IUG 2005 Poster Sessions

Mainstreaming Millennium: Positioning the Web OPAC at the Center of the Research Process

Presenter	Bruce Connolly, Reference Librarian David Fuller, Systems Librarian Schaffer Library–Union College
Description	Library Catalogs page aims for consistency with College conventions. Custom-designed Thesis Search. A New Acquisitions list based upon class number and Cat. Date. InnReach and ConnectNY. Connect to periodicals data using a WebBridge link (labeled "View Detailed Holdings") in the full bib record. Using WebBridge in conjunction with "Save as preferred search" in My Library.

Harvesting & Maintaining a Digital Library in the Catalog

Presenter	Arlene Hanerfeld Associate University Librarian for Technical & Collection Services Randall Library, UNC Wilmington
Description	Randall Library, UNC Wilmington, has been involved in a research project funded by the National Science Foundation (Grant No. 0333628) to integrate a digital library with a traditional research library catalog. The iLumina Digital Library, a collection of approximately 1,500 undergraduate teaching materials for science and mathematics, is part of NSDL, the National Science Digital Library, a digital library of exemplary resource collections and services, organized in support of science education at all levels (*www.nsdl.org*). UNCW Librarians have been working as part of a team of biology, chemistry, computer science, and mathematics faculty who created the iLumina Digital Library. The team has developed a model for migrating and sustaining the digital library in the Randall Library Innovative Interfaces catalog and to export the records to OCLC's WorldCat database for wider dissemination.

Announcing Super Circ Challenge—A C/W MARS GAME SHOW!

Presenter	Joan Kranich Janet Schrader Joan Kuklinski Gale Eckerson Christine Haggstrom
Description	Participants of the annual circulation meetings formed teams to compete in a question/answer game. The questions were targeted at frontline circulation staff and the answers were in the multiple choice format. The winning teams faced off at the end to determine the final winning team. The meeting was really fun and provided a great training experience.

Online Training for the Millennium Modules

Presenter   Laura Gallucci, URSUS Library Systems Manager
Raymond H. Fogler Library, University of Maine

Description   Online training modules created from III Training Agendas on CSDirect, and using Viewlet builder software by Qarbon.com, enable University of Maine System Library staff to migrate from telnet to Millennium with no time off or down time. Ten-minute training modules, accessible from anywhere in the University of Maine System Library network, provide on-demand training that is easy to fit into any employee's busy schedule.

A MARC21 Holdings Conversion Project

Presenter   Wanda Pittman Jazayeri and Katherine Harvey
University of California, Irvine

Description   In October 2002, The University of California, Irvine Libraries' INNOPAC contained approximately 65,000 non-MARC holdings statements. By October 2004, project staff had converted 63,000 to MARC21 Format for Holdings Data statements using III's MARC Holdings Editor. This poster session presents an overview of our successful strategy and procedures—and some of our pitfalls.

@ Your Service at the West Bloomfield Township Public Library

Presenter   Jackie Licalzi
Coordinator of Support Services
West Bloomfield Township Public Library

Description   "Following extensive focus group interviews and user testing, the West Bloomfield Township Public Library unveiled a newly designed WebOPAC in the summer of 2004. Through the extensive use of CSS (Cascading Style Sheets), the customization options available through the Innovative software and the integration of MetaFind, the design and functionality of the library catalog now offers users an intuitive and powerful tool for accessing the library's resources and services."

Multi-Lingual OPAC Interfaces

Presenter   Tim Reif
Web Team
Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Library
San Jose, CA

Description   To best serve the needs a diverse community, San José developed the first Vietnamese translation of the Millennium Web OPAC in addition to launching multi-lingual interfaces in Spanish and Chinese.

Circle of Self-Service Holds

Presenter   Jeanne LoFranco
Circulation Manager
San Jose Public Library System

Description   San Jose Library encourages customers to be self-sufficient, using our "Circle of Service" concept. Customer-initiated and managed holds are key. Customers search the catalog and make their own requests. Items are delivered to the customer selected pickup location, placed on self-service Hold Shelves where customers retrieve holds and check them out via Self Checkout machines. These practices allow staff to be available elsewhere.

Our four major development items in this area are:

*Allow self-placed holds
*Generate paging lists centrally
*Use automatically-generated Holds Wrappers
*Facilitate self checkout

Controlling Stored and Unprocessed Collections

Presenter   Donna R.R. Resetar
Assistant University Librarian for Access Services
Christopher Center for Library and Information Resources
Valparaiso University, Valparaiso, Indiana

Description   In addition to storing low-use parts of its regular collection, Valparaiso University uses its automatic storage and retrieval system (ASRS) to store large unprocessed gift collections, staff personal files, realia from Archives, and withdrawn government depository items that must be held until we can legally discard them. When staff need something, or are ready to work on an unprocessed collection, they use My Millennium in staff mode to find the OPAC record and submit the automatic retrieval request. By using standardized fields and codes in our bibliographic and item records for the ASRS stored materials, we harness the power of INNOPAC indexing and list-making functions to manage our unprocessed collections. Record templates and a little training make it possible for even public services staff to create records for collections they wish to store.

This poster session will display sample records and describe workflows. It will interest any library considering the use of an ASRS. Also, libraries that receive large gift collections that they cannot process right away may be able to adapt our method of organization, even if the collections are not stored in an ASRS.

Materials Traces–Procedures and Workflow

Presenter   Schlomit Schwarzer
Head of Access and Delivery Services
Otto G. Richter Library
University of Miami
Coral Gables, FL

Description   This poster session will demonstrate how the Otto G. Richter Library of the University of Miami automated the traces workflow using the III system. This change in workflow improved the service given to patrons when materials where not found in the stacks on the first intent. The automation of the trace process streamlined the task, improved customer services, helped in keeping catalog records current, and assisted the collection development librarians who worked on the replacement of materials by alerting them on missing items from the collections, promptly and in an organized manner.

So Exactly WHERE Is That Book Shelved Now?

Presenter	Sara B. Sluss Web Site Content Manager/Business Librarian University Library California State University, Long Beach
Description	Six floors of stacks + limited staffing + collection reorganization + the beginning of a building remodel. Sanity-saving self-service navigation via the WebOPAC using descriptive maps.

CSS Buttons and Style Sheet Switchers in FoxTrax, George Fox University's OPAC

resenter	Karen Straube Technical Services Librarian George Fox University
Description	Following a design change, FoxTrax, the George Fox University OPAC, is now optimized for viewing in different browsers. When the catalog is opened a javascript determines which browser the patron is using, and automatically directs the webpage to one of five style sheets, optimized for various browser types. In addition, all of the gif navigational buttons were removed from the catalog and replaced by dynamic CSS buttons that form based on information received from the style sheets, resulting in a streamlined, faster-loading OPAC. The only remaining gif in the OPAC is the stylized floral banner in the top logo, which is set in the style sheet. The style sheets themselves were simplified during the design overhaul. Both the browser-detection javascript and the CSS buttons work for both the static HTML OPAC pages, as well as dynamic system-generated ones.

RFID @ CHF: How the Othmer Library Implemented a Radio Tagging Program and the 3M Digital Library Assistant

Presenter	Andrea Tomlinson Cataloger Othmer Library of Chemical History
Description	This poster session is about how the Othmer library uses the 3M Digital library Assistant with our III system. The poster session talks about retrospective radio tagging, creating and exporting lists to the DLA and how our library uses the system and III to automate inventory and collection maintenance tasks such as locating missing volumes, weeding the collection and performing a physical inventory.

From Access to ERM—the Road We Traveled

Presenters	Lorie Wies, Schaffer Library, Union College Gail Golderman, Schaffer Library, Union College
Description	When faced with the need to migrate our periodical holdings from a local Access database into Millennium checkin records, as well as the need to build and modify our existing checkin records to function with "ERM," the Technical Services Librarians at Union College's Schaffer Library opted to tackle both projects simultaneously ... and survived to tell the tale! This session will take you through the course of action we followed to reach our goals.