

Duke University Libraries

Updates for ALA Annual Meeting, June 2018

Highlights of activities are summarized briefly below for the ALCTS CMDS Chief Collection Development Officers of Large Research Libraries and the ALCTS Technical Services Directors of Large Research Libraries. We would be glad to provide additional information about any of these items upon request.

-Dracine Hodges, Associate University Librarian for Technical Services

-Jeff Kosokoff, Assistant University Librarian for Collection Strategy

Leadership Transitions: Bob Byrd, AUL for Collections and User Services, retired on May 11 after 40 years at Duke. Kristina Troost is stepping down as Head of International and Areas Studies, and will be focusing on her role as Japanese Studies Librarian. New appointments resulting from these changes:

- Dave Hansen, formerly Duke's Director of Copyright and Scholarly Communications became Associate UL for Research, Collections and Scholarly Communication (effective May 1)
- Jeff Kosokoff, formerly Duke's Head of Collection Strategy and Development became Assistant UL for Collection Strategy. Jeff will be Duke's primary collection representative in most contexts, including CCDO. (effective May 1)
- Holly Ackerman will expand her role at Duke when she begins her appointment as Head of International and Area Studies and Librarian for Latin American, Iberian and Latino/a Studies (effective July 1)

Duke and FOLIO: The FOLIO Project is progressing with deep involvement from many Duke staff on working groups and project teams. The community recently came together in Durham, NC via the first official World Open Library Foundation Conference ([WOLFcon](#)). With additional funding from the Provost, Duke is developing a timeline for data migration, testing, and assessment working towards a Summer 2020 implementation as a replacement for our aging Aleph ILS.

TRLN Cooperative Cataloging Pilot: An outcome of last year's TRLN Cooperative Acquisitions, Processing, and Shelving for non-English Language Print/Tangible Resources Task Group was a recommendation for cooperative cataloging activity. In an effort to move support beyond collaborative collecting, Duke and UNC began a modest non-English language cooperative cataloging pilot this spring. Thus far staff have completed a project charter that outlines logistics, workflows, and data points for assessment. The pilot is focused on Japanese and Arabic language materials. Results of the pilot will be shared during the TRLN Annual Meeting this summer.

HBCU Library Alliance Conservation Internship: The Duke Libraries Conservation Lab is hosting one of five Historically Black Colleges and Universities [Library Alliance](#) conservation interns supported by funding awarded to the University of Delaware from the Kress Foundation. To further support the internship, Duke was awarded a \$5,000 grant from the Delmas Foundation. The intern will work with Conservation Services staff throughout summer 2018 and later apply lessons to a preservation project back at her home institution.

Serials Cohort: Staff attrition and growing collections needs for serials cataloging led to the formation of a cohort to focus on training monographic catalogers on serials cataloging standards. Staff developed a

training syllabus based on the CONSER serials workshop materials that focused on principles of and distinctions between the connected work of serials cataloging, holdings management, and itemization. The initial Serials Cohort training took place over six sessions with the goals of building serials cataloging capacity, leveraging local serials expertise, community building, and creating post-training workflows. Current activities include regular meetings to identify and assign serials for staff in training and allow real time question and explanation.

Duke Press Monographs: New program at Duke to digitize 100% of Duke University Press monographs using our on-site IA Scribe. All titles will be added to IA as “private” and uploaded to HathiTrust. Duke Press is committed to an ongoing conversation with the library to enable opening up of a growing list of titles in both infrastructures, including those the press publishes as part of TOME.

Ivy Plus Libraries and HathiTrust Shared Print: Duke led an effort to gather, normalize and provide visualizations of the collective Ivy Plus commitments to Phase 1 of HathiTrust Shared Print. Learn more about the project and see the visualizations at: <http://bit.ly/IPLHTSPP1>

Hybrid Publishers and COPE: Beginning in fiscal 2018, Duke’s COPE fund can no longer be used to pay APCs for journals published by entities who publish any non-open titles. See <https://scholarworks.duke.edu/open-access/cope/> for more information.