

CLS Professional Development Committee

Virtual Meeting Transcript

Jan. 9, 2009

blackprotea:I did not hear back from many of the states I contacted in the Midwest

oharalibrarian (owner):Oops, 2:10pm and 2:11pm

stflibrarian:Oh, thanks Elin.

cgguthro:Do we know if ACRL requires the chapters to report on any of their activities and if so could we have access to some of that from ACRL headquarters?

oharalibrarian (owner):I didn't hear back from ANY of the East Coast ACRL Chpts

turner@waldorf.edu:I only heard back from one of 5 - no response at all from the others.

blackprotea:ACRL does have a chapter for chapter report twice a year that is published

oharalibrarian (owner):They would indeed have to report those activities. We'd also like to include non-ACRL college library CE activities too though.

blackprotea:ACRL Chapters Council also requires everyone to let them know what conferences and workshops their state is hosting for librarians

cgguthro:Should we then also be looking to state/regional library associations to see what sort of academic programming they are providing?

blackprotea:That is a good idea CLEM

oharalibrarian (owner):Ditto.

blackprotea:On the Missouri State Library Page e.g. they have a calendar of ongoing CE activities in their state

blackprotea:KS has a similar setup for theirs and the librarian listerv tells us also what is happening all the time

oharalibrarian (owner):Neat idea Gloria- we can comb the State Lib. web pgs for this info .too

cgguthro:How narrowly are we defining "library professional development"? We have an Educause affiliate here in the northeast (NERCOMP) that does a lot of good CE that is relevant

oharalibrarian (owner):I'm not sure we had discussed how narrowly we wanted to define it, Clem.

oharalibrarian (owner):So I'd throw that info. in too. Can't hurt.

blackprotea:If we were only looking at ACRL sponsored programs, then many of the ones I sent in would not fit because they are all across the board

stflibrarian:I think that we can be broad in our inclusion of CE or professional development

oharalibrarian (owner):Ditto.

blackprotea:I agree

blackprotea:That would be good for librarians in a specific state who needs that info

stflibrarian:Marcia and Jennifer, what do you think?

oharalibrarian (owner):'Kay, so we'll contact the State Libraries for the CHpts that haven't responded and look at the State Libs. web pgs. If that yields no info., then I think someone suggested emailing the state libraries' list-servs for info...

oharalibrarian (owner):That's a good idea too.

blackprotea:Elin, should we make a request to chapters council at Midwinter and ask reps for help?

oharalibrarian (owner):Yes, Gloria, good idea.

oharalibrarian (owner):Since you'll be there, can you make that plea?

blackprotea:I have just sent a message to Anna Salyer the secretary, asking how to get on the agenda, on our meeting's behalf

oharalibrarian (owner):Thank you!!

blackprotea:is that ok?

blackprotea:Ok

stflibrarian:that sounds good to me.

oharalibrarian (owner):That's great!

oharalibrarian (owner):So, we will compile the final document hopefully by ACRL, we can discuss gaps in Prof. Devel. opportunities at the mtng. there, but keep copious minutes for those who can't attend...

cgguthro:sounds reasonable

stflibrarian:Elin, who will receive the final document? Do we need to give a copy to the CLS Exec Comm.?

oharalibrarian (owner):And just a heads-up, there are things that our Comm. has to do for Annual that I'll email everyone about in the Spring, like a topic of discussion for the Prof. Devel. Disc. Group...

oharalibrarian (owner):No, it's just a list for us.

oharalibrarian (owner):...and some other minutiae.

oharalibrarian (owner):So Gloria, pending getting on the agenda, you'll bring up the matter of the missing info. and get back to us via email? And the rest of us in the meantime will start emailing the State Libs. and/or looking at their web pgs.

oharalibrarian (owner):the missing ones, that is.

blackprotea:I will do that

blackprotea:I will let you know what happens and get you anything I get from that meeting

oharalibrarian (owner):Great, we appreciate it.

oharalibrarian (owner):Anything else?

cgguthro:no

blackprotea:no..

stflibrarian:Elin, would you like me to send an email to the others who couldn't make this meeting (Diane, Marifran, Jennifer R.) to let them know our next step?

oharalibrarian (owner):Samantha, that would be great. Thank you.

oharalibrarian (owner):I know several of us have to be at 3pm meetings, so I'll save a copy of the chat for our minutes and email Irene Herold & Adam Burling.

stflibrarian:Everyone can forward any info they receive from the state libs and I will continue to add it to the draft document.

blackprotea:Will do

oharalibrarian (owner):Will do.

oharalibrarian (owner):OK, signing off then. Thank you all for making the time to meet on a Friday afternoon.

cgguthro:have a good weekend everyone

blackprotea:Bye everyone. Have a wonderful weekend!

stflibrarian:Thanks everyone. Bye for now.

***** at 2:53 PM blackprotea left the room

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***** at 2:53 PM marciaatames left the room