



Report of the MOBIUS Professional Development & Training Committee

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This annual report covers tasks and activities undertaken during the period of July 1, 2022, through May 31, 2023.

Date of last meeting: May 18, 2023.

Date of next meeting: June 15, 2023.

SUMMARY OF ACTIVITIES

Recommendations to Board of Directors:

- Fill the two vacancies on the Committee (due to term expirations in June 2023) and appoint a Vice Chair/Chair Elect for leadership continuity.
- Continue supporting the Committee in its efforts to facilitate communication and training across the membership and suggest improvements on professional development and training matters, particularly in light of our upcoming switch to the FOLIO ILS.

Action Items Completed:

- Awarded a scholarship to an ACRL attendee.
- Refined and completed the process of developing a twice-yearly conference scholarship cycle to award a total of \$5,000/year in grants.
 - Publicized process
 - Application due dates July 1 and late Nov
- Hosted a PD & T forum at the 2022 MOBIUS Conference in which people shared ideas for PD within MOBIUS.
 - viewed and discussed results from conference evaluation as they applied to PD&T Committee to direct the Committee's priorities
- Prepared and submitted a 2023 MOBIUS Conference PD&T session.
 - Declustering our Future to discuss the question, how will we build community and engagement as we retire the server cluster model?
- Provided MOBIUS staff with assistance and input for 2023 MOBIUS Conference, including conference theme "Blazing the Trail."
- Created MOBIUS Subject Matter Experts spreadsheet.
- Created, populated, and scheduled ongoing updates of MOBIUS PD Opportunities calendar.
 - created spreadsheet to organize who will populate calendar with which opportunities



Action Items In-progress/Pending:

- Continue to refine the conference scholarship process based on applicant feedback and Committee's experience.
- Continue to populate PD Calendar and refine based on user feedback.
- Assist as needed with FOLIO implementation.

Questions for the board/larger group:

- Consider priorities for PD&T in light of FOLIO implementation, and how things may shift in the coming months.
- What is our role in MOBIUS member engagement and community building re: PD&T?
- Are we still interested in planning a midwinter MOBIUS event?

Other Notes:

- The next conference scholarship application deadline is July 1, 2023.