To: RDA Steering Committee

From: Gordon Dunsire, Chair, RSC

Subject: RSC Translations Working Group: 2016 membership and tasks

Chair

James Hennelly (ALA Publishing)

Membership

- Cinzia Bufalino (for German translation)
- Imma Ferran Augé (for Catalan translation)
- Mauro Guerrini (for Italian translation)
- James Hennelly (ALA Publishing)
- Daniel Paradis (for French translation)
- Octavio Rojas (for Spanish translation)
- Marja-Liisa Seppälä (for Finnish translation)
- ______ (for partial translations)
- Gordon Dunsire (RSC Chair, ex officio)
- Kate James (RDA Examples Editor, ex officio)
- Judy Kuhagen (RSC Secretary, ex officio)

Specific tasks

In addition to the standing tasks, specific task for 2016:

1. Assist the RDA Development Team in testing import and export spreadsheets for translations of RDA Reference in the RDA Registry.

Tasks

- 1. Advise the JSC on issues involving translations of *RDA*.
- 2. Produce recommendations for developing and refining processes for the translation of *RDA*.
- 3. Identify areas of the *RDA* English text which can be developed to improve clarity for international users.
- 4. Identify areas in which the presentation of translations on the toolkit can be improved as well as areas for improvement in the authoring tools and production process.
- 5. Test the functionality of the RDA Registry for managing multi-lingual vocabularies.

- 6. Liaise with the RDA Development Team on translations of RDA Reference and the RDA Registry.
- 7. Identify sources of new partial or complete *RDA* translations.