

Library Management Team Notes

March 2, 1999

Attending: Ross Atkinson, Lee Cartmill, David Corson, Claire Germain, Tom Hickerson, Janet McCue, Jean Poland, Sarah Thomas, Edward Weissman, Mary Jackson

1. **Announcements**

- Tom announced that he would ask both Jim Doolittle, the acting director of CIT's Network & Computing Systems, and Ann Stunden, director of CIT's Academic Technology Services, to join the Library Management System Steering Committee. He also explained that DRA would not be invited to campus for a demonstration since its TAOS system is still not developed to the point that it could be implemented in the time frame we are now considering.

2. **Mary Jackson**

- Mary Jackson, ARL's Senior Program Officer for Access Services, met with LMT following her public presentation. Mary discussed copyright and "fair use" issues and digital documents. She reported that Virginia Tech now offers end users the option of receiving digital versions of the articles they request via interlibrary loan when the Interlibrary Loan department receives these documents in digital form via Ariel transmission from the lending institution. UC San Diego scans articles it borrows from other institutions via interlibrary loan and mounts the articles on a secure web site. The user who requested the article is given the URL and the article is maintained on the secure server for three weeks.
- Sarah asked Ross to ask the Access Services Steering Committee to plan and cost out the distribution of digital documents in response to requests for articles both from interlibrary loan and from the Library Annex.