SCRAP Advisory Group Meeting
July 16, 2025 at 1:00 PM
Minutes

SCRAP Members in Attendance: R. Ruetz (ALK), K. Szafarz (MPK), K. Nevins (ZIK), A. Galindo (PAK), J. King (NIK), K. Milfajt (MJK)

SCRAP Members Absent: B. Peterson (CPQ)

CCS Staff in Attendance: R. Fischer, M. Mansfield

Non-members in Attendance: T. Skwierczynski (GRK), L. Conn (CPQ), H. Sadowski (ALK), R. Shanley-Roberts (MPK), T. Chester (MPK)

1. Introductions

   Discussion: The SCRAP members for FY25-26 introduced themselves.

Old Business

2. CAMM requested additional information on the following issues. Does SCRAP want to continue to pursue the motions? What additional information can we provide to CAMM? (10-20 min.)

   a. **Potential Motion #2**: Motion to allow "Youth literacy materials" as a local genre heading in the catalog with scope notes that it can be used in records for materials intended to teach how to read using phonics/science of reading/teaching concepts as opposed to content or reading level appropriate materials.

      CAMM opinion via the minutes: After a discussion about not being clear on, those present asked that the motion be sent back to SCRAP to find out if the intention was to add the genre "'Youth literacy materials' as a local genre heading" to all Youth readers or only to materials for late-to-start reading instruction and not to readers, which may duplicate the information already in the subject fields.

      Discussion: SCRAP members discussed the redundancy and confusion about this proposed heading. They decided to drop this issue.

   b. **Potential Motion #3**: Motion to add "Mexico, Gulf of" and "Denali, Mount (Alaska)" to 691 fields.

CAMM opinion via the minutes: Motion is being sent back to SCRAP, as there was discussion about the fact that we don't modify other subjects, even though the publishers use the other term in titles, etc. (e.g., publishers use 'Myanmar' but LC has 'Burma' as the official term with 'Myanmar' as a see also). Also, there are SEE FORs in the official LC authority records.

Discussion: SCRAP members reviewed the searches executed with the terms. They discussed how the situation with the headings for Gulf of Mexico and Mt. Denali differ from Burma/Myanmar. The government doesn't officially recognize the government of Myanmar and people from Myanmar in the US continue to call the country Burma. The members looked at examples of searches to confirm how the *See also* references work and if titles appear in searches properly. They decided to not pass a motion now. They will provide the information to CAMM and allow CAMM to decide on whether there should be a motion or not.

New Business

3. Cataloger's Wiki pages to review (10-15 min.)

   Discussion: Improvements to the following pages were discussed. R. Fischer will update the pages as discussed and will inform the Cats listserv when they updates are done.

   a. Country of production
   b. Deleting local holdings records from WorldCat
   c. Deleting the last copy of a serial
   d. Edition
   e. Electronic location and access
   f. Encoding Level 3 records as preliminary data records
   g. Fixing incorrect or obsolete serial records

4. How should we approach the review of OLAC's Best Practices for Cataloging Digital Media Storage Devices? (10-15 min.)

   Discussion: The members identified several new formats that could be researched in order to include guidelines on the Wiki. These include Story Dream Machine, Tonies, and Yoto box. R. Fischer will identify examples of records and pages in the best practices document that the members should review for the next meeting.

5. Videogame format in 092: Should SCRAP consider passing a motion to standardize this field for videogames? (10 min. – 15 min.)

    Background: The 092 tag is a local call number. It is used inconsistently and can appear in records because it was in the OCLC record. This appears in the call number column of the Find Tool results. It can be useful to identify which platform a record is for. This field does not appear in the PAC. This would be for staff benefit only.

    Potential motion: Recommend to CAMM to standardize the usage of the 092 field for videogames. Note: One option to standardize this is using the same format as the 753 tag.

    Discussion: The members discussed the benefits of using this field for the videogame format and options for describing the format in this field. Options include using the format as it appears in the edition statement or 753. They discussed the options for using 082, 092, or 099 for this information. R. Fischer will research if there's a hierarchy for choosing the classification number to appear in the search results in the find tool. They didn't pass the motion and do not feel it should be required. However, it could be beneficial to include it as an optional field for those that would like to see it in the find tool.

6. Anything else?

    The next meeting will be October 22, 2025 at 1:00 PM.