

GoPIG Minutes
September 30, 2016
Colorado Talking Book Library

Future meetings:

October 28th at UNC

Jan 13th at UCCS

Peggy's last day is 9/30/2016

Discussion about format of future meetings:

Demos are good.

Kate will be sending out agendas.

Meetings will be held every two months.

Would like to enable audio through Zoom. CU-Boulder could provide microphones to disperse throughout room. Remote participants would need headset with mic.

Kate will pursue.

News from Boulder:

Kate will be acting head of division.

May hire temporary Gov Info Librarian.

Beginning to shift cataloging functions to Metadata services.

Carole Griffin will move down to Metadata services, but will still catalog gov docs and still do item conversion.

Their department has been focusing on outreach, instruction and public services.

(See "What we do" handout for responsibility breakdown)

They have finished a lot of the LibGuides.

**** Preservation Steward ****

CU Boulder contacted GPO about becoming a Preservation Steward. At first thought that they wouldn't qualify based on original paperwork.

CU has committed to retain the Serial Set, Congressional Record and the Hearings. Set an appointment with library administration. GPO is still working on the MOU. The agreement is that CUBoulder will preserve the collections in Pascal. Print will no longer circulate, but can be used in-house. Digital surrogates are available. Global update of catalog records to reflect new usage restrictions. CU-Boulder will be one of the first libraries to commit to this. Sending records to GPO for ingest into the CGP. Preservation stewards will get first chance at

disposal lists after Regionals have reviewed for the designated collections. GPO may help stewards with preservation.

Drake, and University of Iowa are also in the mix.

CU-Law might be able to exchange copies with Norlin. (they have full run of serial set and congressional records and congressional globe)

Demo:

GovInfo.gov (Eric Beck)

Changed the search engine to Solr. Has different browsing features than FDSys

Can do multiple filters at once.

Using structured xml.

Biggest improvement: Related material linking.:

Eg: Public and Private Laws

Related Documents tab brings up a list of bills, U.S Code citations, Statutes, CFR

In the future, they plan to link to Congressional Record entries.

Sunlight Foundation is closing Sunlight Labs, hoping to find someone to be the caretaker of the collections. See blog (on CDE computer)

Recent Atlantic article about this

Rocky Flats Cold war museum

They are looking for a home for its collection. 50-100 cubic feet of materials.

Provide space, and access to materials. (History Colorado and CU-Norlin have declined.) But--- CU is working on a libguide for Rocky Flats.

Library Updates:

- CoSPL
- CU- B has an Instruction Coordinator position open(not tenure-track). Applications close on October 8th. Also searching for Head of Marketing, and eventually will have a temporary Gov Info librarian position. They may be purchasing Supreme Court Insight in conjunction with CU Law (will now have a complete Insight collection)
Many positions may open soon – in the sciences and engineering, and archives. N&O --- still working with DPL and Mines. Still tweaking the process to come up with faster ways to help folks with time crunches.
- CSU – They have a librarian at sea...They have formed a non-tenure track faculty group, that can send a representative to the University meetings. Now have multi-year appointments.
Finally got display units –for the library. Constitution Day exhibit is now up, and Election Day info. Have a place in Library where people can register to vote.

Moving to Alma. Prospector requests will be frozen for a few months when they make the switch. New collections in the digital library.

- Auraria --- Still under renovation. Major renovations should be done by the end of the semester. Re-dedication is end of October. Still Interim Director, Interim head of Technical Services, Head of IT position is vacant. Waiting to fill the others until Director position is filled. Kelly is hiring a collection review specialist, part-time to evaluate the Colorado state documents collection (3-6 months). Trying workshops related to graduate and faculty research, about publishing and data and citation management. CU-Denver is building a new gym/health and wellness center.
- UCCS – Search for Head of Cataloging and Metadata services failed. Re-opened the search, should be interviewing late October/early November. Electronic Resources Librarian resigned. Ron has re-inherited the serials management responsibilities. He is wearing multiple hats. Sent a list of suggestions for paring down the workflow for gov docs. Just hired a new reference librarian, Carlos Duarte (from U of Wisconsin) will be liaison for anthropology and ethnic studies. New discovery layer seems to be working well.
- CU-Law – New position – Access Services Librarian, search committee is going through digitizing the Colorado Supreme Court Briefs in partnership with Supreme Court Law Library. Big project – millions of pages involved. Will try to build a joint system with the Supreme Court Library to connect briefs with court filings. If anyone has the briefs unbound, please contact Eric, it would help with the digitization process (their collection is bound.)