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Membership Committee

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Committee Charge:

Keep an up-to-date membership roster; maintain complete membership records; recruit new members; print and distribute a membership directory annually; take charge of all membership activities.

Tasks Completed According to the Five Goals Outlined in the CALA 2015 Strategic Plan if Applicable and Please Be Specific:

The Membership Committee has worked very hard in recruiting new members and retaining existing members. We continued to offer a free one year membership to new student members, thanks to the remaining funding from a generous donation of \$1,000.00 from Dr. Tze-Chung Li, Professor and Dean Emeritus of Dominican University Graduate School of Library and Information Sciences and one of the founding members of CALA. Six students were awarded Dr. Li's Free Membership Scholarship this year.

Goals and Objectives Completed:

We continued to spend quite a large amount of time in maintaining and updating the membership database and resolving issues within reasonable time frame. Major efforts included: updated membership database for new and renewed members including over 100 mainland Chinese librarians; made great effort in making the membership database current and accurate so that the CALA election would run more smoothly. We in a regular basis responded to membership related questions for CALA members, officers, the leadership team, and potential members who're interested in joining CALA. For example, we assisted in how to renew the membership online; invited potential members to apply; checked member statuses for various award recipients; provided member lists for some chapter elections.

Goals and Objectives to Be Completed:

The Membership Committee chairs of 2013-2014 will work together with the current chairs to produce a 2013-2015 CALA Directory, which will be printed and distributed in the fall.

Budget Requirements or Reimbursement Requests (if any):

Questions/Comments/Suggestions for the Board (if any):

Summary: In a few sentences, highlight your achievements, concerns, or suggestions that you mostly want addressed. This should be the main point of your committee work:

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