

## Local URL Demo Summary

Local URL enables a locally defined MARC field in bib records to provide links in local WebOPACS to restricted access resources. In the local catalog, this means that Local URL can make MARC field 956 behave just like MARC field 856.

When this local URL field is loaded to INN-Reach, it displays as a clickable link with institutional holdings.

### Functionality review

- Local URL provides two fields for URLs:

- 856

- 956

Marc field 856 is handled in specific ways: it can be loaded either to the bibliographic record or to the institution record in the central catalog; 956 will have same options.

- In the central catalog, ownership affects what is seen at the bibliographic level. Only an 856/956 from the master bibliographic record can display at the bibliographic level.

(If not owner, 856/956 can display in holdings section.)

- Use of BCODE3=G tells central INN-Reach system to handle display of holdings differently

### Use Cases

- Freely available resource

- URL provides universal access, institutional holdings unnecessary in central catalog: just provide the link w/o info about who holds it

(Example: J of anthropological archaeology. 856 in master bib, BCODE3=G suppresses institutional holdings.)

- Both freely available and locally licensed resources.

- URL in central bib provides universal access

- Institutional URLs displayed in holdings records provide access to "local editions" (Use 856 for one, 956 for the other. 856 of owner in bib; 956 of others in holdings.)

- Locally licensed resource

- No URL in master bib, [because we don't want to send everybody to a specific link]

- URLs for local access in holdings data.

In summary : cataloging practice and policies need to be thought through carefully

- Both 856, 956 display in local catalog if present in bib records (will involve retrospective )

- Central bib ownership needs to be managed

- Institutional holdings suppression (BCODE3=G) needs to be coordinated with central bib ownership.

### Questions:

856 displays only if in master record;

956 displays (in holdings) from any record.

Tasks: (JIM) figuring out how to deal with the master record question. We don't have one catalog that will always have everything.

options: 1 institution tasked with carrying 856. OR: designate master record ownership record-by-record.

(JIM) task to retrospectively handle BCODE3

(CHRISTOPHER) If only freely availables are coded in 856, then it doesn't really matter whose record is the master one.

(JIM) If we don't use BCODE3, then everybody's links will display.

(PAT) If a local institution deletes its bib record, the replacement may not hold 856.

OHIOLink has designated one institution to be in charge of freely available resources.

(JANINE) How does BCODE3 work?

If the master record comes to the central catalog with value G then the webpac suppresses display of institutional holdings.

(JANINE) What if the master record doesn't have G but one of the others does?  
I need to check.

(FELICITY) Does this work in the local catalog?

In local catalogs, you're putting 856, 956 in bibliographic record, both of them displaying in bib record. Display is unaffected.

Will send PowerPoint to Donna, who will distribute it.

Configuration options

1. Can configure to show 856 in Bib record only
2. Can configure to show 856 in Holdings

Pricing? None yet.