Content and Collection Management Topic Committee

Looking back at 2007-2008
Looking forward to 2008-2009

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Committee charge:

• The Content and Collection Management Topic Committee focuses on issues regarding developing, describing, providing access to, and maintaining content items and collections.

Specific areas of oversight:

• Recently Published:
  • RFID (Radio Frequency Identification) for Library Applications
  • Versions of Journal Articles (NISO/ALPSP)

• Existing standards:
  • ANSI/NISO Z39.3-1994 (R2001) Information Interchange Format
  • ANSI/NISO Z39.4-1992 (R2001) International Standard Serial Numbering (ISSN)
  • ANSI/NISO Z39.19 - Guidelines for the Construction, Format, and Management of Monolingual Controlled Vocabularies - 2005 / ISO 2788
  • ANSI/NISO Z39.20-2003 - Bibliographic References
  • ANSI/NISO Z39.43-1993 (R2000) Standard Address Number (SAN) for the Publishing Industry
  • ANSI/NISO Z39.53-2001 Codes for the Representation of Languages for Information Interchange
  • ANSI/NISO Z39.55-1996 (R2000) Serial Item and Contribution Identifier (SICI)
  • ANSI/NISO Z39.71-1999 (R2006) Holdings Statements for Bibliographic Items
  • ANSI/NISO Z39.84-1999 Specifications for the Digital Talking Book
  • ANSI/NISO Z39.86-1999 – DAISY – Z39.86 – Talking Book revision: assessed concept proposal, gave green light for revision process, now CCM is considering the actual revision at what is involved.
  • ANSI/NISO Z39.84-2005 Syntax for the Digital Object Identifier
  • ANSI/NISO Z39.85 – Dublin Core Metadata Element Set – DSFTU / ISO 15836
  • ANSI/NISO Z39.91 – 200x Collection Description Specification – DSFTU
  • ANSI/NISO Z39.91-2003 Electronic Manuscript Preparation and Markup

2007-2008 issues

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• Journal Article Versioning (best practice) – now officially published
• Reviewed and approved RFID Best Practice document (published early 2008)
• Worked with NISO staff on planning and executing June Thought Leader Meeting (preliminary report to be published in July)

On our 2008-2009 agenda

• Examine current work on unique Collection identifiers; determine inclusions and omissions (article to be published)
• Take a close look at the new ISO International Standard Text Code (ISTC) in relation to the ISBN, and resolution issues that relate to libraries

2008-2009 agenda

• Follow up and discuss Thought Leader recommendations with an eye towards recommended standards development activity
• And then, the routine standards work:
  • Library Shelving
  • Z39.3 Interchange Format
  • ISSN (NISO – ISO agreement)
  • Language codes (NISO – ISO agreement)
  • Etc.
What can YOU do?

- Topic Committees envisioned as having chair/co-chair with staggered 2-year terms — we would like to appoint a co-chair this fall
- Topic committees of 10-12 people; natural attrition – we’re looking for new members
- Join us on the CCM topic committee! See Todd, Karen, or me