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Program for Cooperative Cataloging

BIBCO: Monographic Bibliographic Record Cooperative Program



Program for Cooperative Cataloging

CONSER: Cooperative Online Serials Program



Program for Cooperative Cataloging

NACO: Name Authority Cooperative Program



Program for Cooperative Cataloging

SACO: Subject Authority Cooperative Program

A New Volume...

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Welcome back to the PCC Comm Channel! This begins the 2nd volume of the quarterly bulletin of the Program for Cooperative Cataloging (PCC). We will continue providing the features that drew the audience in, work to improve the unflattering bugs not in our favor, and develop new elements that increase the coverage of the PCC.

The PCC Communication Board (that's us) were born of the PCC strategic plan for 2018-2021, titled "[Strategic Directions: January 2018-December 2021](#)." In our pilot year (2018-2019) we developed the communication practices and tools that were strategically directed and will continue to do so ([read more about our charge](#)).

The 2nd volume continues the intended product of our pilot. In the 1st volume, we tried out a variety of things each quarter to determine what worked and what didn't, working to improve with each issue. Throughout the year, we again encourage your [feedback](#) on what you like and what is not working, as well as suggestions for potential changes and improvements. The first "C" in "PCC" stands for "Cooperative," and we take that to heart--our "C" for "Communication" cannot be effective without everyone's cooperation!

Sincerely,

The PCC Communication Board



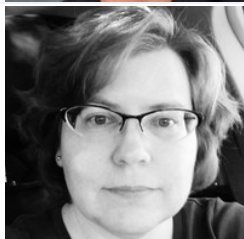
Michelle Hahn is the Sound Recordings Cataloger at Indiana University, and was the Music Catalog Librarian at Southern Methodist University. Michelle is *Newsletter* Editor for the Music Library Association, Vice Chair/Chair-Elect for the Music OCLC Users Group, and the Assistant Web Editor for the International Association of Music Libraries and Documentation Centres. She is a member of the NACO Music Project funnel and serves as the *PCC Comm Channel* Editor for the PCC Communication Board.



Kate Harcourt is the Director of Original and Special Materials Cataloging at Columbia University. She has been involved in the PCC since 1995 serving as a BIBCO cataloger, trainer, member of numerous committees, BIBCO manual reviser, strategic planner and PoCo voting member. She was PoCo Chair from 2015-2016. Currently Kate is filling Gene Dickerson's term on PoCo and enjoying her appointment to the PCC Communication Board.



Casey Mullin is Head of Cataloging and Metadata Services at Western Washington University. He formerly served as Music Cataloger at the New York Public Library and as Head of Data Control for Stanford University Libraries. He served as chair of the Music Library Association's Vocabularies Subcommittee and its RDA Music Implementation Task Force. Casey serves as chair of the ALCTS Subject Access Committee's Subcommittee on Faceted Vocabularies. He also serves on PoCo and the PCC Communication Board.



Candy Riley is Manager of Metadata Services at MARCIVE, Inc. She started as Authority Librarian in 2011 and continues to oversee the company's NACO participant section, contributing NACO records as well as creating training materials and instructing staff on NACO procedures and emerging cataloging guidelines. She is a member of the ALCTS Subject Access Committee Subcommittee on Faceted Vocabulary as well as the PCC Communication Board.

PCC 25th Anniversary Celebration report from ALA 2019 Vol. 2, No. 1 [3]

This year marked the 25th Anniversary of the PCC. The PCC Participant's Meeting at ALA in Washington, D.C., was a celebration of PCC's history. There were a few brief talks, activities, and refreshments to celebrate. Speakers included Xiaoli Li (UC Davis), Lori Robare (University of Oregon), Cynthia Whitacre (OCLC), Beacher Wiggins (LC), Becky Culbertson (UC San Diego), and Chris Cronin (Columbia University). The topics included a review of PCC's history with LC, OCLC, and MarcEdit (including a standing ovation for Terry Reese), as well as a look forward to PCC's future. OCLC helped sponsor the gourmet cupcake catering and provided prizes for the trivia game - which was really more of a

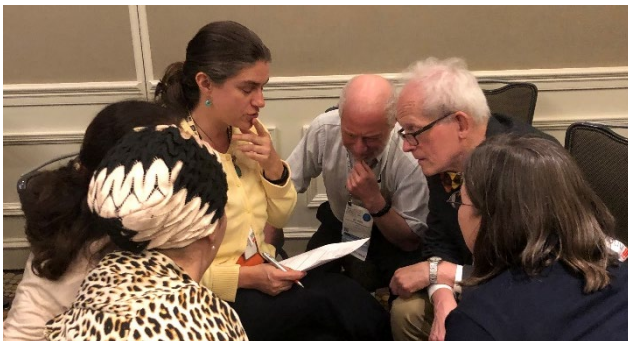
3 page PCC exam. Look for the questions and answers in this newsletter and see how well you do! We had a lot of fun and look forward to the next 25 years of PCC.



Below: Delicious cupcakes provided by OCLC

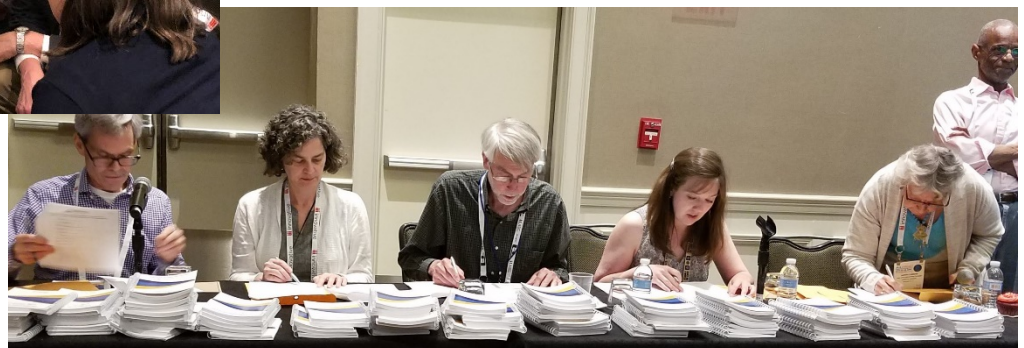


Above: Past PCC Chairs: [back] Chris Cronin (Columbia University), Philip Schreur (Stanford University), Michael Kaplan, John Riemer (UCLA), Robert Wolven (Columbia University); [front] Marjorie Bloss, Carlen Ruschoff, Kate Harcourt (Columbia University), Lori Robare (University of Oregon), Xiaoli Li (UC Davis), Linda Barnhart (RDA Steering Committee), Beth Picknally-Camden (University of Pennsylvania), Rebecca Mugridge (SUNY Albany), Jennifer Baxmeyer (Princeton University)



Left: Trivia winners pictured clockwise from bottom left: Magda Fathy Gad (Stanford University), Prema Desai (Stanford University), Melanie Polutta (Library of Congress), Jay Weitz (OCLC), Mark Scharff (Washington University), Beth Picknally-Camden (University of Pennsylvania)

Right: Trivia judges from LC [left to right]: Paul Frank, Manon Th  roux, Les Hawkins, Veronica Ranieri, Judith Cannan, Beacher Wiggins



Who Are You...

PCC Policy Committee (PoCo)

The following candidates were elected to the PCC PoCo and will begin a three-year term on October 1, 2019:

New At-Large Members

Chair-Elect



Melanie Wacker is Metadata Coordinator at Columbia University Libraries. She works with her colleagues to ensure the integration of digital metadata with local and national systems to enable information discovery. She provides guidance on best practices, and develops, documents, and maintains standards and procedures for metadata for digital content. In her role as chair of the Metadata Group, she facilitates information exchange across departmental boundaries. Other responsibilities of her position include cataloging of electronic resources, German language materials, and NACO/SACO work. Melanie is the chair of the MODS/MADS Editorial Committee, a member of the PCC Standing Committee on Training and consultant to the PCC Task Group on URIs in MARC. Melanie will serve as Chair-Elect for the next term.



Nancy Lorimer is Head of the Metadata Department at Stanford University. She is a NACO/SACO Music reviewer and Coordinator of the SACO Music Funnel Project. She is currently a member of the Standing Committee on Training, the Task Group on Linked Data Best Practices, co-chair of the SCT 3R/LRM Task Group, and a consultant to the Task Group on URIs in MARC.



Isabel Quintana is the Technical Services Manager for East Asian Resources at Harvard. At Harvard she has served on task groups on RDA instruction, cataloging policy, and technical services innovations. She has been an active participant in the PCC programs, especially NACO, BIBCO and SACO for many years. She's served on various committees at ALA, primarily with the Anthropology and Sociology Section of ACRL. She is currently a member of the Standing Committee on Standards.

Meet Your New PCC Task and Advisory Groups

Task Group on Metadata Application Profiles

Reporting to the PCC Policy Committee (PoCo), the PCC Task Group on Metadata Application Profiles is charged to:

1. Define MAPs in the PCC context
2. Perform an environmental scan of current work in this space, and identify “prior art”
3. Determine what shareable application profiles means in the PCC context (i.e. what is the appropriate level of agreement among PCC Libraries?)
4. Collaborate with the LD4P2 profiles groups, as appropriate
5. Monitor ongoing LD4P2 PCC Cohort discussions (via the two email discussion lists) to track questions and concerns that may have an impact on PCC MAPs
6. Recommend actions to PoCo for a plan to create and maintain profiles that meet stated use cases for application profiles

Who Are You...cont.

Members

Co-Chair

Jackie Shieh is Descriptive Data Management Librarian at the Smithsonian Libraries. She previously worked as the Resource Description Coordinator for George Washington University Libraries, the Catalog Librarian at Georgia State University Law Library, the Original Cataloger for Electronic Resources for University of Virginia Library, and the Team Leader for Special Collections and Projects at the University of Michigan Library. Over the years, she has been involved in metadata projects related to the Web, e.g. TEI; OCLC's InerCat, CORC projects; ALCTS, CC:DA, PCC's task groups: URIs in MARC, BIBFRAME mapping of BIBCO and BF, and Linked Data Best Practices.

Co-Chair



Myung-Ja (MJ) K. Han is a Metadata Librarian at the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign. Her research interests include interoperability of metadata, relationships between collection description and item-level metadata, issues on bibliographic control in the digital library environment, and semantic web and linked data. She has been a member of the PCC Linked Data Advisory Committee and is currently on the Task Group on Linked Data Best Practices.



Chew Chiat Naun is Head of Metadata Creation at Harvard Library and worked previously at Cornell University. He is active in the Program for Cooperative Cataloging as Co-Chair (with Ed Jones) of the Standing Committee on Standards. In addition, he co-chairs the Task Group on URIs in MARC and the Task Group on Linked Data Best Practices.



Cynthia M. Whitacre is Manager, Metadata Policy, at OCLC. She has been the OCLC BIBCO liaison since the BIBCO program began in the early days of PCC and continues in that role. She has served on various PCC Task Groups in the past and is currently the OCLC representative on the PCC Policy and Steering Committees. Cynthia has been active in ALA, having been elected to serve in the past as CaMMS Chair (under prior name CCS), and subsequently as ALCTS President (2010-11). Prior to working at OCLC, Cynthia was a cataloger in academic and special libraries.



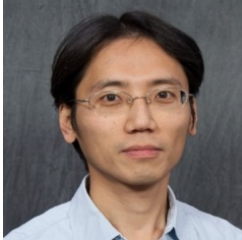
Honor Moody is a Metadata Creation Manager at the Harvard Library Information and Technical Services unit. She is currently a member of the Task Group on Linked Data Best Practices, and serves as the BIBCO coordinator for Harvard Library.



Jodi Williamschen works in the Network Development and MARC Standards Office at the Library of Congress and is a member of the newly-formed PCC Task Group on Linked Data Best Practices. Before joining the Library in 2017, she held various positions at Innovative Interfaces in Emeryville, Calif. Jodi attended PCC meetings as a representative for the SkyRiver bibliographic utility and was a vendor representative to the PCC Task Group on URIs.



Les Hawkins has been CONSER Coordinator since 2004 and is presently a program coordinator in the Cooperative and Instructional Programs Division at Library of Congress. In that capacity, he supports the annual meetings of the PCC Operations Committee and the PCC Policy Committee. Les has served on numerous PCC task groups over the years including most recently the CONSER BIBFRAME Task Group, the PCC BIBFRAME Task Group and the PCC Task Group on URIs in MARC. He has participated in the development and delivery of many PCC training sessions over the years, including RDA training and BIBFRAME training for participants in the LC BIBFRAME Pilot 2.0.



Lucas Mak is Metadata and Catalog Librarian at Michigan State University Libraries (MSUL). He supervises a small team of metadata librarians and oversees non-MARC metadata creation and maintenance for the MSUL digital repository. He is the NACO coordinator for MSUL and coordinator for the Michigan NACO Funnel. He is currently serving a two-year term as NACO representative to the PCC Operations Committee meeting and he is a member of the Standing Committee on Applications.



Nancy Lorimer is Head of the Metadata Department at Stanford University. She is a NACO/SACO Music reviewer and Coordinator of the SACO Music Funnel Project. She is currently a member of the Standing Committee on Training, the Task Group on Linked Data Best Practices, co-chair of the SCT 3R/LRM Task Group, and a consultant to the Task Group on URIs in MARC.



Steven Folsom is Discovery Metadata Librarian at Cornell University. He is currently a member of the Task Group on URIs in MARC and chair of the Linked Data Advisory Committee. He is a consultant to the Standing Committee on Standards and he started a 3-year term as Representative-at-Large to the PCC Policy Committee in October 2018.

Liaisons

DCMI Profiles Group



Karen Coyle is a librarian with nearly four decades of experience with library technology. She engages in a variety of areas relating to digital libraries. Karen has published dozens of articles and reports, most available on her web site, kcoyle.net. She has served on standards committees including the MARC standards group (MARBI), NISO committee AX for the OpenURL standard, and was an ALA representative to the e-book standards development that led to the ePub standard. She follows, writes, and speaks on a wide range of policy areas, including intellectual property, privacy, and public access to information. She is currently investigating the possibilities offered by the semantic web and linked data technology, working with the Dublin Core Metadata Initiative and taking part in standards efforts of the World Wide Web Consortium.

PCC PoCo



Heather Pretty is a Cataloging Librarian at Memorial University of Newfoundland and an incoming At-Large Representative to the PCC Policy Committee. Her previous PCC involvement includes Lead for NACO Institutional Membership at Memorial University of Newfoundland since 2011, and Coordinator for the NACO Atlantic Canada Funnel since 2014. Heather also brings relevant knowledge to PoCo from a one-year “Learning Linked Data” sabbatical, which included an exploration of library options for the transition to a BIBFRAME environment and opportunities for library involvement in other Linked Data initiatives. Additionally, through her work with the Canadian Linked Data Initiative, Heather and a group of colleagues are interested in exploring Canadian readiness for BIBFRAME.

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Consultants

British Library



Corine Deliot is a Metadata Analyst at the British Library. She works to support implementation of the Library's Collection Metadata Strategy and the development of its linked and open data services. Corine is a member of the ISNI Board and has previously represented the British Library on the MARC Advisory Committee and on the BIBFRAME Early Implementers Group. She is currently a consultant to the Task Group on URIs in MARC.

National Library of Medicine



Nancy Fallgren is the Senior Metadata Librarian in the Cataloging and Metadata Management Section of the Technical Services Division at the National Library of Medicine. She has been involved in promoting linked data in libraries since representing NLM on the BIBFRAME Early Experimenters group in 2012. Nancy served initially as a consultant and currently as a member of the PCC Task Group on URIs in MARC (PCC URI Task Group). Her involvement with the PCC URI Task Group includes membership in its Real World Object subgroup, chairing the subgroup on MARC Object Reconciliation, and drafting and defending its MAC Discussion Papers and Proposals. This year, in addition to being elected to the PCC Policy Committee, Nancy is serving on the PCC Task Group on Linked Data Best Practices.

LC-PCC Task Group on Aggregates in Beta RDA Toolkit (PDF)

The LC-PCC Task Group on Aggregates in Beta RDA Toolkit is charged to:

- Evaluate the instructions in Beta RDA Toolkit regarding aggregates and make recommendations on LC-PCC Policy Statements that might be needed for LC-PCC cataloging.
- Identify any existing LC-PCC documentation (e.g., BSR, CSR, DCM Z1, NACO training materials, etc.) that might need revision to align with the group's policy recommendations.
- Identify any new documentation (e.g. Beta RDA Toolkit user- contributed documents, application profiles, etc.) that might need to be created in response to the group's policy recommendations.

Members

Library of Congress (LC)

Paul Frank (*Co-Chair*)

Damian Iseminger

Program for Cooperative Cataloging (PCC)

Nancy Lorimer (*Co-Chair*)

John Hostage

Kevin Randall

Consultant

Greta de Groat

LC-PCC Task Group on Data Provenance in Beta RDA Toolkit (PDF)

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- Identify any new documentation (e.g. Beta RDA Toolkit user-contributed documents, application profiles, etc.) that might need to be created in response to the group's policy recommendations.
- Provide a brief summary of possible ways that data provenance might be implemented in linked data for future use.

Who Are You...cont.

Members

Library of Congress (LC)

Manon Thérout (Co-Chair)

Jodi Williamschen

Program for Cooperative Cataloging (PCC)

Stephen Hearn (Co-Chair)

Thurstan Young

Steve McDonald

LC-PCC Task Group on Diachronic Works in Beta RDA Toolkit (PDF)

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Les Hawkins (Co-Chair)

Steve Folsom

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Robert Rendall (Co-Chair)

Ed Jones

Steve Shadle

Consultant

Regina Reynolds

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Members

Library of Congress (LC)

Melanie Polutta (Co-Chair)

Veronica Ranieri

Program for Cooperative Cataloging (PCC)

Ryan Finnerty (Co-Chair)

Martha Sanders

Rebecca Dean

Kevin Balster

Consultant

Chew Chiat Naun

Dominique Bourassa

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NACO Advisory Group

The NACO Advisory Group is a PCC group that monitors PCC electronic distribution list discussion of NACO-related topics, and provides input when a NACO-related topic appears to be unresolved, unanswered, or ambiguously answered, in routine PCC electronic distribution list discussion. The advisory group may refer to existing NACO documentation, refer to a NACO best practice, or indicate that the topic may need additional investigation and policy discussion. This is an experimental group; results from the experimental period of one year will inform its improvement and modification.

Welcome to New Members of PCC Programs!

The following institutions have been approved for and joined PCC Programs in the third quarter:

BIBCO

[Rowan University](#) (joined New Jersey/New York BIBCO Funnel)

[University of California San Diego](#) (joined CJK BIBCO Funnel)

[George Mason University](#) (GMU) (joined Washington Research Library Consortium BIBCO Funnel)

GMU [Antonin Scalia Law School](#) (joined Washington Research Library Consortium BIBCO Funnel)

CONSER

[New Mexico State University](#) (joined as associate-level member)

NACO

[Alabama A&M University](#) (joined Florida NACO Funnel)

[Oklahoma City University](#) (joined Oklahoma "Tornado" NACO Funnel)

[Legislative Library of the Northwest Territories](#) (joined Canada NACO Funnel)

Additionally, the Washington State NACO Funnel was formed. Founding members include: [Washington State University](#); [Gonzaga University](#); [King County Library System](#); and the [Seattle Public Library](#).

PCC News & Updates

PCC Position Statement on RDA

For the past year, the Policy Committee has been deliberating a set of questions centered on the PCC's relationship to RDA. The process was triggered by the request from the PCC Linked Data Advisory Committee (LDAC). The discussions have resulted in a [document which serves as a position statement](#) that informs PCC policy and practice.

Updated PCC Provider-Neutral E-Resource MARC Record Guide Available

The July 9, 2019 revision of the PCC Provider-Neutral E-Resource MARC Record Guide: P-N/RDA version (running title: [RDA Provider-Neutral Guidelines for Serials, Integrating Resources, and Monographs](#) (DOC)) is now available on the PCC website.

The Standing Committee on Standards revised the introduction to the guidelines in order to add more background information and guidance.

The major points added are:

1. The rationale for using a provider-neutral record;
2. The history of the provider-neutral record in PCC;
3. A justification for omitting provider-specific data;
4. Additional caveats regarding the use of the provider-neutral model with streaming-media resources.

Updated Formulating and Obtaining URI's Guide Available

The June 2019 revision of [Formulating and Obtaining URIs: A Guide to Commonly Used Vocabularies and Reference Sources](#) (PDF) is now available on the PCC website.

New Classification Web User Interface Released

Classification Web 4 was released during the weekend of August 24-25, 2019. This significant upgrade to the user interface includes all of the functionality of Classification Web 3, but incorporates modern web navigation techniques and a responsive design that runs on a wide range of hardware from desktop computers to tablets and smart phones.

Subscribers will now access Classification Web 4 with the URL <https://classweb.org/Menu/>. SACO members will access the proposal system at <https://classweb.org/Proposal/>. The help documents, which include screen images, have also been revised and are available at <https://classweb.org/Help/>.

Subscribers may continue to use the current URL, <https://classificationweb.net>, which will also be upgraded during the official rollout. That URL will remain active for a time, but users are strongly encouraged to update their bookmarks to <https://classweb.org> as soon as possible. Classification Web 4 runs on Mozilla Firefox, Google Chrome, and Safari, but the navigation features do not function properly on Internet Explorer.

Classification Web is the Library of Congress' online subscription service for up-to-date access to LC classification and five controlled vocabularies: LC's subject headings, genre/form terms, demographic group terms, medium of performance terms for music, and LC's subject headings for children. The LC/NACO Name Authority File can also be searched through Classification Web. In addition, it is the interface through which new and revised classification numbers, subject headings, and terms are proposed.

PCC Program Training Meeting News

In the future LC will not be hosting the Friday afternoon PCC Program Training Meeting at either the ALA Midwinter Meeting or the ALA Annual Conference. The time allotted to us by ALA now clashes with a number of other programs participants wish to attend. Also the announcements made at this meeting are made at other meetings so there is a lot of repetition of content.

The PCC Secretariat has discussed this decision with the PCC Steering Committee and is telling you now so that you can adjust your travel plans accordingly for the next ALA Meeting.

PCC Task Group on Linked Data Best Practices

Work is reasonably well advanced on the group's final report. A draft is forthcoming for comment.

PCC Standing Committee on Applications (SCA)

SCA has developed a set of guidelines for minimally punctuated MARC records, in anticipation of a new PCC policy allowing MARC records that omit final and ISBD punctuation. They are also looking at tools to facilitate data conversions between fully and minimally punctuated records.

PCC Standing Committee on Standards (SCS)

The committee has resumed working with LC on revised policy statements arising from the recommendations of the PCC Task Group on Supplements and Special Numbers to Serials, starting with LC-PCC Policy Statement 2.12. The NACO Consultation Board has now been announced and a revised version of the provider-neutral guidelines has been posted.

*Who Are You...cont.***PCC Standing Committee on Training (SCT)**

This report summarizes SCT activities since the ALA Annual Conference in June 2019. Please address any questions to SCT chair [Beth Picknally Camden](#).

Committee members

The current SCT membership is:

Beth Picknally Camden (*Chair*)
 Melanie Wacker
 Adam Baron
 Ageo Garcia
 Nancy Lorimer
 John Hostage

Richard Stewart
 Jackie Parascandola
 Brian Stearns
 Lisa Furubotten
 Paul Frank
 Laura Ramsey

ISNI Training Task Group

The ISNI Training Task Group, chaired by John Hostage, supports the [PCC ISNI Pilot](#). The charge of this group is to develop an ISNI training curriculum for PCC ISNI participants, document procedures and workflows for creating and maintaining ISNI records, and for using ISNI tools.

The group completed a preliminary version of training documents for working with the [web version of ISNI](#). Training for the LD4P cohort that is joining the ISNI project has just launched.

LRM Training Task Group

Initially charged as the LRM/3R Training Task Group, this group has been recharged to focus solely on LRM (A new 3R group will be charged at a later date). This group is chaired by Nancy Lorimer.

The group has completed a training outline that includes 12 modules, each meant to be about 5 to 10 minutes worth of reading. Their target was to have modules ready for review before the 2019 ALA Annual Conference & Exhibition.

Minimal Punctuation Training Task Group

The group is charged to develop a training curriculum for PCC participants in minimal punctuation, based on the PCC Guidelines for Minimally Punctuated Data developed by the SCA. This task group was approved by PoCo in April, is chaired by Laura Ramsey, and will be fully formed now that the Guidelines, developed by the SCA, are complete.

Sinopia Training Task Group

The Sinopia Training Task Group under the leadership of chair Brian Stearns will develop a Sinopia training curriculum for current PCC Linked Data for Production (LD4P) cohort members and future PCC users of Sinopia.

The Task Group members include:

Brian Stearns (*Chair*)
 Beth Picknally Camden
 John Hostage
 Nancy Lorimer
 Lisa Furubotten

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Series Training/Policy Revisions

The SCT is working with the SCS on a joint process, co-coordinated by Lisa Furubotten (SCT) and Bob Maxwell (SCS).

The small group is continuing to analyze and make recommendations on sections that were previously reported as needing clarification. They targeted to have revisions ready for review before the 2019 ALA Annual Conference & Exhibition.

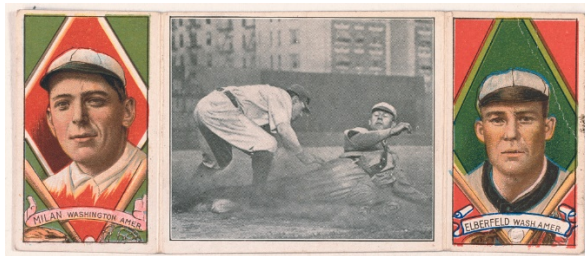
Linked Data

The SCT is working with the Linked Data Advisory Committee (LDAC) to form a joint task group. A draft charge is under review and the SCT is discussing the scope of the group. The SCT has reached out to the DCMI Teaching Metadata Interest Group hoping to collaborate.

Past SCT linked data training documents are now available: [Linked Data Training Resources Environmental Scan \(2016\)](#)

Next Steps

During the 2019 ALA Annual Conference & Exhibition, the SCT discussed the areas of Linked Data and the RDA 3R project that may need new or updated training.



*Clyde Milan/N. Elberfeld, Washington Nationals, baseball card portrait (left);
Richard Marquard/John T. Meyers, New York Giants, baseball card portrait (right);
images from Library of Congress [Benjamin K. Edwards Collection](#)*

PCC 25th Anniversary Trivia

Who was the first elected non-LC PCC chairperson?

Lucille Morsch

John Riemer

Brian Schottlaender

Sarah Thomas

In which year, CONSER and PCC were consolidated into one program?

1995

1996

1997

1998

The first PCC strategic plan covered the following time span:

1985-1990

1994-1999

2000-2005

2005-2010

Which of the following are not PCC programs?

CONSER

COIN

BIBCO

NACO

PTCP

Who Are You...cont.

What are the current names of the 3 PCC Standing Committees?

Training, Automation, Standards
 Education, Applications, Automation
Standards, Training, Applications
 Automation, Education, Policy

Which of the following Encoding Level codes is obsolete for current input?

Elvl 1
Elvl 4
 Elvl 7
 Elvl 3

Which of the following is not a participant in NACO?

Biblioteca del Congreso Nacional de Chile
National Library of Australia
 University of Macau
 MARCIVE
 Utrecht University

In some NACO records, the identifier in the 010 field begins with the letters "nr" - what does that prefix mean?

Non-Roman
RLIN
 Number
 International

Which of the following characters are retained during NACO normalization?

+
 %
 =
 *
\$

What was the last date for contributing newly-authenticated BIBCO and CONSER records based on AACR2?

January 1, 2015
 March 31, 2013
December 31, 2014
 April 1, 2014

Match the PCC program with the year the program started:

| Program | Year started |
|---------|--------------|
| BIBCO | 1977 |
| CONSER | 2008 |
| NACO | 1995 |
| SACO | 1973 |

There are over twenty countries with PCC members. How many countries can you name? Hint: you can count the constituent countries of the U.K. as separate countries.

| | |
|-----------|------------------|
| Argentina | Netherlands |
| Australia | New Zealand |
| Canada | Peru |
| Chile | Scotland |
| China | South Africa |
| Egypt | Singapore |
| England | Spain |
| Ireland | United States |
| Israel | Wales |
| Italy | Windward Islands |
| Mexico | |

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