Welcome & Announcements
Tessa Minchew, outgoing TSIG Chair, called the session to order, welcomed everyone, and thanked the current officers for serving over the past year. She introduced the officers for the current year: Adam Kubik, incoming chair; Daryle Maroney, vice-chair/chair-elect; and Amy Eklund, secretary. She then asked attendees to sign in on two roll sheets, one for the GLA Interest Groups Council and one for TSIG.

Statement by Incoming Chair
Adam Kubik, incoming TSIG Chair, greeted the group and introduced himself as a catalog librarian at Clayton State University. Adam thanked Tessa for her service as chair.

Suggestions for COMO 2009 Programs
Adam then asked for suggestions for programs for COMO 2009.

Jack Fisher suggested a Technical Services Pecha Kucha; the Pecha Kucha done at COMO 2008 was very successful. The pros and cons of the Pecha Kucha format were discussed, and Cathy Jeffrey wondered whether enough topics could be found to do another one in 2009. Tessa volunteered to put together the Pecha Kucha for 2009, including some questions from the audience if there weren’t enough topics to fill the entire allotted time. If there are any further suggestions for the Pecha Kucha, contact Tessa (Tessa.Minchew@gpc.edu)
The Ask Technical Services session was then discussed. Cathy Jeffrey gave some background on the evolution of this session. For COMO 2009, the meeting attendees discussed having a more focused discussion during the Ask Technical Services Session using topics solicited in advance.

Shelley Rogers inquired about having a guest speaker for technical services, either at the Ask Tech. Svcs. session or a stand-alone session; she mentioned Janet Swan Hill as a speaker possibility. Cathy brought up funding issues; TSIG has no budget for guest speakers, so funding from GLA would have to be obtained, and the speaker would need to have broader appeal beyond Technical Services to obtain this funding. Daryle Maroney suggested a speaker from Vanderbilt University who could speak on the future of catalogs and open-source catalogs.

Cathy suggested that Technical Services programming at COMO needed to draw in more public library staff. Jack Fisher said he had been to a conference in North Carolina that had technical services programs which catered to a wider variety of technical services staff and that he would look through his conference programs for ideas.

Cathy and Tessa mentioned that COMO lacked acquisitions programming in the past few years. Shelley suggested an acquisitions panel, with acquisitions representatives from several different types of libraries.

Other suggested topics for COMO 2009:
- New series tracing policies due to MARC field 440 being made obsolete
- RDA
- Status of Technical Services in library education
- Technical Services workflow issues under tighter budgets

**Next Meeting**
GaCOMO, October 7-9, 2009, Columbus, GA
Meeting adjourned at 2:00PM

Respectfully submitted,
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Secretary