The mission of Southeastern NY Library Resources Council is to support its members in the Mid-Hudson Valley and to enhance access to information for their users.

2015-2016 Annual Report

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SENYLRC Community

We rely on assistance from members to enhance our services. These volunteers help by convening Special Interest Groups (SIGs), hosting unconferences, sitting on active committees, advising on new programs and services, and serving on award committees. The behind-the-scenes hard work done by committee members and other volunteers is what makes SENYLRC’s ongoing service possible. The five standing committees are:

- Continuing Education (CE)
- Digital Advisory (DAC)
- Hospital Library Services (HLSP)
- Technology Review and Advisory (TRAC)
- Regional Interlibrary Loan (RILC)

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2015-2016 at SENYLRC
The past year has been an active one for us. In addition to the members served this year by our programs and services, the Board of Trustees has undertaken planning for Southeastern’s future. When finished, this strategic plan will result in a 3-year plan for the council.

We are certain this plan will include ideas to grow and diversify our programs and services. Member feedback indicates that networking opportunities and more training are in demand. With that in mind, we will explore ways to become a hub for members to keep their skills up-to-date and to learn about technology and its application in libraries.

We are a network of libraries, archives, museums, and historical societies. Between hosting Special Interest Groups, teaching members to become a hub for members to keep their skills up-to-date and to learn about technology and its application in libraries.

Resource Sharing 2015-2016

- Staff from 188 libraries placed 3,000 SEAL requests
- Of those 1,895 were filled (62.8%)
- SENYLRC staff placed 652 ILL requests on behalf of the membership via Docline, OCLC, and SEAL
- MISP subsidized the cost of 555 ILL requests
- The TRAC committee recommended implementing a new SEAL ILL System using Index Data’s Master Key

HRVH Historical Newspapers
Three new members added collections to HRVH.org: Irvington Public Library, New Paltz Town Records, and Putnam County NY History Collections
- Continued contribution to Digital Public Library of America (DPLA), led to an increase in members’ resources being used in new and interesting ways.
- HRVH usage statistics are up 30% from 2014-2015.
- HRVH Historical Newspapers had over 218,000 visits and almost 11 million pages viewed.

Hudson River Valley Heritage

Students participated in SENYLRC CE Classes

293

2015-2016 Professional Development Classes:
Writing and Communication Skills Training (6/9/15)
Building Communities of Practice (6/19/15)
RDA Lite (7/7/15)
Practical RDA (7/13/15)
Incorporating Active Learning Into Your Teaching (8/19/15)
MarcEdit Webinar (9/2/15)
eBooks: An Unconference (10/14/15)
Train the Trainer: Serving Resume-Writing Patrons (10/30/15)
NN/LM Presents Beyond an Apple a Day & Caring for the Mind (12/1/15)
Libguides, LibAnsers & LibAnalytics Webinar (12/15/15)
Minecraft in the Library Webinar (1/12/16)
Speaking With Impact (2/25/16)
Patron-Driven Weeding Webinar (3/30/16)
BIBFRAME Basics (4/11/16)
SENY-Con 2016 (4/15/16)
Marketing 101 (4/26/16)
Honoring Your Communication to Prove Your Library’s Value (5/17/16)

Tessa Killian, Executive Director

Hospital Libraries
The Hospital Library Services Program (HLSP) allows SENYLRC’s hospital librarians the opportunity to work collaboratively to enhance services and meet increasing demands for peer-reviewed literature. HLSP also provides access to a federated search system for one-stop searching for all electronic resources, reduced vendor pricing, and cost savings thanks to a SENYLRC-administered state subsidy.

The Medical Information Services Program (MISP) subsidizes the delivery of peer-reviewed medical information to all types of libraries in the region, including hospital, public, school, and academic libraries.

25% Negotiated savings to hospitals by subsidizing e-resources


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“SENYLRC does a good job of keeping its members informed of what they offer and of connecting its members together.”

-Quote from our 2016 strategic planning survey