

August 2022- August 2023 - Annual Report Form

Unit Information

Please enter current information below.

Unit Name

Environment, Sustainability and Libraries Section (ENSULIB)

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Unit Member Contributions

Please describe the contributions of the Unit members

Role

Chair

Name of Unit member

Harri Sahavirta

Contributions

Unit's administrative duties, incl. Action Plan & Annual report (chair), marketing ENSULIB (papers, interviews, articles, Newsletter), IFLA Green Library Award 2023 (organizer), programme committee of "Let's Go Green!": The second international conference on green libraries, 2023

Role

Secretary

Name of Unit member

Petra Hauke

Contributions

Unit's administrative duties, marketing ENSULIB (papers, interviews, articles, Newsletter), IFLA Green Library Award 2023 (organizer), Book Project, Tools for Green Libraries, Translations (organizer)

Role

Information Coordinator

Name of Unit member

Priscilla Pun

Contributions

Unit's administrative duties, Social Media team (chair), IFLA Green Library Award, the book project, Webinars

Role

Member

Name of Unit member

Jacqueline Bredlid

Contributions

Social media team (&Twitter), Satellite meeting 2023 (organizer)

Role

Member

Name of Unit member

Vivienne Byrd

Contributions

Translations, the book project, webinars (facilitating, supporting presenting), WLIC 2023 Co-hosting and presenting Science & Tech Section's open session

Role

Member

Name of Unit member

Kristine Deksne

Contributions

IFLA Green Library Award (organizer), Newsletter (editor)

Role

Member

Name of Unit member

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Contributions

Social Media team, Satellite meeting 2023 (organizer), IFLA Green Library Award reviewer

Role

Member

Name of Unit member

Amanda Fie

Contributions

Social Media team, Satellite meeting 2023 (organizer), IFLA Green Library Award reviewer

Role

Member

Name of Unit member

Eva Hackenberg

Contributions

Newsletter, editor (June 2023), Green Library Poster (contact person, coordination), Marketing ENSULIB (presentations)

Role

Member

Name of Unit member

Antonia Mocatta

Contributions

Webinar series (Co-facilitator), Newsletter (co-editor), Language checks & editing, Green Library posters, Green Library Checklist, Action Plan 2022-2023
WLIC 2023

Role

Member

Name of Unit member

Rossanna Moriello

Contributions

Marketing ENSULIB (papers, interviews, articles, Newsletter), WLIC 2023 joint session Asia-Oceania session, programme committee of "Let's Go Green!": The second international conference on green libraries, 2023

Role**Name of Unit member**

Arnold Mwanzu

Contributions

Satellite meeting 2022, IFLA Green Library Award reviewer, Social Media team

Role

Member

Name of Unit member

Katharine Portugal

Contributions

Social Media team, Satellite Meeting 2023 (organizer)

Role

Member

Name of Unit member

Janet Wagner

Contributions

Newsletter, Green Library poster, the Green Library Checklist.

Role

Member

Name of Unit member

Amelie Valloton

Contributions

WLIC 2022 & 2023 Open Sessions, IFLA Green Library Award reviewer

Role

Member

Name of Unit member

Beth Filar Williams

Contributions

WLIC 2022 & 2023 Open Sessions, IFLA Green Library Award reviewer

Role

Member

Name of Unit member

Rosario Toril Moreno

Contributions

Reviewer for the IFLA Green Library Award 2023, Tools and resources for green libraries (Chair), Reviewer for the Green Library posters.

Role

Member

Name of Unit member

Ana Zdravje

Contributions

IFLA Green Library Award 2023 reviewer, Satellite meeting WLIC 2023, social media team (logo design, etc.), Newsletter

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

New members: Storbjörn Nilsson (Sweden) and Vivienne Byrd (USA) and co-opt. Amanda Fie. Two original members resigned: Camille Delaune and Edgardo Civallero

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?**

5

How many of these meetings were open meetings (where those beyond the Standing Committee were invited)?

1

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

FLA Green Library Award 2023

Details

About 40 submissions were reviewed by 24 reviewers. Finalists have been published and introduced (website, Social media) and winners were announced at Award session, WLIC 2023

Do you have a URL to this accomplishment to share?

<https://www.ifla.org/g/environment-sustainability-and-libraries/ifla-green-library-award/>

Title or name of project, activity, output

Presentation of sustainable library initiatives (papers, articles)

Details

Chair, secretary and SC member have held several papers introducing ENSULIB, including the planning of The second international conference on Green Libraries to be held in 9 & 10 November 2023.

Do you have a URL to this accomplishment to share?

<https://letsogreen.nsk.hr/>

Title or name of project, activity, output

Publication - book

Details

The publication has been approved by de Grueter and the editorial board has been formed. Editorial work begins autumn 2023.

Do you have a URL to this accomplishment to share?

Title or name of project, activity, output

Tools and resources for green libraries

Details

Green Library Website has been created and includes:
Definition of green and sustainable library with several translations
Also:

A Green Library Toolbox has been finished
A Green Library Checklist: Review, update, and published

Do you have a URL to this accomplishment to share?

<https://www.ifla.org/the-green-library-website/>

Title or name of project, activity, output

Green library poster (for libraries to make their own poster)

Details

Original Action plan activity "Green library tips: develop an infographic or poster containing a list of simple, easy to implement tips for green libraries" was realized in a modified form.

Do you have a URL to this accomplishment to share?

<https://www.ifla.org/the-green-library-poster/>

Title or name of project, activity, output

Communication plan

Details

Communication plan (1. phase) includes planning and organizing SoMe activities, Web Page Updates.

Communication plan includes also the principle that ENSULIB Communications Are Sustainable: ENSULIB chooses to communicate electronically and meet virtually wherever possible, to reduce its carbon footprint.

Do you have a URL to this accomplishment to share?**Title or name of project, activity, output**

Webinar series

Details

ENSULIB arranged 5 successful webinars during the 2022-2023 term

Do you have a URL to this accomplishment to share?

<https://www.ifla.org/g/environment-sustainability-and-libraries/ifla-ensulib-webinar-series/>

Title or name of project, activity, output

Newsletter

Details

ENSULIB publish its official newsletter twice a year.

Do you have a URL to this accomplishment to share?

<https://www.ifla.org/the-ifla-ensulib-newsletter-project/>

Title or name of project, activity, output

Inclusion through multi-lingual publications (= translations)

Details

Core documents are translated into several languages by volunteers.

Do you have a URL to this accomplishment to share?

<https://www.ifla.org/the-green-library-website/>

Title or name of project, activity, output

ENSULIB Actively Seeks Collaboration with Other IFLA Units

Details

ENSULIB has invited contact persons into our SC meetings and will have joint Open sessions in WLIC 2023 with Library Buildings and Equipment section and Asia-Oceanian regional committee.

Do you have a URL to this accomplishment to share?**Title or name of project, activity, output**

Unit's management and working developed

Details

SC reflects it's own working methods continuously and attempts to find more efficient ways to work: working groups, individual duties, meeting schedules etc.

Do you have a URL to this accomplishment to share?**Title or name of project, activity, output**

Satellite meeting in LocHal, Tilburg

Details

Satellite meeting will be arranged on 19 August 2023 in Tilburg, with Public Libraries Section (PLS) , in collaboration with Bibliotheek Midden-Brabant, LocHal (Tilburg). The satellite meeting was success with about 40 participants.

Do you have a URL to this accomplishment to share?

<https://www.ifla.org/events/ifla-wlic-satellite-meeting-2023-libraries-as-actors-of-climate-empowerment/>

Title or name of project, activity, output

Applying DUIA

Details

ENSULIB won the DUIA and received it at the closing session in WLIC 2023.

Do you have a URL to this accomplishment to share?

Communications

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

	Standing Committee Members	IFLA members registered to your Section	Other IFLA Committees	The field at large
Newsletter	X	X	X	X
Webpage	X	X	X	X
Blog post				
Mailing list	X	X		X
Social Media	X	X	X	X
Basecamp	X			

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

ENSULIB search actively partnerships from IFLA HQ (Claire) and other sections but also regional committees. ENSULIB members participate (for example) external conference organizers, like the Second International Green Library Conference, and give presentations at conferences, like CENL 2023, Paris.

Additional Information

Did you receive Professional Council funding for 2022-2023?

Yes

How does the Unit plan to measure the impact of the funded output?

Funding for IFLA Green Library Award VIDEO will be added to the ENSULIB website and it will help to advocate the Award and made it better known. The impact may measured by the number of viewers. Video shootings were begun in summer 2023 (Rotterdam) but the some reshootings are needed. (Ongoing)

Please use this space to provide any additional information you would like to share about the Unit's activities for the year:

ENSULIB Standing Committee has been very active and we have been able to proceed with all activities mentioned in our Action plan but also arrange a Satellite meeting in Tilburg before WLIC 2023.