

Welcome and introductions

Responsibilities of a UC member

- Attend Meetings
- Confidentiality
- Act as advocate for INFOhio
- Liaison between INFOhio, ITC's and local users

Budget Update/UC legislative action

- INFOhio funding could be cut by 42%
- Fact sheet regarding cuts is available
- 99.2% of districts have used INFOhio since January 2015
- Please phone/email legislators

Basecamp

- User Council has switched to Basecamp for communication
- Basecamp.com
- Should have received email on how to set up
- Outreach Services: Users Council
- KBC is being phased out

Interface Changes

Worldbook – Very visual, Homepage is streamlined with important information remaining; screencast tutorials available

EBSCO – Kid Search, Searchasaurus, Student Research Center 5-8, 9-12 are retiring and being replaced with Explora for PreK-5, Explora for grades 6-8 and Explora for grades 9-12; home pages are visual but not the result pages. Looking to see if PreK-5 can get more visual results: screencast tutorials available

Science Online – Changing early August; lots of online modules and virtual experiments

ISearch, CAT, CATJR

Moving towards automation integrated library systems

BLUE Cloud (Best Library User Experience)

- Pervasive consortia cataloging builds massive virtual collections (e.g. Worldcat)
- You don't import data into your ILS, you can access it "in the cloud"
- Your unique contributions flow out to "The Cloud"
- The OPAC is your portal to "The Cloud"



CAT 3.0

- New interface later this summer
- No ebooks or videos on the right side
- ISearch button will include INFOhio ebooks and videos
- Link to view new catalog is in Basecamp

ISearch

- Tabs now default to full text
- EBSCO Research starters
- World Book articles allow you to choose from the different levels of encyclopedias

Instructional Bags

- The Back to School Bags and Blizzard Bags are meant for teachers to use with their classes
- The Beach Bags are tailored for parents to use with their children
- Beach Bags K-3
- Camp INFOhio 3-6

Boot Camp

- Training to Survive the Zombie Apocalypse
- August 4th and 5th
- Sessions are full –Survey to add your self to the waiting list

OELMA Updates

- No OELMA conference due to the AASL National Conference: Experience Education Evolution
- Columbus Nov. 5-8, 2015; Bring an administrator for free
- Author & Awards Evening Oct. 3, 2015 Columbus
- LitCon May 17, 2016 Kent State

INFOhio Focus

Becoming a fully integrated library 5 things librarians need to know

- Mobile
- Easy, elegant, engaging interface
- Content
- Curation
- Physical Presence

Shift to Digital Content

- Hybrid/mobile/blended learning
- Personalized learning
- Students as creators
- BYOD 1:1





Focus for 2015-2016

Digital Content

- Creating a plan
- Exploring new content

Integrated Library Systems

• Blue Cloud

Instructional Group

- Early Literacy
- College & Career Readiness
- Digital Literacy

Breakout Groups

- Digital Content
 - o New name for Discovery Portal
 - o Digital literacy for schools, admin, librarians
 - What are schools and libraries buying
- Automation
 - o Training: how to provide for everyone
- Instructional Group
 - o PD in district
 - o Integrate resources

Business

- CEU will be given for User Council webinars after completing a 5-question quiz
- Increase User Council representatives from 3 to 4 members a district
- Sarah Thornbery to serve as Chair-elect from Oct. 2015 June 30, 2016
- Next meeting via webinar on Oct. 20, 2016