

Instruction & Information Literacy Committee
Meeting minutes, June 29, 2013

Old Business

Repository of teaching and assessment materials:

Juliann: Mandy is liaison to ASA; Juliann is liaison to AAA;
chatting with these orgs talking about instruction materials and assessment materials;
this committee wants a repository of teaching materials; (background).

Mandy reports: going to ASA conference in August; informal round table discussion planned
collaboration between faculty and librarians to create repository of assignments that integrate IL and
Assessment!;

Sally & Pauline in conversations with Mandy, Ed Kain (prof.), Adam and Juliann;

Dianne Pike (prof., editor of TRAILS) interested in project;

TRAILS is closed/subscription (Pauline did a review of it in ANSS Currents a few years ago);

AAA has a nice repository for their members; open access; filtering capabilities.

How do we build a repository?

Background - institution specific attached to committee chair; changed; not used;

Ideas?

ACRL had suggested using MERLOT

Audience?

Librarians main audience, but wouldn't refuse professors

Funding?

Looking for low tech, free to get started

invest in more sophisticated software, etc., once we hit some critical mass of learning objects;

tied to standards, include assessment;

submission form

any learning object acceptable (lesson plan, tutorial, screencast, etc.);

basic metadata could include subject area, student level, other tags

include bibliography of publications relating to instruction, assessment?

curate a list on the side?

New Business.

5-year review of ANSS standards:

ACRL standards also being overhauled - task force beginning work now;

recommended to ANSS not to radically alter standards and wait out the ACRL outcomes;

((2014 Las Vegas ACRL theme next year may be financial literacy))

Access to existing ANSS standards;

highlight them better on the ANSS website? - point out that these standards are based in the main ACRL
standards, tailored to help in discipline specific - how to we link among standards

Use ANSS webspace to have a PDF, introductory/accessible language, ideas on how to talk about standards with faculty, etc.;

Currents article - call to arms for repository, standards revision on the horizon, raise awareness;

Brochure of standards that's more accessible, sell to faculty;

standards and info lit are for librarians - problems of jargon, etc.

problem with anthro and soci combined in standards?

critical thinking

working with faculty to translate IL standards into language used by the disciplines, faculty;

value of academic libraries;

AGenda for midwinter is to follow up on all this stuff

New co-chair -

Pauline will forward an e-mail from someone interested;

will also e-mail the attendees for additional interest

Adjourned

End minutes