Chat transcript – State of the FDLP

from Daniel Cornwall to everyone: 12:50 PM
YAY for FDL Data Manager!!!

from Joshua Olsen to everyone: 12:50 PM
+1

from Wendy Moore to everyone: 12:52 PM
So excited about the addition of the FCC Record to govinfo - thank you!

from Jenny Groome to everyone: 12:52 PM
Hooray for MoCat returning to GPO

from Becki White to everyone: 12:56 PM
I really like how the shipping list is attached to the box with the item.

from Charlie Amiot to everyone: 12:56 PM
Very thankful for the shipping list changes!

from James Jacobs to everyone: 12:56 PM
What is the budgetary impact on the shift to digital? How much has GPO saved by not printing, and where are those moneys going?

from Susanne Caro to everyone: 12:57 PM
For years I've heard people ask for the shiplists to just be online. Thanks!

from Kris Abery to everyone: 12:57 PM
We're having problems with the shpping lists being mangled or torn off here in CT

from Inga to everyone: 12:57 PM
+1 to James Jacobs question about budgetary impact

from James Jacobs to everyone: 1:00 PM
looking forward to the new MoCat database. MoCat is critical for historical govinfo research. I have the complete run in our reference room but hope the database will be more helpful for patrons of FDLP libraries

from Kris Abery to everyone: 1:02 PM
+1 James I used it all the time

from Shari Laster to everyone: 1:02 PM
I'm interested to see what we can learn from shared print programs for collaborative management of these collections.

from Jenny Groome to everyone: 1:03 PM

+1 James. I found MoCat in Chadwick Healey and in US Documents Masterfile couldhave different search results. At least we still have MoCat in US Docs Masterfile 9Paratext)

from DLC - Aimee Quinn to everyone: 1:04 PM
+1 Shari

from Inga to everyone: 1:04 PM
+1 Shari- shared print programs and collaborative management

from James Jacobs to everyone: 1:04 PM
thanks for reminding me about Masterfile @jenny. We haven't subscribed but I remain interested in their database

from DLC - Valerie Glenn to everyone: 1:04 PM
Selective coordinators also have strengths and can contribute to training in a broader environment (either NCSA or FDLP academy)

from DLC - Amy Laub to everyone: 1:05 PM
+1 Valerie

from Jenny Groome to everyone: 1:05 PM
@james - it searches several indices beyond MoCat and LOC catalog.

from James Jacobs to everyone: 1:05 PM
@shari, you should do a presentation at a future DLC about shared print. I remain worried about the time it takes for patrons to access shared print collections

from Jenny Groome to everyone: 1:05 PM
+1 james

from James Jacobs to everyone: 1:05 PM
+1 @Jenny

from Inga to everyone: 1:06 PM
But if we are really on top of the shared print aspect of things, it can also direct our digitization efforts...

from Shari Laster to everyone: 1:06 PM
Thanks for the suggestion James! Yes exactly Inga, these two programs go hand-in-hand

from DLC - Aimee Quinn to all panelists: 1:06 PM
@Scott, the NOAA agreement would be a good program for a future FDL conference.

from James Jacobs to everyone: 1:06 PM
sure wish there were DOIs (or some other PURL system) for ALL of the national collection. That would help patrons find materials more quickly and easily

from Inga to everyone: 1:07 PM
+1 James

from Jenny Groome to everyone: 1:07 PM
+1 james!

from Susanne Caro to everyone: 1:08 PM
 how could it be improved

from Inga to everyone: 1:08 PM
I have some ideas about working with the Ag collections around the Extension "Circular" and "bulletin" but a PURL structure would be amazing, particularly around all national collection level things....

from Susanne Caro to everyone: 1:09 PM
James how could our purls be improved?

from Bruce Pencek to everyone: 1:09 PM
Where do agency datasets fall in the FDLP partnerships framework? Eg, ICPSR is the repository for a lot of them, but ICPSR records have stumped several discovery products (at least for those of use who no longer have fulltime catalogers).

from James Jacobs to everyone: 1:10 PM
DOIs could act as sort of a union catalog (a DOI could point to whatever copies of a title are out there just as they do for journal articles)

from James Jacobs to everyone: 1:10 PM
lol only a word about metadata Scott? :-)

from Brylynn K. Ellis to everyone: 1:10 PM
I have a wholmap collection that hasn't bben catalogued. If anyone would want to collaborate so I can get those in my library's system and patrons utilizing them, that'd be amazing.

from James Jacobs to everyone: 1:12 PM
@Susanne have you read the report from the Working Group on Exploring the Durability of PURLs and Their Alternatives https://www.fdlp.gov/file-repository-item/final-report-purl-working-group-transmittal-letter-and-recommendations-dlc

from James Jacobs to everyone: 1:12 PM
that would be a good start :-)

from Jenny Groome to everyone: 1:13 PM
What about tangible non-print - i.e. floppy disks? VHS recordings?

from James Jacobs to everyone: 1:14 PM
that's a great tagline for GPO "We're not melting hot lead anymore!"

from Jenny Groome to everyone: 1:14 PM
Scott - you don't miss using old command prompts?

from Scott Briggs to everyone: 1:14 PM

+1 Jenny, and CD-roms even. Most computers don't have the drives as a common option.

from Kate Irwin-Smiler to everyone: 1:14 PM
LOL James

from Daniel Cornwall to everyone: 1:15 PM
I've found response to unreported publications to be pretty rapid these days. Thanks!

from Inga to everyone: 1:15 PM
@Jenny- connected to needed digitization priorities for sure.

from DLC - Josh Finnell to everyone: 1:15 PM
Thank you, Scott.

from Kris Abery to everyone: 1:16 PM
Thank you Scott

from Chad Deets to everyone: 1:16 PM
yes, thank you, Scott!

from DLC - Aimee Quinn to everyone: 1:16 PM
Thanks, Scott!

from James Jacobs to everyone: 1:16 PM
thanks Scott! this is a HUGE shift and you've managed it well

from DLC - Aimee Quinn to everyone: 1:16 PM
+1 James

from Jenny Groome to everyone: 1:16 PM
+1 james - huge

from James Jacobs to everyone: 1:19 PM
re future digitization projects, there are a LOT of FDLP CDROMs. It would be awesome for GPO and this whole community to work on converting those discs to ISOs. need to expand on the work of the Indiana U CDROM library https://webapp1.dlib.indiana.edu/virtual_disk_library/index.cgi/projectinfo

from Janelle Nash to everyone: 1:19 PM
+1 James

from DLC - Valerie Glenn to everyone: 1:19 PM
@James I don't believe the IU project is being updated anymore.