Website Advisory Committee Meeting

Friday, July 8, 2022
10:00am - 11:00am ET
Virtual Zoom Meeting:

Committee Members:

CHAIR: Melanie Morgan, Neuse Regional Library  Ryan Miller, UNC-Charlotte
Daniel Whitehead, NC LIVE staff and WAC Liaison  Daniel Nañez, UNC-Greensboro
Sarah Bonner, Chowan University  Allen Phillips-Bell, Pender County Public Library
Angela Davis, Pitt Community College  Whit Preston, Gaston College
Marcella Fredriksson, UNC-Wilmington  Jacob Vaccaro, Meredith College
Chad Fortner, Central Piedmont CC  Siu-Ki Wong, Campbell University

Present: Daniel Whitehead, Angela Davis, Chad Fortner, Allen Phillips-Bell, Jacob Vaccaro, Siu-Ki Wong, Brittaney Myers

Committee Charge:

The Website Advisory Committee is responsible for providing input to and feedback on the planning and assessment processes related to the design and organization of the NC LIVE website and other web interfaces. The WAC ensures a web presence that is customer-driven and supports reliable and intuitive access to NC LIVE-provided resources, services, and related materials.

MINUTES

1. Introductions / Agenda Review / Minutes

Welcome to our new NC LIVE admin, Brittaney.

2. NCLSM Rewrite and New Splash Page Updates

As part of a project to rewrite the NC LIVE Service Module, the redirection code that pushes users to specific resources; e.g., ProQuest Central: https://www.nclive.org/cgi-bin/nclsm?rsrsrc=296.

NC LIVE is preparing to launch a new splash page on July 14th.

- Daniel has been reworking the redirection and redundancy for NCLSM. The old links and IDs will still work on the new page.
- Claire will send out downtimes for the website and information regarding the new
3. **nclive.org en español?**

NC LIVE is considering adding a Spanish translation option for the NC LIVE site. WAC will provide recommendations based on example library and/or consortium websites that support multiple languages.

4. **Accessibility Tools Discussion**

As NC LIVE gears up for our resource cycle next year, it would be helpful to be able to get a handle on some available tools for checking accessibility to make a recommendation to the RAC.

NC LIVE will be evaluating resources to add/replace for next year. Last cycle, we helped the LC by providing a document that described the accessibility of each of our resources. We used the program lighthouse to develop this. Lighthouse seems to have changed some items.

- We can think about what tools libraries have utilized in the past.
- Feel free to tap certain departments on your campus to assist with this.
- We want to list a tool and the reasons we would want to utilize it for a specific resource.
- In the past, we have compared what we expected a tool to deliver vs what was actually delivered.
- We will want to list tools we can use, or services to check accessibility and decide on one.
- If you have any thoughts/items that would be helpful please share.

**Future Projects - 2022-2023**

Members are encouraged to propose new projects, updates, and fixes to the NC LIVE website and associated services.

5. **Updates from Committee Members**

Committee members will have an opportunity to discuss relevant website and interface issues, ask questions, or get feedback about their own web projects.

6. **Next Meeting(s)**

TBD in October

**Adjournment**