

March 14, 2023

LSTA Cooperative Cataloging Agenda

Meeting recording: <https://youtu.be/UZhTMZ52pRk>

Housekeeping:

Where to find things - LSTA Cooperative Cataloging [folder](#)

Project [tasks and timeline](#)

Updates:

Survey and focus group follow-up:

1. What should be highlighted in the overview of current processes across systems? What is important for everyone to know? What similarities/differences in process are important to note?
 - a. Split of how things work throughout the state.
 - b. Centralized v. Cooperative processes
 - c. How sustainable is it to maintain training of cataloging staff as staff changes? This makes centralized cataloging appealing.
 - d. If a shared discovery layer is the goal, how can we dig into cataloging standards efficiently? How do overcome this barrier?
 - i. Buy in
 - ii. Identifying standards
 - iii. State-wide bibliographic standards committee
 - iv. Financial support for an authority vendor
 - v. Agreement on vocabularies
 - vi. Local Wisconsin subjects
 - vii. Inclusive subject list
 - viii. Automation techniques
 - ix. Openly sharing records throughout the state through Z39.50
2. What barriers and benefits to shared best practices/standards do you see based on the survey and focus group? From your own expertise?
 - i. Consistent patron experience
 - ii. Equitable access to authority vendor
 - iii. Mapping out best practices
3. What recommendations for potential best practices/standards do you think are a reasonable place to begin?

Native creator authority work

- Create list of name authority work we would like done
- Hire/contract with someone to do this work

Inclusive subject heading work

- What systems are willing to work with vendors before June 30?
- We don't want to leave grant money on the table

10 am March 28th Meeting link:

<https://us06web.zoom.us/j/83016875135?pwd=ZFp3STFFYlppd2lDTHlyUk5SeDRFZz09>