

Library Automation Project
CSC Coordinating Team Meeting
February 18, 1987

Present: L. Bugg; K. Dazsi; R. McCreedy

1. LUIS on WSUnet--

Discussion was postponed until the next meeting.

2. CLL access to LUIS--

Louise reported that Jim Williams was going to be researching the equipment needed for LUIS access at each of WSU's CLL centers. There are "hookups" via SCP's already at the five CLL centers. These SCP's accommodate hard-wired devices at each site that were used for student registration.

A brief discussion of additional info Jim could gather included:

- a. get a list of all terminals and printers at each site, noting which are for staff use only and which are accessible to students and faculty;
- b. determine the number of additional devices needed at each site for access to LUIS, and recommend which terminals and printers should be used;
- c. find out the availability of ports on the SCP's at each site;
- d. find out the physical set-up of crt's for students, noting wiring, furniture, and cabling required to add the needed workstations;
- e. find out what staff would be available to function as "site administrators" for the LUIS terminals, helping users and troubleshooting hardware/line problems.

3. Library calls to Network Control--

Rick recommended that a brief set of instructions be written to help Library Staff with trouble calls to Network Control. Louise reported that 5 LUIS training sessions were to be held in the next two weeks, enabling new staff in Purdy and SEL to be trained.

4. Use of NOTIS passwords--

Rick suggested that, in the set of instructions being written for the use of NOTIS passwords, library staff be advised to sign off whenever they leave a terminal for a lengthy time.

5. Software licenses--

Carolyn Kaye has not yet researched the status of the ACF2 license for the 4381. Rick reminded the group about the VPS license, for the distributed printing software.

6. NOTIS peripherals for DALNET libraries--

Louise reported that three more libraries have signed up with DALNET---Beaumont Hospital, Botsford Hospital, and WCCC. They will all need lists of approved peripherals by mid-March.

- a. Beaumont is interested in installing an IBM token-ring with 3 or 4 pc's on it for NOTIS use. Rick or Kelly will check on the status of the token-ring being installed at the University. Louise needs to find out who their IBM rep is and what preliminary work they've done already.
- b. WCCC is interested in installing ASCII devices, since they have limited funds and the ASCII terminals are less expensive. They are interested in Wyse tubes. Louise will check with WCCC re. which Wyse terminals they had in mind. A Wyse 50 works now on the MERIT SCP. Rick will get Louise a list of the ASCII terminals handled on an SCP now. The IBM 3161 should be added to the list.

It was suggested that Louise contact Bill Eccles to discuss getting a 64 port IBM 7171 on trial, with the intention of buying it if it works. The other ASCII solution to explore is the U of M solution using the MERIT NIM box.

7. The next meeting will be March 4 at 10:00a.m. and will begin with an overall project status report.

Notes by,
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