# **2014-10-17 Meeting Notes**

### Date

October 17, 2014

10am-12pm

Local: 416-933-3828 Toll-free: 1-866-602-6845 Conference ID: 5564972

### Attendees

- Nick Ruest (York University)
  Jenny Jing (Queen's University)
  Unknown User (saraa) (Ryerson University)
- Jeremy Heil (Queen's University)
- Mary Claire Vandenburg (Queen's University)
   Peter Houston (Nipissing University)
- John Warren (Carleton University)
- David Sharron (Brock University)
  Tom Smyth (LAC)
- Victoria Sigurdson (OCAD)
- Leanne Trimble (Scholars Portal)
- Kate Davis (Scholars Portal)
  Anna St Onge (York University)

# Agenda

- Introductions
- 2014 OCUL Digital Curation Summit (Kelli Babcock, Jenny Jing, Unknown User (saraa), Laurie Morrison, Stephen Marks, Nick Ruest)
   2015 OCUL Digital Curation Summit Budget Proposal (Kelli Babcock, Jenny Jing)
- Regional Digitization Centres proposal (Jenny Jing, Anna St. Onge, Jeremy Heil, Stephen Marks
- OLRC updates (Stephen Marks, Nick Ruest)
   Format Policy Registry group (Nick Ruest, Stephen Marks)
- Updates from LAC Tom Smyth

## **Discussion Items**

Time	Item	Who	Notes
5 min	2014 OCUL Digital Curation Summit	Kelli Babcock, Jenny Jing, Unknown User (saraa), Laurie Morrison, Stephen Marks, Nic k Ruest	<ul> <li>Event scheduled on November 21st from 9:30 to 4:30 at Robarts Library</li> <li>Event details page: 2014.11.21 OCUL Digital Curation Summit</li> <li>Unknown User (saraa) and Anika Ervin-Ward coordinated registration for the event         <ul> <li>30 registrations with 6 on waitlist as of 2014.10.15</li> <li>We will open up registration to the broader community on October 27th</li> <li>Maximum registration is 60</li> </ul> </li> <li>Registration confirmations to be sent by Kelli Babcock</li> <li>Catering options to be booked by Kelli Babcock</li> <li>Thanks everyone for updating abstracts and agreeing to present Ut's going to be a good event!</li> <li>Anna to send an invite to Larry at the Archives of Ontario</li> </ul>
5 min	2015 OCUL Digital Curation Summit Budget Proposal	Kelli Babcock, Jenny Jing	<ul> <li>Kelly and Jenny took the lead on this to put together an activity plan for next year</li> <li>Nick submitted to OCUL - will let us know when he hears back</li> </ul>

10 mins	Regional Digitization Centres proposal	Jenny Jing, Anna St. Onge, Jeremy Heil, Ste phen Marks	<ul> <li>Everyone to take a look at the proposal</li> <li>Idea is to minimize the work that might be duplicated across institutions</li> <li>Challenge is to provide opportunities for other institutions to participate without the project getting out of scope</li> <li>Timeline - hasn't gone to OCUL yet, will first go to OCUL Planning &amp; Assessment Committee who will either send back with comments or send forward to the Directors         <ul> <li>Next Directors meeting is at the end of November, but we're probably too late to submit the proposal in time</li> <li>However, P&amp;A Committee accepts proposals any time</li> </ul> </li> <li>Feedback on the list was that some things needed to be flushed out         <ul> <li>Maps/GIS group had a similar idea so there might be some crossover</li> </ul> </li> <li>Anna notes that a similar project is being undertaken by the Moving Image Archives Network ?</li> </ul>
10 mins	OLRC updates	Stephen Marks, Nick Ruest	Used to be ODLRC, now Ontario Large Research Cloud (OLRC) Testing took place over the summer between GTA universities (TRY universities) Working through technical details, mostly where the five nodes will be located (UofT, York, three other institutions) Should be going into production once all the nodes are set up Currently gathering documentation from each institution regarding data centres, costs, minimum requirements, etc. Ideally, will launch in November  Work plan is still in effect (i.e. Archivematica as a storage option) Check the OLRC Spotdocs for more updates
5 mins	Format Policy Registry group	Nick Ruest, Stephen Marks	From Open Repositories, how can we work together across repository systems? Looking at how various platforms (Islandora, Hydra, Fedora, etc) can integrate with Archivematica's Format Policy Registration system
15 mins	Updates from LAC	Tom Smyth	<ul> <li>Manager of the Digital Capacity shop at LAC - branch lead for management of documentary heritage in digital form</li> <li>Business leadership, development of LAC's TDR - looking forward to collaborating with the group to draw on experiences with TDR and digital preservation initiatives</li> <li>Communications channel from the group to LAC regarding the TDR</li> <li>Just finished the technical phase with auditor</li> <li>Formal policy group will be forming shortly to develop an institutional digital strategy for the TDR</li> <li>Will share documents for feedback:         <ul> <li>LAC Local Digital Format Registry 2.0</li> <li>Transfer Guidelines for digital documentary heritage</li> <li>Treasury Board of Canada Secretariat Standard for Digitization in Canada (will be available in January)</li> <li>Critical feedback most welcome</li> </ul> </li> <li>Currently working on a business strategy for the ingest of archival material</li> <li>Question about scope of TDR - will likely be looking at specific program streams within LAC for inclusion in the TDR (theses, archival material)</li> <li>Born-digital materials likely to be front-runners for inclusion</li> </ul> <li>Hoping to have TDR node up and running by 2017 - aligns with overall government policy of digital-by-default (already a reality in some areas)</li>

# Action Items