Library Services Minutes

MACON Project Board

Date Wednesday 18 January 2012

Meeting details Library Seminar Room 1, 16:00 to 17:00

Attendees Gill Needham (Chair), Ron Burns, Claire Grace, Agnes Kukulska-Hulme, Richard Nurse, Hassan Sheikh, Judy Thomas, Rhodri Thomas

Author Keren Mills

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| **Item No** | **Comments** | **Actions** |
| 1 | Welcome and Introductions |  |
| 2 | Project outline (presentation)<http://www.slideshare.net/mirya/macon-about-the-project> CG expressed concerns about both security and licensing issues if usernames and passwords are stored locally on mobile devices. |  |
| 3 | Demonstration of mobile search interface prototype<http://www.open.ac.uk/libraryservices/m/search/> * RB informed the project board that from July 2012 Ebscohost mobile will autodetect mobile devices
* CG suggested that users should be given the option to refine their search when clicking on a saved search.
* Users should be allowed to delete recent searches or save favourites.
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| 3 | Project Manager’s report* JT asked KM to ensure participants in the diary study and future evaluations are widely representative of study levels and search confidence.
* MACON project team to consider working with OU Annotate for social bookmarking of search results.
* CG commented that the project should aim to demonstrate the value in centralising authentication for users with multiple devices.
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|  | AOB* CG asked that publisher name be included in search results
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|  | Closure |  |
|  | **Date of next meeting: 25 April 2012** |  |