Collection Development Meeting

May 5, 2011 at 11:00AM- J-204

Attended: Bill, Frank, Cindy, Jane, Tim, and Cody.

It was decided by the group that some issues outside of the group’s mission for Collection Development would be discussed due to scheduling and time conflicts.

1. Discussion on implementation of Films for Humanities: Cindy reports that we have received four free months and are awaiting the licensing agreement. The cost is 17k per year with a rebate through the consortium. The cost will be split between e-studio and the libraries. The collection will be embedded into the catalog for search capabilities and authentication will be through a user’s library card. Training by the vendor for librarians will be arranged when the database is set up. The group decided that a large marketing campaign across the District will include posters and the College newsletter.
2. Weeding will continue over the summer with special attention to the Reference Collection.
3. E-readers – Cindy has begun work on purchasing e-readers for our small project with reserves in Nursing and Dr. Hoover’s and Dr. Herman’s reserve material. Bill emphasized included in this program will be a short training session on use of an e-reader by staff to any student or faculty member who requests same. Cindy and Steven will provide in-house training.
4. Frank discussed the revision of two chapters for LIS 2004, and he will be heavily involved in migrating the classes to the Canvass software.
5. Titles for C classification range were developed by the attending Librarians and submitted through GOBI to Cindy for purchase. Our group will now move on to the D range.