

To: RDA Steering Committee
From: Gordon Dunsire, Chair, RSC
Subject: RSC Fictitious Entities Working Group: 2016 membership and tasks

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- Gordon Dunsire (RSC)
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Tasks

1. Investigate the issues raised in 6JSC/FictitiousWG/1 and the JSC and RDA community responses in the context of the FRBR-LRM and RDA instructions for identifying Persons, and prepare a proposal/discussion paper by Aug.1, 2016.
2. Investigate the requirements for extending the RDA treatment of fictitious agents to other RDA entities, including Work, Expression, Manifestation, and Item, and potential entities such as Place.
3. Liaise with the JSC Technical Working Group on issues of the treatment of authorities in *RDA*.
4. Liaise with the JSC Places Working Group on issue of fictitious places.

Relevant documents

- 6JSC/BL/21 Fictitious Families and Corporate Bodies (Revision of RDA 10.0, 10.3.1.3, 10.11.1.2, 11.0, 11.7.1.4, 11.13.1.2) (<http://www.rda-jsc.org/working2.html#bl-21>)
- 6JSC/FictitiousWG/1 Fictitious and other entities in RDA and the consolidated FR models (<http://www.rda-jsc.org/sites/all/files/6JSC-FictitiousWG-1.pdf>)
- IFLA. FRBR-Library Reference Model. 2016-02-21 Draft for World-Wide Review (http://www.ifla.org/files/assets/cataloguing/frbr-lrm/frbr-lrm_20160225.pdf)