

COPA Meeting Agenda

February 3rd 12pm MST

<https://meet.google.com/knu-mkxa-hvk>

Note Taker:

- Sidney Louie

Present:

- Angie Piccolo, Sana Masood, Elizabeth Rivera, Claudia Willett, Selena Ortega-Chiolero, Sidney Louie

Agenda:

I. From Council:

- A. Do you think the goal is still relevant (should we still try to accomplish this, or should it be replaced with something else)?
- B. Have you encountered significant challenges or barriers in executing the plan?
- C. As the Council drafts a new strategic plan, what new goals do you think should be added?

II. Discussion on [A*CENSUS II data](#).

- A. Focus on stories such as the federal impact (last blog post was 2017). Use data and the impact on archives.
- B. Difficulty to discuss the funding issues due to the circumstances of the federal grants and DEIA values.
- C. **ACTION ITEM:** Next month think about how to use the A*CENSUS II data and the topics, such as union membership/solidarity in libraries. Look at different resources and find ways to connect and find space with similar shared issues within the action forward perspective.
 - a. <https://www.ala.org/educationcareers/careers/stats>
 - b. <https://www.ala.org/advocacy>
 - c. <https://alastore.ala.org/oryrlib>
 - d. <https://www.inthelibrarywiththeleadpipe.org/2022/solidarity/>
- D. **ACTION ITEM:** Identify resources that should be linked to niche groups.

III. ArchivesAWARE Updates

- A. Future plans are to spotlight regional archivists organizations, resources (teaching with primary docs) archivist toolkit, and how archivists engage [Google doc to collaborate on other ideas](#)
 - a) Directing archivists towards community resources online and elsewhere.
 - b) Ideas to jumpstart: looking at the membership directory.
 - c) Transcript for National Comedy Center

- d) **ONGOING ACTION ITEM:** Continue adding to the list of ideas for blog posts. (Each member should bring at least one idea to the next meeting.)

B. CORDA Love Data week in February

[International Love Data Week February 10-14](#)

Although Felicity is not present, here is the list for her to report at the next meeting:

- Collaborate with CORDA on posts
- Ashley Thomas head of Love Data week for the Committee and is just starting planning
- Theme: Whose data is it anyway?
 - CORDA pulls “fun facts” from dataverse.
- Piggybacking off Love Data Week, panel in February to talk generally about data and archives (15 minute(s) talks)
- Felicity to reach out to Ashley Thomas.

IV. Storytelling/Finding Aid to My Soul Updates

Event will take place on February 14; Julia will send the announcement.

V. Other

- A. Monthly group meeting between RAAC, COPP, and COPA? Yearly group meeting this month or next month. Either a separate meeting or part of COPA’s monthly meeting.
- B. Think about what we should do for the new strategic plan and goals for COPA.