To: Joint Steering Committee for Development of RDA

From: Gordon Dunsire, Chair, JSC

Subject: JSC Technical Working Group: 2015 membership and tasks

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- Gordon Dunsire

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Tasks

1. Review and update the RDA Element analysis documentation in 5JSC/RDA/Element analysis/Rev/3.
2. Monitor the need for value vocabulary representations of the *RDA Toolkit* relationship elements and designators, following recommendation #7 in 6JSC/CILIP rep/3.
3. Investigate the issue of "cataloguer-friendly" and "user-friendly" labels in metadata based on the FRBR/FRAD models using the *RDA* Element set and Relationship designators, following recommendation #10 in 6JSC/CILIP rep/3 and the responses from BL and DNB.
4. Explore the issues related to "statements" as aggregates of *RDA* elements and make proposals based on findings.
5. Monitor the development of general models for provenance and other meta-metadata and prepare proposals/discussion papers on their application to RDA in due course.
6. Investigate the development of RDA models for authority data and prepare proposals/discussion paper by Aug. 3, 2015.
7. Prepare a discussion paper as follow-up to DNB/Discussion/3 by Aug. 3, 2015
8. Investigate and prepare proposals or discussion papers on how RDA accommodates relationship data as unstructured data, structured textual notes, authorized access points, and identifiers (including linked data) by Aug. 3, 2015

Relevant documents

- 5JSC/RDA/Element analysis/Rev/3 RDA Element Analysis (http://www.rda-jsc.org/docs/5rda-elementanalysisrev3.pdf)

- 6JSC/CILIP Rep/3 RDF representation of RDA relationship designators: a follow-up discussion paper (http://www.rda-jsc.org/docs/6JSC-CILIP-rep-3.pdf)
- 6JSC/DNB/Discussion/3 Discussion paper: Hidden relationships in attributes (examples: RDA 9.4.1.4.2, 9.13, 10.6, 11.3, 16.2.2) (http://www.rda-jsc.org/docs/6JSC-DNB-Discussion-3.pdf)