

Sciences Council Meeting of December 1, 2022

9:00 - 10:00 AM

Zoom (link in Sciences Council calendar listing)

Present: Anita Brown, Susan Powell (recorder), Kristen Greenland, Becky Miller (chair), Lisa Ngo, Michael Sholinbeck, Elliott Smith, Samantha Teplitzky, Brian Quigley

1. **Announcements** - All

- New STEM Librarian Misha Coleman starts today!
- The Mendeley Institutional Edition Subscription will end after January 2023. Information about MIE and the upcoming expiration, including the option for a 1-year grace period (extension), is in the [Mendeley libguide](#).

2. **Discussion of upcoming serials review & Sciences approach** - Brian

- Discussion of different models with consideration to equitable distribution of cuts across funds
- Review division fund targets first, then assign targets for subject funds
- Iterative process

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

- Kristen and Becky are part of the group related to DEI in collections and recently gave their report to CSC
- Anita and Michael are working on creating something for the LHS Division related to disability
- There is a 1-hr class from the National Library of Medicine about the [Trans Accessible Libraries Initiative](#) next Tuesday, December 6, 2:00 PM EST
- *Seismica* journal (for which Sam is an editor) is trying to collect demographic data of authors, reviewers, etc. The [campus Privacy Officer](#) in the Office of Ethics has offered helpful guidance with [GDPR compliance](#). There is a resource from the Royal Society of Chemistry about [Diversity data collection in scholarly publishing](#) that is also useful.

4. **Around the table**

Next scheduled meeting:

February 2, 2023, 9:00 - 9:50 AM

Zoom