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RDA Board: what's up?





## Agenda

- 1. RDA Board task structure/members conducting business
- 2. Strategy 2015-2020
- 3. Current Issues





#### RDA Board - task

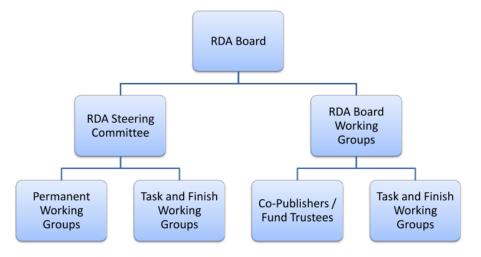
- Responsible for setting the strategic direction for the development of RDA and ensuring the achievement of the strategic plan
- Signing off development plans
- Ensuring good governance
- Monitor risks and finance
- Role to play in raising the profile of RDA in their region





#### **RDA Board – structure and members**

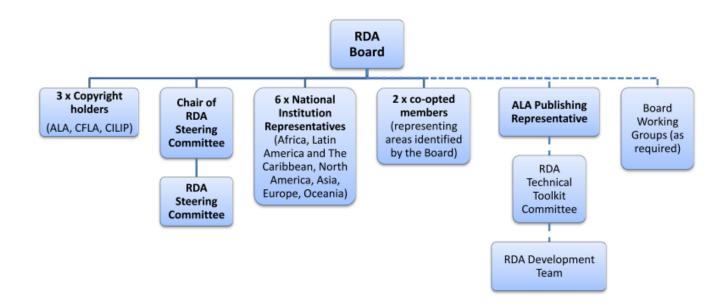
#### Governance Model Overview







#### **RDA Board – structure and members**







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6 x National
Institution
Representatives
(Africa, Latin
America and The
Caribbean, North
America, Asia,
Europe, Oceania)

- Africa (2018-2021): Marietjie de Beer, National Library of South Africa, South Africa
- Asia (2018-2020): Ben Gu, National Library of China,
   China
- Europe (2017-2020): Ulrike Junger, Deutsche Nationalbibliothek, Germany
- Latin America and the Caribbean (2017-2019): Angela Quiroz Ubierna, Library of National Congress of Chile, Chile
- North America (2017-2019): Beacher Wiggins, Library of Congress, United States of America
- Oceania (2019-2021): Kim Gutchlag, National Library of New Zealand, New Zealand





## **RDA Board – conducting business**

- Annual personal meeting
  - → Next meeting May 6-8, 2019 in Chicago, Ill.
- 2-3 distant meetings per year
  - → Now as asynchronous virtual meetings via Basecamp
- Action logs





### **Strategy 2015-2020**

#### **Vision**

- RDA: **the** global standard enabling discovery of content

#### **Strategic priorities 2015-2020**

- Make RDA an internationally recognised standard
- Increase the adoption of RDA internationally
- Develop a sustainable business model
- Develop a relevant governance structure





## **Strategy 2015-2020**

Priorities

**Programmes** 

**Activities** 

Performance Indicators





## **Strategy 2015-2020** Make RDA an internationally recognised standard

- Continue to develop RDA as a principles based standard
  - Deliver 3R project → completion of 3R project
- Engage with appropriate and diverse communities to improve the applicability of RDA
  - Convene archives working group → group convened
- Develop a clear maintenance programme for ongoing and timely revisions of the standard
  - Implement and review ongoing maintenance programme 

    no performance indicator yet





## **Strategy 2015-2020** Increase the adoption of RDA internationally

- Develop a cross-sectoral international communications and outreach strategy
  - Hold outreach event for region day after IFLA in Kuala Lumpur -> number of people attending
- Develop a cross-sectoral international marketing strategy
  - Deliver marketing activity → number of RDA adopters and Toolkit users





# **Strategy 2015-2020**

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  - Continue to review the business plan and costs for the development of RDA 

    Financial health of the RDA Fund





## **Strategy 2015-2020 Develop a Relevant Governance Structure**

- Create an appropriate governance structure that supports the RDA vision and strategies
  - Maintain an overview of transition to new governance model  $\rightarrow$  100% posts (not including co-options) filled at RDA Board





# **Upcoming meeting in Chicago – what is on** the agenda?

- Reports: ALA Publishing; RSC; Co-publishers; NI reps
- 3R project
- Marketing activities, website, hosting and sponsorship policies
- Review of Strategic Plan:
  - Evaluation of / progress in current strategy; shaping next strategic plan
- Governance issues





#### EURIG and RDA Board

- EURIG = role model for other RDA-related regional bodies
- Vital part in further internationalization of the RDA

- Regarding the upcoming Board meeting
  - Issues, ideas and messages?





# Thank you for your attention!

## Questions and comments welcome!

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