The information monitoring of the IFLA Library Theory and Research Section (LTR)

The IFLA LTR team is doing information monitoring which is shared and spread through its blog and its twitter account.

To conserve and spread this information monitoring, we use the bookmark tool called Diigo. As pointed out by the ABF Légothèque working group (http://legothequeabf.wordpress.com/) in its own Diigo constitution:

"Diigo is a bookmarking software which propose sharing features within an identified group and permits to mutualize the information monitoring of the different members on the subjects of the working group in order to:

- Gather all the information monitoring in the same space ;
- Organize the results of this monitoring through the use of keywords and find them more easily thereafter;
- widely disseminated the results among the members of the group and shared them with people interested."

The team:

The information monitoring is done by all the members of the IFLA LTR workshop of the Enssib, under the guidance of Raphaëlle Bats, information coordinator of the LTR section.

Any person may report resources to add in the diigo:

- By sending an email to the following address: section.IFLA.LTR@gmail.com
- By adding the mention @IFLA_LTR to their tweet

Follow the information monitoring of the IFLA LTR section

The account of the LTR group is available at the following address: https://groups.diigo.com/user/ifla-ltr

Each new addition in the diigo is automatically sent on the twitter account: https://twitter.com/IFLA_LTR

An extraction is made each month on the blog section: http://blogs.ifla.org/library-theory-research/

Everyone can subscribe to the RSS diigo by topic:

- LIS : https://groups.diigo.com/group/library-and-information-sciences/rss
- Book History : https://groups.diigo.com/group/book-history/rss
- History of Libraries : https://groups.diigo.com/group/history-of-libraries/rss

Organisation of the IFLA LTR section information monitoring

The target audience :

- The researchers on LIS, book history, history of library : to participate in conferences, publications
- Librarians interested in research: to participate in conferences, publications, development projects supported by applied research
- Members of the LTR section to participate in conferences, publications...
- A wider audience interested in the activities of the IFLA, libraries or research in the field of library and information.

Resources :

- Websites of universities, research centers, laboratories, researchers and professional associations, journals, publishers...
- Social Networking: but then go back to the primary source
- Mailing list: go back to the original website. If there is no website given, contact the organizers to know the website where the information is given.

The content :

- Calls : this is about all calls including a deadline for whatever is the item : posters, papers, grants, awards, publication ...
- Seminars / Conferences / Workshop: this is about all the events and the diffusion of their program, the opening of registration…
- Resources / Publications: this is about new resources type or publication data. We will not list all the items that come out, but rather periodicals, monographs... About data, it may be digital collections, databases, directories, catalogs, survey results…
- Grants / Awards : this is about the results of grants and awards calls.

The keywords:

- For each group, the keywords are limited:
- Groupe LIS : LIS SIB conferences Publications Resources Call IFLA Grants Awards
- Groupe Book History : Book-History conferences Publications Resources Call IFLA Grants Awards
- Groupe History of libraries : History-libraries conferences Publications Resources Call IFLA Grants Awards

The languages :

- If the web page is in an official language of IFLA, we retain the original language.
- If the web page is in another language, it is presented in English or French and it is an individual choice.

Bookmarks normalization on Diigo according to their type:

Calls:

Title: [Nature of the call (call for publication or call for papers or call for posters, call for awards, call for grants…)] [Title of the event (or theme)] [Date of the event] [Place of the event]

Body text:
Deadline(s): ...

Validated keywords:
- Call: for any type of call
- Conferences: if it is a call for a conference (even a worshop, seminar…)
- Publication: if it is a call for a publication
- Grants: if it is a grant, a call for funding…
- Awards: if it is an award or a call for an award ceremony
- LIS and SIB or Book history or History of libraries
- IFLA: if IFLA conference

Seminar / Conferences / Workshop:

Title: [Nature of the event] [Title of the event] [Date of the event] [Place of the event]

Body text:
date of the event

Validated Keywords:

- Conferences: even if workshop, seminar…
- LIS and SIB or Book history or History of libraries
- IFLA: if IFLA conference

Resources / publications:

Title: [Nature of the resource (book-journal-website-database-software-infographic surveys…)] [Title of the resource] [Author of the resource]

Body text:
Date of publication

Validated keywords:
- Publication: a book or a journal…
- Resources: a book, a journal, a website, a database, a software, a survey…
- LIS and SIB or Book history or History of libraries
- IFLA: if IFLA publication

Grant / Awards:

Title: [Nature of the prize (grant or awards)] [Name of the grant or the award] [Laureate]

Body text:
month and year of the publication of the laureate names

Validated Keywords:
- Grants
- Awards
- LIS and SIB or Book history or History of libraries
- IFLA : if IFLA grant or award