



IFLA Special Interest Group Library Publishing

IFLA Library Publishing SIG

Meeting 23rd February - Minutes

Attendees: Fiona Bradley, Ekaterina Shibaeva, Graham Stone, Ann Okerson, Lilly Ho, Lars Egeland, Grace Liu, Jill Claasen, Marie O'Neill, Lidia Uziel, Melanie Schlosser

Apologies: Ursula Arning, Geoffrey Little, Mimi Calter

Welcome and Introductions

JB said that Basecamp membership, the listserv and the IFLA website are being updated.

Plans for WLIC2022

Discussion about the Open Program at WLIC2022 in Dublin. Theme: Inspire, Engage, Enable, Connect. In-person only event. The event proposal must be submitted to the Professional Committee for consideration by 7th March. There is a choice of lengths and formats. MON suggested the topic of the UN Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs). FB suggested the UNESCO Open Science recommendations. The group agreed the topic should be: 'How Library Publishing Contributes to the UN SDGs' as we were likely to receive more proposals from this topic. The format of speed presentations/ignite talks was agreed: 5 x 5-minute presentations followed by a 30-minute Q&A and discussion session.

Action: JB and AO to work on proposal form

Plans for a Webinar

Discussion around an online seminar event to be held later in November around a wider theme such as Change Management and Enhancement. This theme would be open to interpretation and could receive a range of submissions on subjects such as open peer-review, migrating platform, establishing new policies, growing teams, managing change in personnel on student journals, futureproofing, etc.

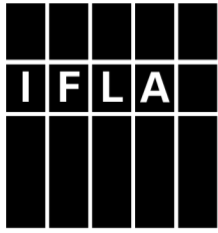
Social Media Update

JB proposed that a social media update be a standing item on meeting agendas. MON gave an update on the growing engagement and number of followers on Twitter. She suggested submitting a LibPub SIG poster to WLIC2022 detailing activities, membership, contact details, etc. Poster abstract must be submitted by 18th March.

Action: MON, ES and GL to work on the poster

AOB

ES asked when the Global Map will be updated, and AO and GL said this will go live in April.



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