Meetings: Since the Information Literacy Committee (ILC) report to the ALI Board meeting, the ILC met three times, virtually in May and September and our annual face-to-face meeting in July.

Updates on major initiatives

- **ALI ILC UnConference Event: Threshold Concepts in Information Literacy**
  - Held July 25, 2014 at DePauw University’s Prindle Institute of Ethics
  - Attendance: 57
  - Website for session notes, pictures: [2014 ALI Information Literacy UnConference](https://2014ali.unconference.org/)
  - Conference Committee: Clarence Maybee, Purdue University, Lisa Jarrell, Ball State University, Tiffany Hebb, DePauw University, Andrea Baer, Indiana University
  - Evaluation Highlights (18 submitted):
    - Informal discussions, the basis of an Unconference, were appreciated.
    - Introductory presentation by Clarence Maybee and Andrea Baer set the stage for the discussions well; topic was timely.
    - Facilitation of breakout sessions was well organized (had designated facilitators pre-selected for the day).
    - The site location was appreciated repeatedly. The Prindle Institute is a retreat center in a nature park near the DePauw campus which creates a bucolic atmosphere conducive to conversation and learning.
      - It is important to note that ALI ILC did not pay for the rental of this facility; DePauw University generously donated the use of this site for the conference.
    - The variety of institutions represented was appreciated; the opportunity for open-ended discussion and networking was noted repeatedly.
    - All evaluation responses indicated that they would recommend this type of event to a colleague.
    - The event provided an opportunity to learn the new framework, a second draft of which was released in June by ACRL.

- At the annual face-to-face meeting the following items were discussed and voted on:
  - New Committee member Brian Bunnett, Chair of Public Services at Indiana State University, was welcomed onto the committee. Ruth Szpunar, PALNI Information Fluency representative, also attended the meeting to serve as a liaison between PALNI and ALI ILC.
  - The HAIL Bylaws document was approved. The Bylaws will provide a clear structure and leadership to assist this group in moving forward with its initiatives.
    - Christina Wray was appointed Chair of the HAIL group
  - Tiffany Hebb was nominated and elected Incoming ALI ILC Chair while Andrea Baer volunteered to serve as secretary for the 2014-15 academic year.
  - The group brainstormed potential projects and events for the upcoming academic year.
• At the September meeting items discussed included:
  o Possible program (webinar for the spring) on: data literacy or connections between the writing process and information literacy (ex. how librarians can support students in integrating sources into their writing products, collaborate with writing centers, etc.).
  o HAIL Chair Christina Wray’s report noted:
    ▪ The HAIL restructuring committee has been formed, and includes representation from school, public, state, academic and special libraries. The group will be meeting in the near future.

Respectfully submitted on September 19,
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