

ALA Midwinter 2016

January 8-12, 2016

Boston Convention Centre

IDTF Mission

Members (any member of GODORT is automatically a member of IDTF) of the IDTF will work to support the group's mission:

The mission of the International Documents Task Force is to further the mission of GODORT by focusing attention on increasing accessibility, discussion, advocacy and awareness of international and foreign national government information by connecting people, ideas and resources.

5 Year Goals for IDTF

1. Improve and promote access to international and foreign national information resources
2. Provide an arena for the exchange of information about new publications, projects, electronic products, Internet sites, and government initiatives in information
- 3 . Advocate for preservation for materials
4. Promote the use of these information resources and to improve their management through education and training, including participation in GODORT preconference's and program.
(Education/Advocacy)

Provisional goals depending upon commitment:

IDTF's strength is acting as a forum for the discussion of ideas, problems and news in the field as well as acting as providing advocacy and outreach for international government and foreign national government issues. IDTF could establish stronger connections with IFLA and join forces to create conference related workshops and programs. (I think at one point there was discussion about funding an IDTF member to attend IFLA?)

Action-oriented goals are challenging (Goals 1-3) and would depend upon the coordinator for that year.

