

RBMS Collection Development Discussion Group
Disneyland Hotel, Congo
Anaheim, CA, ALA Annual
Saturday, June 23, 2012
10:30 am – 12:00 pm

Draft Agenda:

1. Welcome and introductions
2. Reports from attendees on recent acquisitions and hires
3. Discussion Topic:

Allocating (Dwindling) Collection Development Budgets. Questions for discussion include:

- How are collection development (CD) budgets allocated at your library and/or within your department?
- How has the recent economic crisis affected your CD budget(s)? Have there been any positive outcomes?
- What impact has allocations for e-resources had on your library's special collections CD budget?
- How does your department balance collection curators' sometimes competing interests and needs?

4. Suggested topics for next Collection Development Discussion Group meeting

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