Prospector Resource Sharing Committee
Meeting-May 10, 2023

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Agenda for today

• Transaction Testing (Jennifer)
• Prospector Statistics
• Update on Library Migrations
• Update on SWIFT libraries (Marisa)
• MOBIUS and Project ReShare progress
Highlights

• 443,612 lends in 2022 (down 29% from 2019)
• 31% of Prospector is E-resources
• 15.2 million bib records
• 33 million items
• Almost 64% of items held uniquely by one library
Top 10 Borrowers

1. Mesa County Public Library
2. Boulder Public Library
3. Anythink Library
4. Aurora Public Library*
5. High Plains Library District*
6. Douglas County Libraries*
7. Arapahoe Library District*
8. Denver Public Library*
9. Poudre River Library*
10. Jefferson County PL*
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3. Poudre River Library*
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5. Arapahoe Library District*
6. Univ. of Wyoming
7. Longmont Public Library
8. Aurora Public Library*
9. UNC
10. Douglas County Libraries*
Fulfillments 2018-2022
Stats from Title Reports (Jan-Apr 2023)

• Most popular publication year is 2022, followed by 2021 and 2020
• Top three filling agencies-Denver, JCPL, Poudre
• Top two pickup locations JCPL-Columbine and Poudre-Old Town
• Top patron type by far is Prospector Public
Digital Lending

- ProQuest Ebooks Pilot
- SILLVR-Alexander Street Videos and Swank Motion Pictures
- Springer (since 2011)
- Elsevier
- Taylor and Francis
ProQuest Ebook Trial

- Launched Fall 2021
- Current Lenders-Auraria, U of Wyoming, Colorado Mesa University
- 5,500 items
- Only may lend “owned” ebooks and not STL titles
- ProQuest provided a list of lendable titles
- Users receive a title-specific URL with a login to access a title for 2 weeks
- “Proquest e-ill” to pull up all items
• Timeframe Jan 2022-Apr 2023; 120 requests
• 21 requests so far in 2023; 78 requests in 2022
• 50 out of 120 items were accessed; 69 not accessed
• 82.5% requested by publics (99 out of 120)
• Top lender-Auraria followed by Wyoming and CMU
• Top publisher Taylor and Francis 59 out of 120
Publishers in ProQuest Ebook Central ILL Pilot

- Bloomsbury
- Brill
- Duke University Press
- NYU Press
- Oxford University Press
- Taylor & Francis
- Plans to add more in 2023!
ProQuest E-book Trial Takeways

- Biggest borrowers—public libraries (Prospector cohort)
- Engagement is high demonstrated by repeated and extended access to titles
- Average time in book 5.9 minutes higher than non-ILL ebooks
- Ebook requests largely focused on back list titles
- 60 subjects requested
- Avg. use 48 pages per title
Library Updates

• Douglas County Libraries suspend lending/borrowing 5/29-6/27 for move

• CU Boulder and Law Library migrating to FOLIO summer 2023 (Stop lending 5/12 and stop borrowing 5/19)

• Univ. of Wyoming and Law Library migrating to Alma/Primo. Suspend Prospector-late July.
INN-Reach Updates

• MOBIUS migrating to ReShare 2023-2024
  • Software development to make it operate more like ReShare
  • No date yet for severing link to MOBIUS

• III offering Sierra for INN-Reach
## Transaction Testing Draft scenarios (Borrow)

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