

# Minutes of the MOBIUS E-Resources Committee

February 19, 2025, 3:00 pm, Virtual

Members Present

* Maud Mundava, A.T. Still University (Chair)
* Laura Horne-Popp, Rockhurst University (Vice-Chair)
* Sarah Smith, St. Louis Community College (Board Representative)
* Tom Pfeifer, Avila University
* Rhonda Whithaus, University of Missouri – Columbia
* Christina Virden, MOBIUS (MOBIUS Organizer)

Members Absent

* Jessie Park, St. Charles City-County Library
* Donna Bacon, MOBIUS (Ex-Officio)

Guests or Proxies Present – N/A  
  
Meeting Minutes

1. Call to order and introductions – Maud led the meeting and called it to order shortly after 3pm.
2. Adoption of the agenda – The agenda was adopted without changes.
3. Adoption of previous meeting minutes – The meeting minutes were adopted without changes.
4. Information Items
   1. Updates and Announcements - MOBIUS
      1. Christina provided updates on MOBIUS activities, including discussions with DeGruyter about eBook offerings and Hoopla about new services. She is also working with other staff at the MOBIUS offer to offer in-depth AI training for members through MindstoneAI. She will also be the guest speaker at an April webinar for OverDrive.
      2. Interoperable eBooks Standards Statement – MOBIUS is interested in signing the Interoperable eBook Standards Statement from Library Futures and would like feedback from the committee before doing so.
5. AI Webinar Debrief & Feedback Session- Maud expressed her satisfaction with the AI session and thanked the committee for their efforts in assisting with planning it. Rhonda also praised the session, highlighting the valuable information shared. Attendance numbers were very strong with more than 60 people attending live and 126 registered. Attendees seemed engaged and asked many interesting questions.
6. Unfinished Business – Check-In
   1. Analytics and Data
      1. Panorama membership use and other tools’ survey – The group discussed preliminary data on the survey, which had received 27 responses so far. The majority of respondents use a homegrown system, but 11 reported using Panorama for e-resource usage statistics. Seven respondents have set up Panorama harvesting for e-resource usage. There was significant interest in a demo or introduction to Panorama for e-resource usage. Most respondents preferred a webinar format for training, and most were interested in such training in the summer. There were also comments about the cost of Panorama and the differences between the essentials and paid versions. Lastly, the possibility of sponsoring a session on Panorama at a conference was discussed.
      2. Update: Digital accessibility guidelines and ADA compliance for e-resources – Rhonda provided a brief update on happenings at the University of Missouri regarding this and this project may be something to revisit with next year’s committee.
7. New Business
   1. Open forum: It was suggested that we discuss this at the next meeting when the final e-resources usage survey results are available.

1. Adjourn Meeting – Meeting adjourned before 4pm.