

Present: Kevin Walker, Kaitlyn Tanis (Co-Chair), Hallie Pritchett (Chair), Kim Copenhaver, Brett Spencer, H Pedelty, Lorely Ambriz, Allison Payne (ACRL), and Natalie Marquez

Announcements/Schedule:

- Want to finish the draft by the end of March (March 29th) and will finish up any last minute edits from April 1 - 12th in order to get the document to ACRL the week of April 15
 - ACRL staff does provide some feedback, so we can ask them within our two week time period review the document for us as well
- Usually seek feedback from other committee chairs that we might want to address
- Will need to submit an agenda request with the draft to ACRL
- Last few meetings in March:
 - Schedule two meetings in March, but will see if we need the one in mid-March to check-in
 - Aim for the week of March 25 for our last meeting to review the final draft

Notes on Document:

1. Upholding Intellectual Freedom - **Natalie, Hallie, Brett, and Kim**
 - a. Interesting article about conservative viewpoints on libraries
2. Federal Funding for Libraries - **Vivienne and Kaitlyn**
 - a. A little concerned about the ongoing budget talks and the lack of information - we will keep an eye on it, but might need to think of what might need to be in that area instead
3. Net Neutrality - **H and Lorely**
4. Emerging Technologies - **Kevin, Natalie, Vivienne, and Lorely**
5. Open Access and Federally Funded Research - **Dan and Gregory**
6. Affordable College Textbook Act - **Kaitlyn**
7. Watchlist:
 - a. Deferred Action for Childhood Arrival (DACA)/Immigration Issues - **Hallie and Brett**
 - b. Environmental Impact of Data Centers - will be combined with the new section on Emerging Technologies above - **Kevin, Natalie, Vivienne, and Lorely**
 - i. Previously discussed if we should have this as a watchlist or moving to the main section - Hallie is leaning towards moving it up to the main list
 - ii. Additional information that is included about workforce development - will leave the environment impact part on watchlist and will move Emerging Technologies up to main list
 1. Move to Number 4 on the main list
 - iii. General consensus to say yes to moving it up to the main list
 - iv. What is ACRL's position here?
 1. AI is a tool that needs education / Libraries need to think about how AI will affect the information literacy landscape / Librarians need to be a part of these conversations because we are experts
 2. Also concerned on regulation
 - v. Social Media limitations? Are there reports from higher education about mental health - an important concern.
 - c. Consumer Data Privacy - **Natalie**
 - d. Accessible Instructional Materials - **Brett**

- e. Court Cases to Watch - **Hallie and Kaitlyn**
 - i. Hallie and Kaitlyn will touch base about maybe changing the name and adding other information, especially related to the Higher Education Act