Electronic Resources

Affinity Groups: Search, Discovery, and Delivery; Cataloging and Metadata

Replaces: None

Responsible Library Units: Acquisitions -> Electronic Resources

Charge
- The work group is responsible for sustainable policies, procedures, technical systems, and staffing to procure, manage, and provide access to licensed and purchased electronic resources, such as electronic journals and e-books,
- This includes working with users and vendors in troubleshooting access issues.
- The group is responsible for managing technical systems related to e-resources.
- The group is also responsible for gathering statistics to assist with acquisition decisions.

Membership
Initially chaired by the Head of Acquisitions. In matters related to e-resources, this group represents and coordinates the actions of Acquisitions, Serials Cataloging, Collections, and Information Technology. Initial rotation after one year. The chair of this work group may be reappointed beyond two years due to their position as the head of the Acquisitions unit. [8 members]

- Lynn Wiley, Head of Acquisitions (chair) [Also: Cataloging and Metadata]
- Wendy Shelburne, Electronic Resources Librarian (vice-chair)
- Stephanie Baker, Technical Services Research Programmer
- Esra Coskun, Collections Analysis and Planning Specialist
- Melanie Emerson, Head of Art and Architecture Library
- Jon Gorman, Application Support Specialist [Also: Digital Production]
- Willy Kries, E-Book Cataloging Specialist Leader
- Chris Morgan, Electronic Resources and Acquisitions Support Specialist
- Jamie Carlstone, E-Serials Bibliographic Control Specialist

Rules
- Acquisition decisions are out of scope, but providing usage and other statistics to assist with these decisions is in scope for the group.
- This group will also assist with the public services issues related to e-resources, such as instructing patrons in the discovery and use of these resources.