray-pun/

Title or name of project, activity, output
Newsletters

Details
Newsletters produced during the year and added to the repository.
The second newsletter 2023 was published y bit late but right before the WLIC 2023 in Rotterdam.

Do you have a URL to this accomplishment to share?
https://www.ifla.org/g/cpdwl/newsletter/

Communications

How have you communicated your Unit's work to the following stakeholders?

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Please comment on any communication or partnerships outside of your own Standing Committee

For years we partner with the Knowledge Management Section in a Knowledge Café during the WLIC with different topics and many of the SC members and Advisory group members involved. Again at the WLIC 2023 in Rotterdam we had a very successful Knowledge Café "Coming together: Sharing Community Knowledge", with many CPDWL members participating as table hosts or rapporteurs. The report about the Knowledge Café will be published by the KM Section, but also published on CPDWL pages. Again it was very clear that the colleagues enjoy participatory formats at the conference and we were able to place our coaching and mentoring support, too.

Additional Information

Did you receive Professional Council funding for 2022-2023?
No

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Which Annual Report is this?
This is our FINAL Annual Report due to the Division Committee Chair by 15-September 2023

We are ready to submit our FINAL 2022-2023 Annual Report
Yes