An Update of NISO’s Activities

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Busy Year = Tremendous Success

- Moved offices and increased staff size
- Launched our Topic Committee structure
  - Consistent TC review criteria established
- Educational Programs
  - 8 so far in 2008
  - 8 more planned in the fall
- Standards
  - 5 standards projects completed
  - 4 standards projects initiated (so far)
  
Several more under consideration

June 29, 2008
NISO Update
Released in 2008

- RFID report published
- SERU released
- JAV released
- NCIP v2.0 at ballot
- SRN and ONIX for Serials messages released (v 0.92)
New Work Projects launched

• CORE
• I²
• KBART
• Expansion/transformation of LEWG

LET US KNOW IF YOU THINK NISO CAN HELP SOLVE COMMUNITY PROBLEMS!
Continuing Enhancements

- New website, back end functionality
- Redesigned ISQ
- Redesigned Newsline
New Web Platform

Welcome to NISO

NISO is where content publishers, libraries, and software developers turn for information industry standards that allow them to work together.

Through NISO, all of these communities are able to collaborate on mutually accepted standards — solutions that enhance their operations today and form a foundation for the future.
New Web Platform
Incubating New Ideas

• Thought Leader Meetings
  With the support of the Mellon Foundation
  - IR Systems
  - Digital Libraries & Digital Collections
  - E-Learning Systems & Content (July)
  - Research Data (September)
ISO Responsibilities

NISO represents US interest to ISO in the areas of Information & Documentation (all of TC 46)

**ONLY NISO MEMBERS** can submit official US comments on ISO drafts of developing standards

All areas of library/publisher/vendor issues:
- RFID, ILL, Country Language Codes
- ISBN, ISSN, DOI, ISRC, ISMN, ISNI, ISTC
- Bibliographic records, document management
NEW ISO Responsibilities

• In February, NISO assumed the responsibilities as Secretariat TC 46 SC 9
• Partnership with Korea (KATS)

Key work in development within SC9
- DOI
- ISNI
- ISCI
- Bibliographic References
- Structured Vocabularies
- ISBN-13 Systemic Review
Thank you!

Nothing at NISO would get done without the support of our volunteers!

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