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Committee Reports

2010/2011 Core Competencies Task Force Mid-Year Report

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Continuing Activities

The TF completed a draft of the Core Competencies for Electronic Resources Librarians in fall 2011 and has submitted it with this report to the Board for their comments. Based on those comments and any additional revisions to the document, the TF will prepare a presentation for the NASIG 2012 Annual Conference at which they will present the Core Competencies to the NASIG membership for comment.

Completed Activities

The TF conducted some research on electronic resources librarian job descriptions and used it to inform the writing of a draft of Core Competencies for

Electronic Resources Librarians. A copy of the draft is attached to this report for the Board's review.

Budget

None

Action(s) Required by Board

The TF invites the Board's comments and suggestions for revisions to the draft Core Competencies document. We will use their comments and suggestions to inform additional revisions to the document and the presentation of the Core Competencies to the NASIG membership at the 2012 conference.

Questions for Board

Since finishing the draft CCs for ER librarians, the TF has started a discussion about whether there needs to be two separate sets of competencies, one for electronic resources librarians and one for serials librarians. [Originally, our charge was to create two documents] We are still in the midst of that discussion and have not settled on a recommendation yet. But we would like to hear the view of the Board on that question.

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