



Annual Report 2007 ARLIS/NA Standards Committee

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Report:

Incoming Committee Members: To Be Determined
Continuing Committee Members: Laura Christiansen, Jean Outland Chrysler Art Library (expires 2009); Jennifer Parker, University of Colorado at Boulder (expires 2009); Aprille Nace, Corning Museum of Glass, Chair (expires 2009)
2007 Committee Members:

Activities: The Core Journals project has been the focus of the committee. Data Field Definitions were identified and the journal lists created by Aprille Nace, Jennifer Parker, and Sara Harrington are being compiled into one document. The document will be presented to the Board for comments. Benchmarking was conducted to look at other similar projects. A decision was made not to include Architecture journals as the list created by AASL is the standard for that field. Digital Database Standards for Art Images were reviewed and there are no current changes recommended.

Other: Chair still looking to recruit several new members for the 2008-2009 Standards Committee.

Action Items: Continue work on the Core Journal Project: identify phases for the project; flush out the purpose of the project; identify questions the committee is unable to answer and seek advice from the Board for guidance.
Release the first iteration of this project in the 2008-2009 year.

Canvas all committee, round tables, divisions, for standards which they may have created or may need to be created.

Create a better system for continuity for the members and activities of the committee.

Set-up system to periodically review, update as necessary, Digital Database Standards for Art Images.

Review Standards Committee webpage for corrections and updates.

Prepare for the transition of the Chair in 2009.