

GLA Interest Group Council
GLA Midwinter Meeting – January 16, 2015

Present: Benjamin Barton – Chair, Emily Thornton – Vice Chair

Chairs gathered updated contact information for chairs of all Interest Groups and will send the information to the webmaster.

There are six inactive interest groups. Rather than dissolving these groups, the council decided to give groups a status of inactive until more interest develops for them. These groups will remain in the handbook and on the website with a note of “Inactive” status.

A petition was received from Alan Lebish at Kennesaw State University for the formation of a new interest group. The petition is for a Library Facilities interest group. This would appeal to administrators, in particular. The group can discuss library renovations, sustainability, operations, management, and could have presentations at COMO on these topics.

Meeting all requirements for the creation of a new interest group according to the GLA Handbook, the council chairs recommended the formation of this new group at the Executive Board Meeting, January 16, 2015. The following action was passed at the Executive Board meeting:

PROPOSAL (Benjamin Barton): Create Library Facilities Interest Group

SECONDED (Angela Megaw)

MOTION PASSED.

Official name: Library Facilities Interest Group.

Alan Lebish will serve as Chair.

The Library Facilities Interest Group will be added to the GLA membership form and website.