

Report from LIHNN NWOPAC group

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History:

The group has been working hard to transfer the catalogue to the new system on WorldCat, having monthly virtual meetings with OCLC. Due to the high level of rejections from WorldCat because of data matching problems (i.e. we would need to edit 59,203 titles) the group has decided not proceed with the WorldCat option and to stay with the present OLIB system.

Future:

A List of the rejected records will be provided to the appropriate libraries so that they can improve their catalogues in their own time and if they have the resources available. This will improve the present problems with duplicate records already in the system.

The annual upload of library records using Basecamp will be organized as soon as possible and any libraries that wish to, will still be able to submit monthly uploads.

A new functionality to include the ability to see the details of the libraries that hold the required item will be added and a new interface is due later this year.

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