Standing Committee on Standards Annual Report PCC PoCo Meeting November 5-6, 2009

STANDING COMMITTEE ON STANDARDS MEMBERSHIP:

Ann Caldwell, Brown	Becky Culbertson, UCSD (Chair)
Peter Fletcher, UCLA	John Ilardo, Buffalo
Joe Kiegel, Univ. Washington	Shana McDanold, Univ. Pennsylvania
David Miller, PoCo Liason	Dave Reser, LC Liaison
Cecilia Sercan, Cornell	Jay Weitz, OCLC Liaison

ACCOMPLISHMENTS:

- Recruited 4 new members: Becky Culbertson, John Ilardo, Shana McDanold, Cecilia Sercan
- Drafted guidelines for creating post-cataloging series authority record; PoCo approved; Guidelines forwarded to LC PSD to update their documentation.
- Submitted formal comments on the final draft of the Provider-Neutral E-Resources Task Group Final Report on April 16th. Guidelines were implemented August 1, 2009 (in conjunction with the post-cataloging series treatment above).
- Submitted formal comments on the Interim and Final Reports of the Task Group on BIBCO Standard Record Requirements to PoCo on June 30.
- Prepared formal comments on LC's draft guidelines for the coding of repeatable 260 fields in July. Practice of repeatable 260 fields began in August.
- SCS task force completed work on the Report of the PCC LCRI_RDA Task Force.
 This TF looked at the Library of Congress Rule Interpretations (LCRI) and their
 disposition in relation to the provisions of Resource Description and Access (RDA).
 LC has begun its evaluation of the LCRI disposition. September 30, 2009
- SCS task force completed work on the Report of the Internationalization of the Authority Files. September 30, 2009
- Prepared formal comments on the report from the TG on MODS/Dublin Core Record Utilization TG. September 30, 2009
- Individual members of SCS sent comments to the TF Chair on the Draft PCC Guidelines for Creating Bibliographic Records in Multiple Character Sets and the Preliminary Report of the Task Force on Non-Latin Script Cataloging Documentation. October 30, 2009.

ONGOING PROJECTS:

Joe Kiegel is participating on the OCLC Task Group on Automated Record Enhancement. This Task Group, reporting to SCA, will be exploring options to improve automatic augmentation of master records in the WorldCat database.

SCS QUESTIONS/CONCERNS:

What is the best way for changes to accepted guidelines to be kept current?