WEST Update

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WEST Program Overview

Fully member-supported, distributed, retrospective shared print journal program

Program Services Supported by Member Fees
- Collections Analysis and Decision Support
- Systems Development
- Active archive creation at 6 builder institutions for higher risk materials
- Program, membership, and financial administration

Individually, Members Support
- Disclosure
- Resource-sharing
- Shipping for archive creation
- Storage of materials
Member Types

All Members
- Access to archived titles
- AGUA On-Demand collection comparison reports
- Can nominate titles

Full Members
- Use AGUA and JRNL to expose and fill gaps
- Unarchived holdings are eligible for inclusion in WEST collection analyses
- Archive Holder eligible

69 institutions west of the Mississippi

Full (76.81%)  |  Supporter (23.19%)
WEST Members
Shared Responsibility
WEST Archiver Holders
Archiving Progress

Total Cumulative Volumes

- 2011/2012: 157,188
- 2012/2013: 271,252
- 2013/2014: 358,519
- 2014/2015: 444,731
- 2015/2016: 515,204
- 2016-2018: 651,321
WEST Archived Titles

Distribution of Electronic Availability Across Archived Titles

- 55% Print with Electronic Availability
- 23% Print with Limited Full Text Electronic Availability
- 22% Print Only*

*Includes titles for which there is abstracting and indexing electronic availability and titles with no clear electronic availability.
Collections Analysis for Cycles 8 and 9

Unarchived holdings data from 65 different OCLC symbols

January, 2018
AGUA Database Preparations

February, 2018
Group Analysis Begins (OCC)

April, 2018
Proposed Commitments Posted

May, 2018
Libraries Declare Commitments (simultaneously disclosing Cycle 7 archived material)

1,922,108 RECORDS LOADED
AGUA Refresher

PAPR: Registry and Collections Analysis Tool

2011

WEST disclosures of archived titles

2016

Archived titles disclosed by other programs

AGUA

WEST Information Center

Center for Research Libraries
GLOBAL RESOURCES NETWORK

Western Regional Storage Trust

CDL
California Digital Library

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PAPR
PRINT ARCHIVES
PRESERVATION REGISTRY
## Completed AGUA Phase 3 Systems Enhancements
Preparing for Phase 4 Systems Development

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Next Steps in WEST

Collaboration in Rosemont is increasingly important to WEST’s strategic future. We want to make archiving decisions that advance and enhance the national shared print strategy.

An alliance of shared print journal programs
http://rosemontsharedprintalliance.org/

WEST Program Officer Recruitment
Thank you!

http://www.cdlib.org/west

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