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### Name of the Committee:

Publication Committee

### Member Roster (Please list Chair as the first name):

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Sharon Hu (Chinese-American librarians repository)

Jen-Chien Yu (Member, 2012-14)

Chengzhi Wang (2012-15) (JILS editor)

Yunshan Ye (2012-15) (Occasional paper)

Sai Deng (Newsletter, 2011-2014)

Priscilla Yu (Newsletter, 2011-2014)

### Is this an interim or annual report?:

Annual report

### List significant activities the committee has done since last report:

This year the Publications Committee has focused its work on the following four tasks:

1. Reviewing and revising the committee document- Publication Committee's responsibilities described by the CALA Handbook of Officers
2. Distinguishing the functionalities and clarifying the relationships among the CALA OPS, JILS and CALA Newsletter. Discussed the possible combination and merging of above 3 types of publications as well as the fees get involved in.
3. A short discussion aiming on coaching new members for research as well as to promote CALA publications is proposed to set up on June CALA annual membership meeting at the ALA Conference 2014.
4. Call for Contributions to the CALA 40th Publication/Special Issues.

### List committee recommendations, if any, to the Board:

The Publication Committee unanimously agreed that we may add CALA OPS under the "Charge", just like we included Journal of Library and Information Science (JLIS), CALA Newsletter, and CALA Web publishing in the charge. Majority members agreed to accept Chinese article with an English title and an English abstract into CALA OPS.

For task two, the committee members discussed all kinds of merging and combination possibilities. The majority agreed that merging isn't a good idea by now, and each of these three publications has its targeted services' audiences, distinguished functionalities, unique purposes and has its valid reasons of live on.

For task three, The CALA IRS Task Force will closely work with Publication Committee to enhance CALA members' scholarly communications/activities. CALA IRS Task Force would like to cooperate with Publication Committee to select some current published materials (articles, videos, presentations, and all types professional materials) and input to IRS pilot system to test. Famous CALA authors such as Shali Zhang, Menxiong Liu, Guoqing Li, Haiwan Yuan, Priscilla Yu etc., will be invited into June CALA annual membership meeting at the ALA Conference 2014 to share their experience of authoring and publishing, to encourage more members to publish and perform research.

For task four, a special Spotlight issue dedicated to Dr. Hwa-Wei Lee for his extraordinary career and accomplishments was created on June 2013 and was posted on CALA's website at <http://cala-web.org/files/spotlight/DrLee.pdf>

Attachments

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