

Georgia Library Association Technical Service Interest Group (TSIG)
Interest Group Meeting Minutes
Thursday, October 05, 2017 – 1:30pm to 2:15pm

EVENT & LOCATION

2017 Georgia Library Conference
Columbus Convention and Trade Center, Columbus, Georgia

ATTENDANCE (Total 26)

Sandra Barclay, Kennesaw State University
Eric Van Bibber, Columbus State University
Lee Dalzell, Georgia Southern University (retired)
Robin Fay, University of North Georgia
Bokshim Fox, Georgia Southwestern State University
Rick Goodin, Kennesaw State University
Guy Frost, Valdosta State University
Tara Hagan, Thomas University
Elaine Hardy, Georgia Public Library Service
Laura Herndon, Clayton State University
Carey Huddlestun, Kennesaw State University
Charmaine Johnson, Atlanta-Fulton Public Library System
Felisha Kendrix, University of West Georgia
Hyun Chu Kim, Kennesaw State University
Wendy Knight, Troup-Harris Regional Library System
Alexis Linoski, Georgia Institute of Technology
Tiffany Little, Georgia Public Library Service
Amy Parsons, Columbus State University
Jacqueline Radebaugh, Columbus State University
Holli Redden, Columbus State University
Jim Rickerson, Gordon State College
Shelley Rogers, University of West Georgia
Debra Skinner, Georgia Southern University
Sofia Slutskaaya, Georgia Institute of Technology
Robert Taylor, Valdosta State University
Emily Williams, Kennesaw State University

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Discussion

Chair Shelley Rogers called the meeting to order at 1:30pm and opened the floor for discussion.

The discussion focused on issues with Alma. Among the issues discussed were the complexity of configuring Primo, particularly vendor records (Guy Frost), changing procedures and processes (Amy Parsons), and the need for more step-by-step training (Jim Rickerson).

Elaine Hardy suggested contacting PINES staff since they have experience developing shared system policies, procedures, and training. Other ideas presented were offering a technical service pre-conference training in conjunction with the 2018 Georgia Library Conference.

Shelley Rogers, TSiG Chair, encouraged the use of online resources such as GA2CAT@listserv.uga.edu, GA3CAT@listserv.uga.edu, and LibAnswers to help answer some of these issues and to help make these needs and issues known. (See GIL Listservs at <https://sites.google.com/view/g3almatraining/support/listservs>). Shelley Rogers also encouraged the group to press for this type training when we are asked for conference and workshop ideas.

New Business

Officer Election

Shelley Rogers called for TSiG 2018 Chair nominations. Alexis Linoski of the Georgia Institute of Technology was nominated and elected as 2018 Vice-Chair.

Adjournment

Meeting adjourned at 2:15pm

Respectfully submitted,
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Secretary