Sciences Council Meeting

Thursday, September 1, 2022, 9:00 - 9:50 AM

Recorder: Kristen

Facilitator: Susan

Attendees: Becky Miller, Elliott Smith, Michael Sholinbeck, Lisa Ngo, Brian Quigley, Susan Powell, Kristen Greenland

Agenda

1. Announcements

- Susan starting an informal GIS & Mapping community of practice. First meet-up on Wednesday, September 14, from 11:00am - 12:00pm, Registration & more details at: <u>https://berkeley.libcal.com/event/9586066</u>
- b. Kristen new event and instruction LibGuide for EPS

2. Discussion: Future of Citation Manager Support in the Sciences

- a. Mendeley Institutional Edition (MIE) subscription ending in January
 - i. Becky will continue to update Mendeley libguide as we learn more from Elsevier regarding MIE transition plans

b. To decide:

- i. How best to communicate the MIE change to users?
- ii. What support will we continue to provide for citation managers?
 - 1. Currently primarily promote Zotero, but we also have institutional support for RefWorks
 - 2. Continue to list other citation managers in LibGuides?
 - 3. Offer workshops on other citation managers if there are enough people asking? (like for a lab group, etc.)
 - 4. Maintain other instructional materials like LibGuides and exercise sets?
- c. Zotero issues to keep in mind for support questions
 - i. Does not support LaTeX mathematical symbols/Greek letters in exported article titles
- d. Jennifer Dorner has scheduled advanced Zotero workshops for September
- e. Conclusions
 - i. Reflect on discussion and make decisions in future meeting

- ii. Becky will draft a message that we could send out to liaison areas about MIE subscription ending
- iii. Brian will research JabRef as Mendeley alternative in math

3. Function Council and Committee reports and/or sharing of work related to DEIBJ

- a. Library Assessment Expertise Group Training on generating new ebook lists
- b. CDLG focused on budget, also had a visit on changing terms of endowments
- c. Working group on DEIBJ and collections wrapping up

4. Around the table

Next scheduled meeting:

October 6, 2022, 9:00 - 9:50 AM