

Task Group on BIBCO Standard Record Requirements for Audio Visual Formats including Electronic Books (BSR/AV)

March 1, 2010

Charge:

Define a set of required elements for bibliographic records for the monographic visual materials formats and the monographic computer files format using a single encoding level.

Tasks:

The Task Group will develop three models for bibliographic records, each using a single encoding level. These models are intended to replace the three previous BIBCO Full and Core standards for Graphic Materials, Moving Image Materials, and Monographic Electronic Resources. The Task Group should use both the current BIBCO Standard Record and the Core record elements as starting points. The requirements will focus on moving image materials, graphic materials and those electronic resources encompassing Leader/06 for computer files. In addition, the Task Group will cover electronic resources where the most significant aspect is language materials (Leader/06 "a"), but issued as direct access computer files (e.g., CD-ROMS, etc.). They may supply questions and answers for the BSR FAQ that will assist audiovisual catalogers whether or not they are BIBCO catalogers.

These BSRs will not attempt to cover the digital aspects for two of these three formats. The work of creating additional BSR standards to cover the digital aspects of Graphic Materials and Moving Image Materials will require a separate charge that will wait until after the physical format BSRs have been completed. A BSR for the remote access digital resources of the third form, Monographic Electronic Resources, will also take place in a separate charge after the direct access electronic resource BSR has been completed.

Reports:

The work of the BSR/AV TG will be vetted first by the PCC Standing Committee on Standards, followed by PCC at large through the PCC listserv and then the PCC Policy Committee (PoCo). The PCC Steering Committee will announce a decision on adoption of the new standards at ALA Annual, July, 2010. Interim and final versions of the MAPs will appear on the PCC web pages.

Time Frame:

Date of preliminary report: March 1, 2010

Date of final report: April 15, 2010

Comment period for PCC at large: April 16-May 8, 2010

Comment period for Policy Committee: April 16-May 15, 2010

Date of final report to Policy Committee or to Steering Committee: May 30, 2010
The PCC Steering Committee will make a decision on adoption of the new standards at
ALA Annual, July, 2010.

Chain of Reporting: PCC Standards Committee, PCC Policy Committee

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