

## WYLD Training Committee Annual Report 2015

Members included:

Region I – Nicole Pouget, [npouget@cw.edu](mailto:npouget@cw.edu) (2015), followed by Teresa Lucas (2018). (Teresa later resigned her position at the Dubois library and moved out of state).

Co-chair (& Region II) - Edie Phillips (2015) - [ephillips@parkcountylibrary.org](mailto:ephillips@parkcountylibrary.org)

Region III - Jane Gebhart (2016) - [jeg71@ccgov](mailto:jeg71@ccgov)

Region IV - Libby Ngo (2015) [libbyngo@caspercollege.edu](mailto:libbyngo@caspercollege.edu)

Region V - Bernie Burr-Wilken (2015) - [bburr-wilken@albanycountylibrary.org](mailto:bburr-wilken@albanycountylibrary.org)

Co-chair (& Region VI) - Leslie Carlson (2015) – [leslie.carlson@uintalibrary.org](mailto:leslie.carlson@uintalibrary.org)

WSL Liaison - Brian Greene - [brian.greene@wyo.gov](mailto:brian.greene@wyo.gov)

It was decided at the WYLD Leadership Retreat in October, 2014, that the Training Committee would remain a standing committee in the network.

We must issue a **HUGE** thanks to WYLD Database Manager Bobbi Thorpe for her complete and thoughtful reviews of the Linking & Cataloging and Serials Skills Checklists. Seriously, we could not have done it without her skillful guidance. As a result, those two updated checklists were posted in March, 2015.

The committee wrote an Enterprise Catalog skills checklist which was posted in November, 2014. We reviewed WYLD CAT (e-Library), and that updated checklist was posted in January, 2015.

We have been working on updating the General Skills Checklist, and hope to have that revised checklist posted soon.

We finished the Technology Glossary update with some illustrations and voted to accept it in December, 2014. It is posted as a Committee Document on the Training Committee's page of the Wyoming State Library website at:

<http://will.state.wy.us/wyld/network/committees/training/training.cfm>

(Let me just say the glossary was a big undertaking.)

We still use the Training Committee Wiki, which was skillfully reorganized by co-chair Leslie Carlson. Anyone may see what the training committee is up to by going to the wiki at:

<http://wyldtrainingcommittee.pbworks.com/w/page/5112109/FrontPage>

Nicole Pouget resigned as Region 1 representative on the committee. Teresa Lucas of the Dubois Library replaced her but then moved out of state.

We almost will have a clean slate of new members except for Jane Gebhart, Region 3, whose term expires next year. So far, three people have stepped up from the regions including:

Region 4: Deb Sturman, Director of Niobrara County Library,  
[dsturman@niobraracountylibrary.org](mailto:dsturman@niobraracountylibrary.org)

Region 5: Elaine Hayes, Assistant Manager, Reference Services/Special Collections Librarian, Laramie County Library System, [ehayes@lclsonline.org](mailto:ehayes@lclsonline.org)

Region 6: Fern Stringham, Library Assistant for Public Services at Western Wyoming Community College Hay Library, [fstringh@wwcc.wy.edu](mailto:fstringh@wwcc.wy.edu)

Thanks to Deb, Elaine, and Fern for coming to the rescue.

We need representatives from Regions 1 and 2. Hint, hint.

Remember, these words are in the description about the committee on the website: "Members are responsible for communicating their needs to the committee." I can assure you that the committee's members will address your concerns, but they need to know what they are. Silence is not necessarily golden.

Thanks to all who served with me on the committee and to Brian Greene for his amazing diplomacy and patience!

Sincerely,  
Edie Phillips  
outgoing Region 2 WYLD Training Committee Rep