Leadership Update: Emilee Mathews is the outgoing Moderator of the RISS section. Elizabeth Lane, lane@frick.org is the incoming Moderator; Beth Hylen, hylenej@cmog.org is the incoming Vice-Moderator. Nominations for the News Editor position will be taken in the RISS meeting at the ARLIS/NA Annual Conference.

Brief Narrative: RISS moderator Emilee Mathews has been heavily involved in launching the new ARLIS/NA publication Multimedia & Technology reviews as the RISS representative on the editorial board for this publication.

Building on the momentum from the Pasadena conference, RISS moderator successfully submitted a workshop and a panel to the 2014 ARLIS/NA annual conference: The workshop takes the model of “They never covered this in library school”—for the Washington D.C. conference, local expertise and topics were shaped together to offer a workshop on institutional policy and scholarly communication.

The panel has a reference theme and features ARLIS/NA members and RISS members.

Membership currently includes forty-seven ARLIS/NA members.

Future plans include

- Stewardship of the Pathfinder Directory
- Be more active on social media
- Continue to contribute largely to Multimedia & Technology Reviews
- Create educational opportunities for RISS members through conference panels, social media, and look into collaborating with the Education Subcommittee to suggest a webinar or chat session topic.

- ARLIS/NA Strategic Plan
- **Goal I: Articulate New Directions and Identity for the Profession**
  - Action: promote information resources beyond traditional library holdings to foster excellence in reference and information services (COMPLETED)
  - Action: give members a platform to demonstrate their knowledge and skill sets and more largely contribute to the future directions of the profession (COMPLETED)
- **Goal III: Create Stronger Leadership through Promotion, Cooperation and Advocacy**
- Action: give members the tools to participate in and understand more thoroughly public policies that affect librarianship and art (COMPLETED)

- **Goal IV: Emphasize our Collections and Stewardship Role**
  - Action: continue to steward the RISS Pathfinder Directory (IN PROGRESS)

- **Goal V: Strengthen the Society’s Communication and Operational Infrastructure**
  - Action: create a more active voice and communication channel for RISS through social media platforms (IN PROGRESS)