



PRDLA 2008 Singapore

Co-hosts

- Singapore Management – Ruth Pagell
- National University of Singapore – Sylvia Yap

Program Planning Committee

- **Paula Mochida** - University of Hawaii at Manoa Library (chair)
- **Barbara Taylor** - University of Otago Library
- **Kevin Leung** - Chinese University of Hong Kong University Library System
- **Alan Ng** - University of Hong Kong Libraries
- **Brian E.C. Schottlaender** - University of California, San Diego Libraries
- **Emily Lin** - University of California, Merced (ex officio, PRDLA Secretariat support)
- **Sylvia Yap** - National University of Singapore (ex officio, co-host)

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- Emily Lin



- Eric Scott



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Steering Committee

- chair: **Bruce Miller** – University of California, Merced
- appointment ends following PRDLA 2008 Singapore:
 - **Colin Storey** – Chinese University of Hong Kong
 - **Tom Leonard** – University of California, Berkeley
 - **Jinwei Yan** – Wuhan University
- appointment ends following PRDLA 2009 Auckland:
 - **Sylvia Yap** – National University of Singapore (Singapore 2008 meeting co-host)
- 2008-10 appointment:
 - **Jianxiong Ge** – Fudan University
 - **Hsianghoo Steve Ching** – City University of Hong Kong
 - **Janet Copsey** – University of Auckland (Auckland 2009 meeting host)
 - **Catherine Quinlan** – University of Southern California

Membership update

- Fudan University Library
 - welcomed at PRDLA 2007 Berkeley
 - membership formalized December 2007
- University of Macau (June 2008)

- 32 member libraries

Membership policy

- PRDLA Steering Committee supports incremental growth in membership
- nominations of potential new members should be submitted to the PRDLA Secretariat to be vetted by the PRDLA Steering Committee
- membership criteria are focused on desire to join and willingness to participate

Membership policy - meetings

- annual membership meetings
 - two representatives per member library
 - exceptions may be approved by the PRDLA Secretariat
- membership meeting host
 - more than two attendees at any session if sufficient space and seating
- guests
 - Steering Committee may invite guests to develop projects and share technical expertise

Financial report - Resources

- 01 July 08 balance forward: \$195,000
- 08/09 dues income \$46,000

total resources \$141,000

[08/09 dues not yet received from 9 members]

Financial report - Commitments

- 2008 Singapore meeting \$20,000
- Karl Lo Award \$10,000
- PRDLA Archive Server \$20,625
- Secretariat administration \$10,000

total commitment \$60,625

Financial report – Available funds

- balance available: \$80,375

Available for collaborative digitization projects
and other collaboration

(keep this in mind for discussion re PRDLA Archive)

Collaborative digitization projects

- collaboration within PRDLA, two+ members
- up to \$50,000 per year
- multiple awards within available funds
- simple narrative application
- PRDLA Steering Committee assesses and approves or denies
- no application deadline

Karl Lo Award

- honors Karl Lo's leadership in forming PRDLA and contributions to global libraries and librarianship
- provides support to PRDLA librarians for professional development and research focused on Pacific Rim library collaboration and digital library issues

Karl Lo Award

- awarded to librarians in PRDLA member libraries
- award money may be applied to:
 - conference fees
 - travel costs including transportation, lodging, and meals
 - direct expenses in support of research, publication, and presentation
- US\$10,000 is available each calendar year
- projected expenses determine award amount

Karl Lo Award

- applications should include:
 - brief narrative description of proposed professional development or research
 - statement of relevance to global libraries and librarianship
 - requested funding with simple budget
 - statement of approval from director of library

Karl Lo Award – first recipient

Robin Chandler

Digital Library Program Manager

UC San Diego



- purpose: attend PRDLA to collaborate with colleagues engaged in development of ODiL (Oceania Digital Library)

PRDLA 2009 Auckland

- 18-19-20 November 2009 (W-Th-F)
- Program Committee
 - Janet Copsey, chair
 - call for volunteers
- New Zealand video tour: Brian Flaherty

PRDLA 2010 Shanghai

- hosted by Jianxiong Ge, Fudan University
- October 2010

PRDLA Secretariat

- relocate following PRDLA 2009
- express interest to Bruce Miller or any Steering Committee member