

**CONTINUING RESOURCES CATALOGING COMMITTEE** hosted a Forum on Monday, June 28, 2010 at the Washington Convention Center. Approximately 100 attendees of ALA Annual Conference heard news and updates from ISSN Coordinator Regina Reynolds, CONSER Coordinator Les Hawkins, and Nancy Poehlmann, the Continuing Resources Section's CC:DA Liaison. Outgoing Chair Christopher Walker then moderated a special panel on RDA Testing of Bibliographic Records for Serial Resources.

Tina Shrader, a representative from the National Agricultural Library on the Task Group coordinating the official testing, presented an overview of the official test of RDA by the three national libraries and other participants, including the goals of the test, the methodology, the rationale for the selection of official test participants, the timeline and documentation. She distributed an extensive bibliography for those interested in learning more about the test or about RDA itself.

Renette Davis (University of Chicago), shared steps taken at her institution to begin to orient staff to the proposed code and to prepare them for participation in the official testing of RDA, including sample comparisons of AACR2 and RDA approaches to the same elements of description.

Incoming CRCC Chair Jennifer Young (Northwestern University) then led a brainstorming session on how interested catalogers and institutions might participate in RDA testing of serial records and provide feedback to one another and to the official test partners, to augment the overall test experience with a better representation of the complexities of serials cataloging when the results of the test period are evaluated.

Both outgoing and incoming CRCC chairs attended the section's Executive Committee meeting, where they voiced support for the general consensus of section leadership, in reply to Division President Mary Case's questions, for the ongoing need for a Continuing Resources unit in the ALCTS structure.