**DIS RC kickoff meeting, Friday, Jan 24, 2025**

Participants – 22+

**Minutes & comments & links**

**Dr.Ana Roeschley**

pre-agreed presentation(s) on Dr. Roeschley research projects on archiving, topics to be finalized

**Dr.Ana Cleveland** (after mid-March), and **HI program faculty**

pre-agreed presentations, topics to be finalized

**Dr. Jeff Allen**  
pre-agreed presentations, topics to be finalized:  
1) a tutorial/workshop for research,   
2) the collaborative intelligence new work, focusing on research presentations.  
  
**Dr. Nathan Brown**  
Doing surveys using <https://www.prolific.com/> , terms of getting feedback

… prolific survey results take longer depending on how specific your participant pool is. Since mine required Census 1:1 demographic responses it took about 2 days to complete. If you were to field a survey with, say, 100 random participants you would likely see results within minutes.  
  
**Dr. Hripsime** **Mantecon**  
a possible topic: a new project about public libraries impact on local school districts

*ideas of hot topics:*

the choice for grants to travel or research is a great idea.  
a literature review best practices can be added to the workshop lineup.  
  
**Merrion Dale**  
Dissertation research this year exploring overlaps in community archiving and dictionary-building for endangered/under-resourced languages. Also comparative study of archives in Louisiana that have cajun French language data  
  
**Dr. Shawne Miksa**  
Hui-Yu and I are working a paper proposal in for a special issue of Cataloging & Classification Quarterly (CCQ). The issue focuses on AI in cataloging and metadata work.  
  
**Dr. Val Hoski**  
Poster sessions are usually flexible about topics.  For example FEMA offers many resources for those involved with disaster management.  A topic on library assistance in supporting local patrons in finding disaster assistance, disaster insurance, etc.  A librarian / library student could compile a very informative poster on those resources that the library can promote.  Materials are free from the government and FEMA.  (This is not deep research but again, opportunity to present and inform through a poster session to inform and help the community prepare well in advance).

**Hripsime Mantecon**  
I think the workshop for the ASIST conference (other conferences) is a great idea.  
  
**Sarah Evans**  
Yes, one of my fav classes as a PhD student was a class officially titled “adolescent literacy” but the professor wanted to make sure we knew how to do a lit review!  
  
**Shawne Miksa**  
[https://www.asist.org/publications/arist/](https://nam04.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.asist.org%2Fpublications%2Farist%2F&data=05%7C02%7CViktoriiaSavchenko%40my.unt.edu%7C50be0d8d1d834d1a172408dd3ca98ee2%7C70de199207c6480fa318a1afcba03983%7C0%7C0%7C638733421131413875%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJFbXB0eU1hcGkiOnRydWUsIlYiOiIwLjAuMDAwMCIsIlAiOiJXaW4zMiIsIkFOIjoiTWFpbCIsIldUIjoyfQ%3D%3D%7C0%7C%7C%7C&sdata=hKZ4MdDY017sPlvV%2FlQmKjhjFGk%2FQTLlqNg8YxUGqmc%3D&reserved=0)  
  
On that ARIST page is a link to a workshop on writing for ARIST.  
[https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=XSZ2\_5JzG00](https://nam04.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.youtube.com%2Fwatch%3Fv%3DXSZ2_5JzG00&data=05%7C02%7CViktoriiaSavchenko%40my.unt.edu%7C50be0d8d1d834d1a172408dd3ca98ee2%7C70de199207c6480fa318a1afcba03983%7C0%7C0%7C638733421131452868%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJFbXB0eU1hcGkiOnRydWUsIlYiOiIwLjAuMDAwMCIsIlAiOiJXaW4zMiIsIkFOIjoiTWFpbCIsIldUIjoyfQ%3D%3D%7C0%7C%7C%7C&sdata=kTnK7TO6%2BadLrPiCvzpjbYX01QzQ35UWFG2Zduir%2BMk%3D&reserved=0)