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If *it* is good for PCC, then *it* is good for me!

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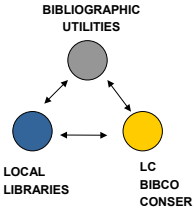
A Model in Retrospect

- Centralized
- Homogeneous (MARC)
  - The record (weight)
  - The process/workflow
  - The algorithms



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Architecting *it* for
Sharing Metadata & Future Directions of PCC

- **Wolven's question about cooperation**
  "*How can we take advantage of each other's work to pursue a common goal*?" (*Or*, What does it mean to cooperate in this new environment?)
- **Wiggins' vision & direction**
  - "sanctioned authority data"
  - "leading others to create and share of such data"
- **PCC Strategic Directions (SD1-SD5)**
- **Personal "paradigms"**
  - *BSTF Report (UC)*
  - *Metadata in practice*
  - *Metadata infrastructure (lack thereof! & fragmentation)*

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Metadata Standards
…contents, structures, values!

MARC
Dublin Core
MODS
VRA Core
CDWA
EAD
…

LCAF
LCSH
AAT
TGM
…

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Metadata

- Exposure
- Shareable
- Interoperable
- Re-purposed/Re-used
- Crosswalked

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The Process

- How do we translate the centralized model and the PCC cooperative enterprise to a non-homogeneous and distributed environment?
- How should we guide/lead in the creation of metadata for alternative schemes?
- How do we identify and proceed with approaches to automated metadata creation?
- In general, how do we ensure the convergence of processes and/or best practices for creating and sharing quality metadata?

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What is *it*?

- The Process
- The Record
- The Tools
- The Players

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The Record

- What is the authoritative record?
- What are the elements of a "descriptively adequate record" (to meet FRBR objectives)?
- What is an authoritative record for a specific metadata scheme? (The elements; defining the record in DC, VRA Core, etc.?)
- How do we harmonize requirements for the creation of an authoritative record with the different requirements & approaches to resource description needed by different metadata communities?

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The Tools

- Automated and semi-automated metadata generation tools
- Metadata switches
- Automatic content & classification generators
- Crawlers and harvesters
  - iVia and Data Fountains (UCR, Steve Mitchell)
  - WebCat Assistant (LC, David Williamson)
  - BEAT Enrichment
  - OCLC harvesters (R&D)
  - Crosswalks

How do we identify and integrate tools that facilitate the process of record creation, sharing, and distribution?

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Cooperation

Leadership

Where does PCC go from here?

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The Players

- Publishers
- Vendors/Distributors
- PAMS (Publication Access Management Services)
- Resource creators
- Utilities

How do we bring key players into the discussion/into PCC?

How does PCC influence resource creators for supplied metadata?

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