

**LIBRAS Serials SIG Meeting**  
**A.C. Buehler Library, Elmhurst College**  
**4 May 2005**

The LIBRAS Serials SIG met on May 4, 2005 at 10 a.m. at Elmhurst College Library. Thirteen people present included representatives from Elmhurst College, North Park University, Trinity Christian College, Concordia University, St. Xavier University, Benedictine University and Trinity International University and included guests, Kate Boyle, from Metropolitan Library System and an intern from Benedictine.

The meeting began with introductions and several announcements. Those present were reminded to cast ballots for LIBRAS officers and to submit LIBRAS surveys. Members were again reminded to have at least one representative subscribe to LIBRASer listserv. Linda Harding will provide instructions to Pat Philbin, St. Xavier, and Dan Zamudio, Concordia, so that those two institutions can be added to the listserv.

Dayle Zelenka presented on overview of Federated Search Engine and Link Resolver, two new products for which ILCISO has negotiated contracts. Several libraries represented at the meeting will be implementing these products this summer, with more libraries becoming involved by the end of the year.

An open discussion followed Dayle's presentation. Participants discussed issues related to Voyager as well as how the use of Federated Search Engine and Link Resolver will impact our libraries.

It was suggested that we find a way to make our e-mail addresses readily available to one another. Linda Harding will pursue this and check to see if they can be posted on the SERIALS SIG section of the LIBRAS webpage.

Pat Philbin offered to have St. Xavier host our next Serials SIG meeting. The group decided to meet in October 2005 with a specific date to be decided by St. Xavier. It was decided that 10:00 a.m.- Noon is a good time to meet. The group expressed a desire to include in our agenda a follow-up discussion of Link Resolver.

Benedictine would like to host a meeting in 2006.

The meeting adjourned at 11:30.

Respectfully submitted,  
Linda Harding, Serials SIG co-chair