Leadership Update - None

Membership – Membership remains consistent. As of February 2016, the SIG has 92 members.

Activities & Plans – Current activities include planning for the SIG Meeting at the ARLIS/NA Conference in Seattle. At the meeting, members will participate in the following activities and examine the following initiatives:

- Lightning round updates from members on redesigns of spaces, programming within spaces, or assessment efforts relating to library spaces.
- Discussion of possible session proposal around the idea of library spaces for the ARLIS/NA 2017 Conference in New Orleans.
- The development of other resources of potential benefit to SIG members and the ARLIS/NA Membership at large, include a resource list for members engaged with space planning projects.

ARLIS/NA Strategic Plan – The activities of the Space Planning SIG aligns, broadly, with the following Goal and Objective of the ARLIS/NA Strategic Plan.

**Goal III: Create Stronger Leadership through Promotion, Cooperation and Advocacy**

- Adopt official positions on major issues impacting the profession and the art research environment.

The Space Planning SIG seeks to bring together members concerned with ideas, experiences, and creative solutions to issues surrounding library space planning. As part of these efforts, members can aid in ongoing discussions and initiatives with the activities (including arts-based research) that take place within the “art research environment.”

Issues for the Executive Board – None